

### PLANNING & DECISION-MAKING

### Making a Decision





### THINK

### Set the Goal

Think about how you make decisions.





### Take the Steps

Create a way using Think–Plan–Do to make your decisions.





### Make it Happen

Take action on your steps and make important decisions.





# **Decision Making Stories**





**THINK:** Cindy, Lori, Tommy and Lisa wanted to learn new ways to make important decisions. They all made everyday choices like shopping, eating out, and going on a trip. They wanted to take charge and make major decisions about their future.



**PLAN:** Cindy, Lori, Tommy and Lisa started by focusing on something each of them wanted. They asked family and friends to help them figure out what they needed to do to accomplish their goals. Then they created steps to help them make it happen.



**DO:** Cindy, Lori, Tommy and Lisa followed their steps to decision making. Each one set a goal (Think), created a plan (Plan), and took action (Do) to make decisions that changed their lives.

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## **Setting the Goal**





Why do I want to make my own decisions?



Why does thinking first, before taking action help me?



A decision I want to make:



Is it good for my future? Why?



## **Taking the Next Steps**





### Think – A decision I want to make:



#### Plan – Steps I will take:



**Do** – What I need to do to make it happen:









## **Making It Happen**





I will start my plan:

Date

#### Action steps:





#### I will get support from:



Friend	
🗌 Family	
	Person

Name: \_\_\_\_\_