**🔎 ACTIVITY 3: HOTSPOT INTERACTIVE: “What Shapes Your Path?”**

**🎯 Purpose:**

Help learners understand the **key personal and external factors** that influence senior school pathway choices through an engaging, learner-centred hotspot activity.

**🎬 ACTIVITY INTRODUCTION – VOICE-OVER**

🎙️ **Narrator (Curious, encouraging tone):**  
"Choosing your senior school pathway is like planning a journey, so many things help you decide where to go! Click on each icon around the student to discover the five most important factors that guide your future path. Ready to explore what shapes your choices? Let us begin!"

**📝 Learner Instructions**

1️⃣ Look at the central student avatar and the five bouncing icons around them.  
2️⃣ Click an icon to reveal its pop-up with a short explanation.  
3️⃣ Read the text to learn how that factor influences your pathway decision.  
4️⃣ Explore **all five icons** to unlock the full picture of what shapes your path.  
5️⃣ Once you have clicked them all, a summary will appear to wrap up your learning.

**🖼️ Media Upgrade – Visual Design Suggestion:**

Use a central **cartoon, style avatar of a student** (gender, neutral, age, appropriate), standing with branching icons around them in a radial layout. Each icon represents one factor. Use gentle animations (e.g., bouncing icons) to guide attention (signaling).

**Hotspot Icons:**

* 💡 *Interests* (heart and lightbulb)
* 🧠 *Abilities* (brain with gears)
* 📈 *Academic Performance* (report card or graph)
* 👨‍👩‍👦 *Parental Guidance* (chat bubble with family icon)
* 💼 *Job Market Trends* (briefcase with globe)

**🧠 HOTSPOT DETAILS – Interactive Voiceover & Pop-up Info**

**1. 💡 Interests**

📝 **Pop-up Text:**  
"If you enjoy drawing or performing, the Arts & Sports pathway may fit you best. Interests keep you motivated and make learning fun!"

**2. 🧠 Abilities**

📝 **Pop-up Text:**  
"Abilities are what you are good at, like solving puzzles, playing instruments, or speaking clearly. Your natural talents and skills can guide your success. If you are great at reasoning and communicating, Social Sciences might suit you!"

**3. 📈 Academic Performance**

📝 **Pop-up Text:**  
"Do you score high in Math and Science? STEM might be for you. Strong in History or Business? Social Sciences could be a fit. Your past performance in subjects shows where you shine academically."

📘 **Tip Icon:** “Grades help, but they don’t decide everything. Your effort and growth mindset also count!”

**4. 👨‍👩‍👦 Parental Guidance**

📝 **Pop-up Text:**  
"It is important to talk with your family about your dreams. Their advice can help, especially when mixed with your own goals. Parents or guardians often guide us with experience and care but the final choice is still yours."

**5. 💼 Job Market Trends**

📝 **Pop-up Text:**  
"Explore future jobs! Some careers are growing faster than others like IT, health, and environment. Knowing what is in demand helps you prepare for tomorrow. The world is changing, stay ready!

**🧩 Activity Conclusion:**  
"You have just explored the five powerful forces that shape your future! 🚀 Your interests, talents, and the world around you all play a role. Now you are ready to choose your pathway with confidence."