Resume ACTION VERBS categorized by SKILL AREA

Action words are used to begin an action statement or bullet statement. They are impressive, dynamic, and create a positive and dynamic image of you to the reader. They describe past performance and accomplishments in school or on the job.

Management Skills □ Administered Delegated Prioritized Improved Analyzed Developed Initiated Produced Assigned Directed Instituted Recommended □ Attained □ Enhanced Managed Reorganized □ Chaired Motivated □ Reviewed □ Established Consolidated Evaluated Organized Scheduled Oversaw □ Contracted □ Executed Strengthened □ Coordinated □ Increased □ Planned Supervised **Communication Skills** Addressed Corresponded Interpreted Recruited □ Directed Advertised Lectured Redirected □ Authored □ Discussed Mediated □ Referred □ Called □ Drafted Moderated Related Edited Circulated Negotiated Represented □ Elicited Oriented Resolved Coached □ Collaborated □ Emphasized Persuaded Showed Spoke **Communicated** □ Explained Presented □ Formulated Translated Composed Promoted □ Conferred □ Influenced Publicized Transmitted □ Contacted □ Informed **□** Recommended Tutored □ Convinced □ Instructed □ Reconciled Wrote **Research Skills** □ Analvzed □ Interpreted Adapted Maintained □ Applied □ Clarified □ Interviewed □ Operated • Overhauled □ Collected □ Investigated Assembled □ Programmed □ Compared □ Located Built □ Conducted Organized Calculated Remodeled □ Critiqued □ Researched Computed Repaired Designed Replaced Diagnosed □ Reviewed □ Evaluated Solved Developed Solved Summarized Devised Standardized Examined **Gathered** □ Surveyed Engineered □ Studied □ Extracted □ Systematized □ Fabricated Upgraded □ Identified □ Tested Utilized □ Installed **Teaching Skills** □ Adapted Facilitated Developed Instructed □ Advised □ Enabled Focused Persuaded □ Coached □ Encouraged Guided Stimulated Evaluated Individualized Trained Communicated Coordinated □ Explained Informed Tutored **Financial Skills** Administered □ Balanced Estimated Projected □ Allocated □ Budgeted Reconciled Forecasted Analyzed □ Calculated Managed Reduced

Appraised Audited

- Computed Developed
- Marketed Planned
- Researched

Creative Skills

	Acted Adapted Authored Composed Conceptualized		Developed Directed Established Estimated Fashioned		Initiated Instituted Integrated Introduced Invented		Planned Proposed Researched Revised Revitalized
	Created Conceived Customized Designed		Forecasted Formulated Founded Illustrated		Investigated Modified Originated Performed		Set Up Shaped Solved Studied
Helping Skills							
	Advocated Aided Assessed Assisted Clarified Coached erical or Detail Skil		Counseled Demonstrated Diagnosed Educated Encouraged Expedited		Facilitated Familiarized Guided Intervened Motivated Referred		Rehabilitated Represented Resolved Supported Volunteered
	Approved Arranged Catalogued Charted Classified Coded Collected Compiled Dispatched		Distributed Executed Generated Implemented Inspected Maintained Monitored Operated Organized		Prepared Processed Purchased Recorded Retrieved Reviewed Routed Scheduled Screened		Set up Standardized Systematized Tabulated Updated Validated Verified
Leadership Skills							
	Administered Allocated Appointed Approved Assigned Authorized Awarded Conducted Controlled		Delegated Designated Directed Disapproved Discharged Encouraged Enforced Evaluated Executed		Governed Hired Led Managed Oversaw Presided Recommended Regulated Required		Selected Settled Signed Specified Sponsored Stipulated Supervised
Organization Skills							
	Arranged Analyzed Assembled Budgeted		Calculated Coordinated Organized Planned		Prepared Purchased Recorded Reorganized		Reported Scheduled
Interpersonal Skills							
	Accommodated Adjusted Advised Agreed Arrange Assisted Consulted		Contributed Cooperated Counseled Facilitated Guided Influenced Mediated		Moderates Modified Motivated Negotiated Personalized Persuaded Provided		Reconciled Related Requested Respected Served Sold Taught