Unicode pictograms to mark progressively rising values

For Ace Maths I searched for unicode icons to mark progression: show that you're getting better. Since I found a lot of different options (from simple sparklines to a huge list of animals), I'm collecting them in this article.

- sparkline:
- available images: -✔▲Φ♥♥♥ and ♣★> (these should display correctly in most browsers)
- nature getting bigger:
- signs getting worse: #DO#XZAM?
- age/education images: \blacksquare
- birds getting bigger and faster: 🛎 🕬
- pictographs getting more active: ****
- dice: 🖸 🖓 🖓
- transport getting faster: *************

To find more, see Wikibooks: Unicode: List of useful symbols and Wikibooks: Unicode/Character_reference/1F000-1FFFF.

To get better unicode support in LATEX, see the packages utfsym (Provides various Unicode symbols) and ucs (Extended UTF-8 input encoding support for LATEX).

The print version (PDF) shows how the latex export looks with pdflatex and \usepackage{utfsym}\usepackage[graphics]{ucs}.