

## Activity Sheet

### What is an

### Apprenticeship?

National Apprenticeship Service

What are you planning to do after you leave school? Are you fully aware of what each route consists of?

Your Post 16 options are:

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| 1. An Apprenticeship         | 4. College/Sixth Form                |
| 2. A Diploma                 | 5. A job with no recognised training |
| 3. Entry to Employment (E2E) |                                      |

Which of the following statements match the above options?

I learn in a classroom environment, I do not earn any money whilst I learn, but I will gain good qualifications to prepare me for the future.	
I work hard and earn money, but have few prospects or greater earning potential.	
I didn't do so well at school, but this route will help me become job ready. It will support me to get a job with training, or get me into college. I will get a little bit of money and be on a recognised pathway to a better future.	
I learn at work get real on the job experience whilst getting paid a wage. I will have the chance of progressing whilst developing my knowledge through qualifications. My future prospects are good in terms of both skills and education.	
I learn in a classroom environment, and do a small amount of work placement activity. This qualification is built around an occupation. I do not earn any money whilst I learn, but I will gain qualifications and an insight to a specific sector.	