

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.	