

BE AN APPRENTICE

An apprentice is a person who is learning a trade or special skill. The apprentice works with a person who specializes or has mastered the trade or skill. This person can be referred to as the master artist or master craftsman. Think of this relationship between the master artist and the apprentice as a teacher to student relationship.

Apprenticeships have been a form of training for hundreds of years. Many apprentices of long ago were young boys who learned trades such as blacksmith, printer, or silversmith. In modern times you will find both male and female apprentices.

DRAW A LINE FROM THE APPRENTICES IN VIDEO 1 TO MATCH THEIR TRADE.

Helen White

Classical Iranian and Persian Music

Sam Linkous

Bluegrass Banjo

Ashley Nale

Job-Shop Letterpress Printing

Dr. Ali Reza Analouei

African American Gospel Singing

Aaron Mott

Salt Making

Lana Lambert

Appalachian Duet Singing

Baron Bordwine

Traditional Farm Tool Construction

Hannah Johson

Balalaika Player

Samantha Wills

Square Dance Calling

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THINK ABOUT THIS!

1. List some characteristics you believe a master artist should possess.
2. List some characteristics you would need in order to be a good apprentice.
3. What trade or craft do you find interesting? Draw a picture of you learning this trade. Remember to add details of the supplies you would use in this trade.



Bonus: How do both the master artist and the apprentice benefit from this relationship?

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