

Activity 9: How does an apprenticeship compare to full-time University?

There are lots of misconceptions about apprenticeships and how the apprenticeship experience compares to the experience of following the full time university route.

Find three people to interview (this could be a parent / carer / sibling / friend) and ask them the questions below. Log their responses by ticking in the boxes provided.

Person A's name is: _____

Person B's name is: _____

Person C's name is: _____

Questionnaire	A		B		C	
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Can you move away from home?						
Will you have an interview to get a place?						
Will you be required to study?						
Will you have to pay for your study / training?						
Will you get experience of work whilst studying?						
Will you earn a salary from day one?						
Could you achieve a degree?						
Will you need to balance working and learning at the same time?						
Will you have the opportunity to make new friends?						
Will you have access to an NUS (National Union of Students) card?						

Once you have finished, your teacher will help you to discuss the responses that you have found.