



ONTRACK

STUDENT ACTIVITY

Options for MY FUTURE

Match the descriptions below with the education and training needed for each.

ANSWERS	DESCRIPTIONS	EDUCATION & TRAINING
C	1 Also called "community colleges," these schools offer programs that take up to two years to complete. The coursework provides high skills training for in-demand occupations.	A. Apprenticeship
	2 Usually a one-year program that may require you to take a test to become certified or licensed.	B. IU, Purdue, Ball State and other 4-year colleges
	3 Teaches, trains and pays students to become skilled in construction, metal-working, electrical and many other hands-on occupations.	C. Ivy Tech, Vincennes University and other 2-year colleges
	4 Learning skills while you work. Usually requires low skills and often pays minimum wage.	D. Military
	5 Rigorous course work over a minimum of four years that leads to the greatest percentage of high-paying occupations.	E. For-profit schools like cosmetology schools and some business colleges
	6 Provides training for a variety of high-paying careers in the Army, Navy, Air Force, Marines and other branches.	F. On-the-job training

ANSWERS: 1.C, 2.E, 3.A, 4.F, 5.B, 6.D

Be a MOUNTAIN CLIMBER

To climb a mountain, you have to start at the bottom, put one foot in front of the other and keep going until you reach the top.

Goals are like mountains: Start working at what you want to accomplish with smaller steps and keep moving forward until you reach your goal.

Start with the mountain to the right. Write your big goal at the top of the mountain. Now starting at the bottom, write four steps - or smaller goals - on the slope of the mountain.

Big Goal:



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