

# Step 1 - What is an Apprenticeship?

## Teachers notes

Learners will gain an understanding of Apprenticeships and the range available.

### **Ages**

14 + Years Old

### **Duration**

20 Minutes

### **What You Need**

Internet connection

Pen & paper

### **Introduction**

There are many misconceptions about Apprenticeships and in this first step of the module we are trying to address and correct some. The students will be able to test their knowledge of what an Apprenticeship is.

### **Learning Outcomes**

- All learners will be able to identify the key features of an Apprenticeship.
- Most learners will be able to explain the potential benefits of an Apprenticeship.
- Some learners will be able to identify where to look for an Apprenticeship.

### **Activities**

Ask students to follow these steps to improve their knowledge and understanding:

1. If they haven't watched the mythbusting animation - then ask them to do so - <https://youtu.be/2w9UtRwTPaU>
2. Have a go at the interactive quiz to test their understanding
3. Watch the video by Tina Patel from the National Apprenticeship Service - <https://youtu.be/CeF4sYDSxb4>

### **Reflection Activity**

Finish by asking the students to reflect on what they have learnt and how it has changed their opinions on Apprenticeships.

### **Additional resources:**

You may also find these additional resources helpful at this stage of the module:

1. The A to Z on Apprenticeships - [https://youtu.be/KGOYi8UQu\\_Q](https://youtu.be/KGOYi8UQu_Q)
2. Apprenticeship Levels - <https://youtu.be/OTee-ZJmn8g>