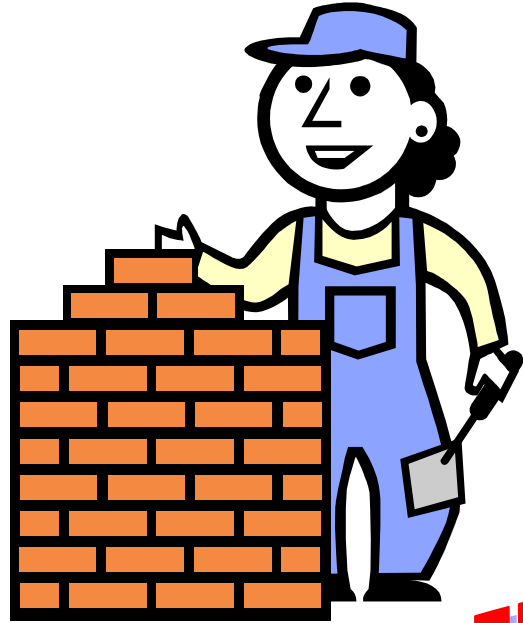


Create a fun assignment that encourages more respect for parents, more parent involvement with students, and more interest in school achievement...

Try assigning your class a student/parent **JOB SHADOW ACTIVITY**.

Here's how:

1. Send a letter home to parents asking them to participate in a career exploration assignment with their child.
2. Encourage the students to job shadow their parent or another adult on a short school day or a school holiday, such as Civil Rights day or President's Day.
3. Invite a few guest speakers to tell your students about their careers in your classroom. (I can help you find them.)
4. Copy the Career Coloring Book, Career Word Search, and Career Crossword Puzzle and use them with your students.
5. Watch your students' eyes light up when they can actually tell you what their parent does at work all day!



**Take your
child to
Work Day**

National Groundhog Job Shadow Day is February 2!
Information, including a "How-To Guide," on-line training, and promotional materials are available at
www.jobshadow.org.

This information brought to you by your Work-Based Learning Specialist.

What I Want to Be When I Grow Up



**Dear Elementary Principals and teachers,
With Halloween approaching I just wanted to introduce to you an idea that is sponsored by the National Job Shadow Coalition. It is called "What I want to be when I grow up".**

"What I Want to Be When I Grow Up" replaces Ghosts and Goblins with Careers kids admire.

Students have fun dressing as workers in the community while learning more about the world around them. I am mailing you posters to hang in your halls and will

send more when they arrive.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions.

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