ONE-SHEET THEME

Adolescents Edition

Theme: **Occupations**

→ Vocabulary

"plan" *(noun)* decide on and arrange in advance.

- In your own words, what does "plan" mean?
- Synonym/Antonym
- Use it in a sentence
- Use it in a question
- Draw it
- Act it out

→ Comprehension

You may have had dreams about what you want to be when you grow up since you were a little kid. Maybe you want to be a fireman or an astronaut, a teacher or a doctor, or maybe you want to invent something. As you go through high school, you will start to think about your future even more. It is important to **plan** for your future. How do you do that? First, think of a few things you want to explore. Then, research what those occupations are like. What does a person with that job do every day? How did they get to where they are? Think about what your life would be like if you had that job. Next, make some goals. Think about what needs to be done to get where you want to be. Finally, reach out to the people around you to help you gather all the resources you will need. You can achieve anything if you put your mind to it!

- What is the first step to planning your future?
- What are some jobs that people have?
- When do people start to focus more on their futures?
- What are some important questions to ask yourself when planning for your future?
- Did you hear our vocabulary word "plan" in this paragraph?

→ Problem Solve

- What would you do if you did not get into the college or other program that you wanted?
- What would you do if your boss forgot to give you your paycheck?
- What could you do if you have no idea what you want to do for a job?

→ Conversation

- How can you plan for your future
- What jobs are you interested in?
- Do you have a job now? What is it?
- What do you like/dislike about it?
- What are the benefits to having a job?