I can be an...

Teacher Instructions

The I Can Be..... series of activities are meant for pre-school through kindergarten age students. Each career is represented by both a boy and a girl in the career to teach the concept that girls and boys can do any career. The activities are also meant to connect subjects they learn in elementary school to real world careers. Introduce one career at a time. Students can color their character as the teacher talks about each career.

Questions for discussion might be:

1. What does a person in this career do?
2. Why would someone in this career need to know the subjects listed? (Note that we’ve chosen subjects most likely to be taught in elementary school. Subjects that are taught in high school and college are included here for simplicity’s sake)
3. Where would someone in this career work?
4. Why is this career important in your community?
5. Is this something you would be interested in? Why or why not?

If you need more information on these careers, go to www.careers.mt.gov and click on the MCIS icon and use the guest login. Select your town and zipcode to login. You will find information on occupations by going to the occupation tab.