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What Is an Entrepreneur?

You are probably asked this question a lot: *What do you want to be when you grow up?* Some people want to be doctors. Some want to be astronauts. Others want to be engineers or professional athletes. It can be hard to choose from so many jobs!

Some people want to start their own businesses. They are called **entrepreneurs** (on-truh-pruh-NURS). When a person owns a business, he or she is the boss. The boss gets to make all of the important decisions about the company.

Owning a business is not just about making decisions. It means the person in charge has to do a lot of work, too. When they first start, business owners often have to do everything by themselves. They might have to wait until they are **successful** to hire **employees**.

At any stage, though, entrepreneurs have a tough job. They must know how to deal with problems and persevere in solving them. But, they are passionate about what they do and embrace the challenges!



A smiling man with short dark hair, wearing a light blue denim shirt over a white t-shirt, is holding a hammer. He is standing in a workshop or construction site with wooden planks and materials in the background. The photo is framed with a green border.

general contractor

A smiling woman with her hair styled in braids, wearing a purple top and large hoop earrings, has her hands clasped. She is standing in front of a store window with a pink frame. An 'OPEN' sign is hanging from the window. The photo is framed with a green border.

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