

Help Wanted

Part 1

What do you want to be when you grow up? Haven't decided? Before you make a final decision, consider the fact that some excellent professions go unnoticed because they have fancy names or they aren't well known.

If you saw this advertisement, for example, would you be interested?

Wanted: Experienced *Garbologist*

Probably not, huh? But, wait! You might change your mind.

Here is your chance to think about becoming an “*ologist*” of some sort. Take a look at each of the following **Help Wanted** ads. **One** of the three answer choices names the profession that matches the job description. **Some** of the choices are **real words** and some are **fictitious**. Your job is to identify the correct applicant. Write your answer in the blank.

By the way—a **garbologist** is a person who studies a society or culture by analyzing its garbage. Doesn't that sound like fun? And you would get paid, too!



- _____ 1. Like insects? If creepy-crawlers don't bug you, give us a call.
bugologist entomologist atmologist
- _____ 2. Put people to sleep without being a bore. Tell them when to wake up. One of the nation's highest paid professions.
anesthesiologist radiologist pathologist
- _____ 3. Must like spooky phenomena and questions without answers. Hang out with people who can read your mind and predict your future.
parasitologist parapsychologist ghostologist
- _____ 4. If you can deal with the human nervous system and its many disorders, we need you. Think about it and give us a call.
neurologist nervousologist pathologist
- _____ 5. Wanted: Someone to predict and report the weather. 15% accuracy record required. Call us.
ecologist mythologist meteorologist
- _____ 6. Available position for botanist with working knowledge of the structural intricacies of assorted fruits. Must also know seeds.
pithologist carpologist speleologist
- _____ 7. We're for the birds. Are you? Grow your nest egg with us.
aerologist embryologist ornithologist
- _____ 8. Our hair is out of control. Our nails and make-up are a mess. Please apply as soon as possible.
cosmetologist enzymologist rhinologist