

It seems EVERYONE I know has been **TRAINED** in one way or another: soldiers, dancers, athletes, musicians, teachers are just some that come to mind. Even my baby brother has been potty-trained. Can you think of others?



Word Of Worth: T R A I N E D

Definition: The dictionary provides two understandings of the word "trained."

1. **acquired skill:** one who has gone through the process of learning a skill or job
2. **improved fitness:** an individual who has endured the process of improving physical fitness by exercise and diet

<http://www.bing.com/Dictionary/search>

TALKING IT OVER:

- 1) What is something you already have been **trained** to do?
- 2) What would you like to be **trained** to do in the future?



What does the Bible say? Investigate three ways of saying the same idea from Proverbs 22:6:

Train up a child in the way he should go: and when he is old, he will not depart from it.

(King James Version)

Start children off on the way they should go and even when they are old they will not turn from it.

(New International Version)

Point your kids in the right direction— when they're old they won't be lost.

(The Message)



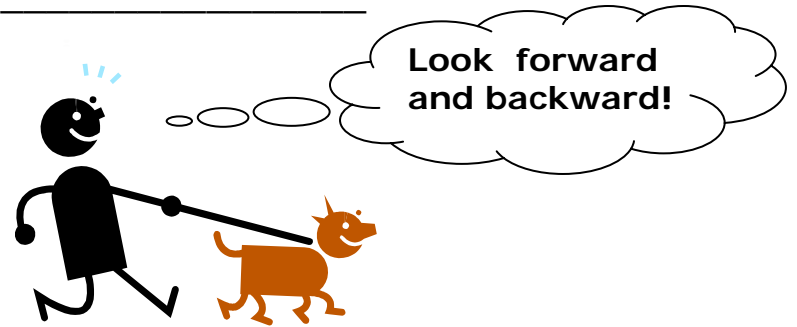
Proverbs 22:6 helps adults remember the importance of guiding young people into learning the knowledge, skills, and attitudes that will lead to God-pleasing living. <http://www.biblegateway.com/>

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TRAINED

Find synonyms for the word TRAINED in the WORD SEARCH puzzle.

L O P D E M O O R G
Y G D E H C A O C C
Y P R E P A R E D L
F T A U G H T H F T
D E T C U R T S N I
Y P R A C T I C E D
D E T A C U D E O C
U D E P O L E V E D
W D G V A M L I D F
G N E P S U S G I B



- COACHED
- GROOMED
- TAUGHT
- DEVELOPED
- INSTRUCTED
- EDUCATED
- PREPARED
- PRACTICED

CAN YOU THINK OF OTHER SYNONYMS for our **Word of Worth**?

<http://worksheets.theteacherscorner.net/make-your-own/word-search/word-search.php>

