

Vocations Logic Matrix (Grades 6-8)

A vocation is what God wants a person to be in order to live a holy and fulfilling life. In this puzzle, the object is to figure out the vocations of six different people. Each person has one vocation.

The six people's names are Mary, Tom, John, Megan, Matt, and Andy.

The six vocations are Diocesan Priest, Deacon, Religious Order Priest, Religious Sister, Lay Minister, and Parent.

Here are the clues to help you figure out which person belongs with which vocation:

1. John and his wife have three kids, and all of them have been students of Megan.
2. Priests cannot get married; deacons can.
3. Andy has worked in Nicaragua for five years now. He doesn't know where he'll go next, but it could be India.
4. Matt was ordained in 2002. His wife was there.
5. Diocesan priests serve a specific geographic area, called a diocese or archdiocese.
6. Megan loves to coach girls' soccer. She doesn't have any children, but she sometimes wonders if she will get married and have kids someday.

Answer: Mary-Religious Sister; Tom-Diocesan Priest; John-Parent; Megan-Lay Minister; Matt-Deacon; Andy-Religious Order Priest.