

The pawpaw trees you purchased are not grafted cultivars. They are seedlings (grown from seed). The pawpaw seedlings are not genetically identical. They have their own unique identity because they each have their own characteristic genes that came from the mother and father tree. Even sister seedlings will not have identical genes, just like people. That being said, most of the seedlings will carry fruit that is similar to the parents.

They should start to flower in a year or two if they have not already. Look for purple flowers in spring. Just to be sure of fruit set take a brush and spread pollen by hand for a year or two from one plant to the other. Some fruit may abort when the plant is young. This is not a concern.