

Jobs

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Warm-up

Work in pairs.

What jobs are popular among men and women in your country? Are there social or cultural rules that influence what jobs people do? What is/ was your parents' job? What were the pluses and minuses of their job? Would you like to have the same job? Why/ why not?

Vocabulary and speaking

Have a look at the jobs presented at

<http://www.learnenglish.de/vocabulary/jobs.html>

Click on each to listen to the correct pronunciation. After that, work in pairs and ask your partner about what they do and where they work. Take turns. Check your answers in the table below the pictures.

In a group of four, express your likes and dislikes concerning five jobs you'll choose. Give reasons for your opinions.

Listening, vocabulary and writing

Go to <http://www.esl-lab.com/careersearch/careersearchrd1.htm>
and do the activities (listening, vocabulary and post-listening).

After that, click on the Quiz Script and listen again.

To practice some more listening from working environment, go to
http://www.bbc.co.uk/worldservice/learningenglish/general/englishatwork/2012/06/120626_english_at_work_20_story.shtml
(separate document with listening and text available).

After listening, write a short summary about what you have heard.

1. Accountant	a) a person that helps to build houses using bricks
2. Baker	b) a person that works with electric circuits
3. Judge	c) a person who cuts your hair or gives it a new style
4. Nurse	d) a person that works in a library
5. Journalist	e) a person that keeps gardens clean and tidy
6. Scientist	f) a person that works with meat. They cut the meat and sell it in their shop.
7. Actor /Actress	g) a person that designs buildings and houses.
8. Plumber	h) a person that makes money from selling land for development
9. Real estate agent	i) a person that works with the money and accounts of a company
10. Doctor	j) a person that acts in a play or a movie
11. Traffic warden	k) a person that repairs your water systems or pipes
12. Carpenter	l) a person trained to help a doctor look after the sick or injured.
13. Dustman/Refuse collector	m) a person that patrols areas to check that people do not park in the wrong place.
14. Lecturer	n) a person that makes things from wood including houses and furniture
15. Pharmacist	o) a person that checks your eyes and try and correct any problems with your sight
16. Architect	p) a person who makes bread and cakes and normally works in a bakery.
17. Bricklayer	q) a person that collects trash/rubbish from bins in the street
18. Butcher	r) a person that makes news reports in writing or through television
19. Gardener	s) a qualified person that decides cases in a law court
20. Optician	t) a qualified person that works with and dispenses medicine
21. Librarian	u) a person you go to see when you are ill or have some type of health problem
22. Electrician	w) a person that gives lectures, usually in a university
23. Hairdresser	x) a person that works in the science industry. They do many experiments.

Correct answers

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Work in pairs. Do the roleplay of a job interview. One of you will be the interviewer, the other one the job applicant.

Use the following questions:

How do you handle stress and pressure?

What motivates you? –

Are you a self motivator?

What are your salary expectations?

What do you find are the most difficult decisions to make?

What do people most often criticize about you?

If you could relive the last 10 years of your life, what would you do differently?

If the people who know you were asked why you should be hired, what would they say?

Do you prefer to work independently or on a team?

Give some examples of teamwork.

If you know your boss is 100% wrong about something how would you handle it?

Questions? Suggestions?

Thanks for your attention.



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