

BUTLER SCHOOL

1- Write Y (yes) or N (no) in the box next to the things and people you see in the video.

- a. Glasses ☐
- b. Hats ☐
- c. A London taxi ☐
- d. A newspaper ☐
- e. The queen ☐
- f. Shoes ☐
- g. Suits ☐

2- Watch the first part of the video (to 02.31). Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)?

- a. There are not many butlers in England today. ☐
- b. On the first day of class, the students learn how to make tea correctly. ☐
- c. There were about 200 butlers seventy years ago. ☐
- d. All the students come from England. ☐
- e. Butlers from the school sometimes work for important leaders and kings. ☐
- f. The course lasts thirteen weeks. ☐
- g. There are 86 lessons during the course. ☐
- h. The first two days are very easy for everybody. ☐

3- Watch the second part of the video (02.31-05.01). Complete the sentences with the missing words.

- a. Students have to _____ a lot.
- b. The word 'butler' comes from a French word which means '_____'
- c. David Marceau starts to show some _____.
- d. David talked to his _____ last night.
- e. Ivor Spencer irons a _____.
- f. Butlers may have to deal with _____ guests.

4- Watch the final part of the video (05.01 to the end). Answer.

- a. What three things are mentioned as 'the finer things in life'?

- b. What jobs did the people do before the course?

5- Match the people with what they say.

Ivor Spencer

Long ago, England was a land of country houses, palaces, gardens and afternoon tea.

The man in the pipe shop

The narrator

I haven't seen a butler for a long time.

David Marceau

On every course there are about two people that don't make it past the first two days.

The taxi driver

David Suter

Practice makes perfect, so hopefully, with a lot of practice, I'll be just as good as any other butler out there.

I just hope I'm going to be right for the job and hope I can do it!

It's not just a piece of wood, it's a piece of art.