

Practical Task n° 1

Listening

A job interview



1- Before you listen, think about these questions:

How do you feel about interviews? Are you good at them?

When was your last interview? What was it for? How did it go?

2- Listen to Rachel having a job interview, and choose the correct answer.

1- Where is Rachel working now?

2- Which part of the hospital does she work in?

3- Why is she looking for a new job?

3- Drag and drop : Complete the sentences using the words below.

APPLYING FOR - LECTURES - NIGHT SHIFT - FULLY- QUALIFIED - PART TIME -
REWARDING

1- Are you a _____ scrub nurse?

2- At the moment I'm doing a _____ course and working at the same time.

3- it's hard, especially when I'm working a _____ and going to _____ next day.

4- ...it's the contact with the patient that's most _____.

5- Why are you _____ a new job?

Language spot: Present Simple VS Present Continuous

4-Match

We use the Present Simple to talk about routines, duties, and things that happen all the time

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We use the Present Continuous to talk about things we are doing at the moment, or things that are happening now. It is also used to talk about future schedules.

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- At the moment I'm doing a part-time job.
- A midwife delivers babies.
- Do anaesthetists deliver babies?
- A surgeon doesn't drive an ambulance.
- I am not working nights next week.
- Are you preparing for the exams?

5-Read this student nurse's email home to her friend. Choose the correct verb forms to complete it.

From: mcarmen@urbismail.com
To: ivana.lukic@fastnet.com
Subject: Hello!

Hi Ivana

I write / 'm writing¹ to say thank you for the birthday card, and to tell you how I get on / 'm getting on². The course is hard work, but I 'm enjoying / enjoy³ it so far. We usually have / are having⁴ classes every morning, but this week I 'm working / work⁵ in Geriatrics all day. It's interesting, although of course I want / 'm wanting⁶ to work as a scrub nurse.

On the geriatric ward I 'm making / make⁷ beds and checking / check⁸ patients' blood pressure and temperature. I 'm learning / learn⁹ a lot, and the experience is very useful.

I 'm going out / go out¹⁰ most Saturday nights, but stay in and study on other days. Tomorrow I go / 'm going¹¹ to a restaurant for my birthday! I make / 'm making¹² a lot of friends, but I wish you were here too. Write to me!

love
Maria Carmen