

FORTUNE TELLER



1. Read the dialogue. Complete it using the word bank below.

chance - charming - shouldn't - interview - afraid
unemployed - about - looking for - pounds - advertising agency

Fortune teller: What would you like to know my dear?

Melanie: Well, yesterday I received a job offer, should I accept it?

Fortune teller: Mmm, let me see... I can see you're not working at the moment.

Melanie: Exactly, I'm _____ a job.

Fortune teller: I can see that you're a very creative girl.

Melanie: Well, yes, I am. I like writing and painting, but this position is in an export company... it doesn't sound very creative.

Fortune teller: This is not the right job for you. You _____ accept it.

Melanie: But I need to work! I'm 29 years old and I'm still living with my parents!

Fortune teller: I know, but you have to be patient. Next month **you will receive** a better offer

Melanie: Really?

Fortune teller: Yes, I can see it very clearly. **You'll receive** a phone call from an important _____. **They will contact** you for a job interview. They have your CV and find it very interesting

Melanie: And how **will** this _____ **go? Will I get the job?**

Fortune teller: Yes, **you will**

Melanie: Wow! Actually, I would like to be a copywriter... When exactly **will they call**?

Fortune teller: Well, all I can say is **they will call** very soon, probably next month. This interview **will be** the biggest _____ of your life. Keep your cell phone on!

Melanie: And **will I be happy?**

Fortune teller: Hmm, let's see... Well, that will depend. You will meet a very young man in that agency.

Melanie: Wow! Really? Who?

Fortune teller: A client. He will find you very attractive, he'll pay you compliments and ask you out, but be careful, because I can see he isn't single. Wait! Now I can see him at home, with his wife and one, no, two children.

Melanie: Oh... Can you tell me something more about him? What's his name?

Fortune teller: No dear, I'm you're asking too much. I don't know his name, but I can see he has a wonderful house, oh look, there's even a swimming pool!

Melanie: Really? So, he's attractive and rich. What his wife, can you see her?

Fortune teller: Yes, she's pretty and slim, with beautiful long hair.

Melanie: Let me have a look...but... where is she? I can't see anything.

Fortune teller: Of course, you can't, my crystal ball is not a tv screen! Now, listen to me very carefully: if you want to have a good career and enjoy life, work hard and stay away from married men, or you won't be happy! You will lose your job, do you understand?

Melanie: All right, all right. I won't listen to that man, I won't go to dinner with him, I'll be absolutely professional. I promise. Thank you, madam, here are your ten

Fortune teller: Sorry, dear, that will be twenty pounds.

Melanie: What?! 20 pounds? Five minutes ago, you said that the price was 5 pounds!

Fortune teller: Of course, dear, that was before looking into my crystal ball, when you were just an girl to me, but now I know that, if you follow my suggestions, you will soon be successful and rich.

2. Choose *True* or *False* based on the text.

a. Melanie enjoys doing creative jobs.

TRUE

FALSE

b. The export company job offer is the best for Melanie.

TRUE

FALSE

c. Melanie will get a job in an agency.

TRUE

FALSE

d. Melanie won't be successful.

TRUE

FALSE

3. Drag and drop the statements about the story to put them in the right order based on the dialogue.

A client will ask Melanie out.

Melanie tried to give ten pounds to the fortune teller.

The fortune teller suggested Melanie to stay away from that married man.

Melanie received a job offer.

She'll be contacted for another job offer.

The fortune teller described a married man's wife.

Melanie was advised not to accept a job.