e Now match the highlighted words and phrases to 1–8.

1 _____ (noun) a reaction based on feelings and emotions rather than thought and reason

2 _____ (adj.) designed so that it cannot fail

3 _____ (phrase) an answer which is intended to be amusing rather than serious

4 _____ (noun, informal) a person who is very interested in and who knows a lot about a particular subject

5 _____ (phrase) the number of hours per week you spend working compared with the number of hours you spend with your family, relaxing, etc.

6 _____ (phrase) the main reason for something

7 _____ (phrase) friendly competition

8 _____ (noun) people who are looking for a job

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