

WORK LIFE COLLOCATIONS

Match the words with their definitions

- 1 make a living
- 2 do a job-share
- 3 to lay off staff
- 4 go freelance
- 5 practised medicine
- 6 carve a niche for myself
- 7 opposite number
- 8 take up the post
- 9 be put on a fast-track scheme
- 10 be moving up the ladder
- 11 I had a change of heart
- 12 get my priorities right
- 13 life should take priority over my work

- M be more important to me than
E make a special position for myself
H system for rapid training and promotion of talented staff
C earn enough to live (can also be used just to refer to one's job and how one earns one's money)
A situation where two people share equal parts of the same job
F worked as a doctor
N give importance to the right aspects of life
I someone doing the same job in a different location
G start to work
K my attitude or mood changed
B dismiss staff because there is no work for them to do
L being promoted
D work for several different organisations rather than working full-time for one organisation

ANSWER

- 1c
- 2a
- 3b
- 4d
- 5f
- 6e
- 7i
- 8g
- 9h
- 10l
- 11k
- 12n
- 13m