

Wednesday, the twenty eighth of September

Class Work

CHOOSE THE CAREER

Today we're going to speak about careers and professions. We'll learn new words, discuss your future choice of a professional activity and some issues related to work.

Warm up

WHAT MAKES A JOB GOOD AND INTERESTING?

- For me, a good job should be (meaningful / well paid / beneficial to others /...).
- I would like to have (a nice supervisor / pleasant co-workers / opportunity for growth /...).
- Ideally, I'd like my job to include possibilities for (creativity / travel / advancement / ...).

HOW IMPORTANT IS THE SALARY IN CHOOSING A JOB?

- I think that the salary is (the major factor / as important as job satisfaction / not the essential issue /...) in accepting a job offer.
- I wouldn't mind a lower-paying job if it was (very fulfilling for me / really creative and enjoyable / well suited to my interests and abilities /...).

WHAT QUALITIES DOES A BOSS APPRECIATE IN PEOPLE WHO WORK?

- I think that a boss always likes (punctuality / honesty / hard work /...).
- Traits that a boss would not like to see are (laziness / disrespect / lying /...).

WORDS

IT = **information technology**
an experience [ɪk'spiəriəns]
a qualification [,kwɒlɪfi'keɪʃn]
a quality ['kwɒləti]
a requirement [rɪ'kwaɪəmənt]
staff [stɑ:f]
to earn [ɜ:n]
to provide [prə'veɪd]
to require [rɪ'kwaɪə]
to seek [sɪ:k]
desirable [dɪ'zaiərəbl]
essential [ɪ'senʃl]
valuable ['væljuəbl]
fluent ['flu:ənt]

FOR YOU

a **CHILDREN'S NURSE**



required for British family with two children (ages 2 and 5) living in Brussels. Driving license is essential. French is an advantage.

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Mrs Arnold, International Employment Agency
12 Knight Street, London W4A 2B2

b We are a UK trading company looking for a full-time

OFFICE ADMINISTRATOR



WE REQUIRE:

- ✓ very good spoken English
- ✓ office administration, including IT skills
- ✓ import/export experience – desirable, but not essential
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- ✓ desire and ability to work hard and face challenges

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Recruitment Consultants

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WORKING ON A CRUISESHIP

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POSITION: Technical Training Engineer

LOCATION: Liverpool, England

RESPONSIBILITIES:

- ✓ Deliver technical training courses to overseas customers.
- ✓ Write or edit technical training documentation.



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REQUIREMENTS:

- ✓ Excellent English mother tongue or second language.
- ✓ Good telecom or computer background.
- ✓ Wide teaching experience preferred.
- ✓ Telecom equipment maintenance background preferred.
- ✓ Responsible, cooperative and enthusiastic.
- ✓ No limits on nationality.



Read the advertisements on pages 40-41 again and match them with the statements below.

- 1 This work requires an ability to act both independently and also as part of a team. b
- 2 This work requires both computer knowledge and teaching experience.
- 3 They have vacancies for various kinds of people, but they have to speak more than one language.
- 4 They need a person who can drive a car.
- 5 The applicants for this job need a special education and good analytical abilities.

Homework: answer the questions (in writing)

Answer the following questions.

- 1) What qualities necessary for our future career do you have/lack?
- 2) What do you like about your future profession?
- 3) Which job may suit your personal qualities the best?

Write your answers, using the following words and word combinations.

- I'd prefer...
- In my case...
- What I'm more concerned with is...
- The reason why...
- Because of that....
