

WRITING UNIT 6

1. Write one word in each gap:

- 1 My grandfather used to be a sailor, and he's travelled on ships to every continent in the world except Antarctica.
- 2 My brother's at university, and last year he got a summer job as a _____. He was in a group and they had to clean all of the student flats – he says that some of them were really dirty.
- 3 When my dad comes home in the evening, all he wants to do is sit down. He's a _____, so he spends all day walking from house to house posting letters through the doors.
- 4 I'd like to be a _____ and discover a new kind of plastic which is easy to recycle and won't pollute the planet.
- 5 My mum has written a book about ghosts who live in an old school. It's really good, and now she's looking for a _____ who can produce the book and sell it.
- 6 If I was an _____, I would design a bridge to connect Europe and Africa. It would need to be very long, and strong so it wouldn't fall down if there was an earthquake.

2. Read and match:

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| 1 She works as part of a team creating computer games. <u>d</u> | a He could be a hairdresser. |
| 2 He often goes on tour to different cities in the world. _____ | b She can't be a fire fighter. |
| 3 In the future, she hopes to be the leader of our country. _____ | c He may be a dentist. |
| 4 His clients enjoy chatting with him while he works. _____ | d She must be a programmer. |
| 5 She doesn't like dangerous situations and she's scared of fire. _____ | e He might be a musician. |
| 6 Some people are scared of going to see him. _____ | f She must be a politician. |

1. _____
 2. _____
 3. _____
 4. _____
 5. _____
 6. _____

3. Write on word from the box in each gap:

earn employment quit full-time job salary
part-time unemployed colleagues staff

I'm a maths teacher in our local school, and my wife is an architect. I used to work (1) full-time but we had a baby recently, so now I only work (2) _____ so that I can spend more time with our child. I don't (3) _____ much money of course, because I only work a few hours a week, but my wife gets a very good (4) _____. Sometimes I chat with my (5) _____ in the staff room at school, and they say I'm very lucky only teaching a few classes. But actually, teaching is much easier than looking after a baby! Being a parent is a wonderful job, but you can't (6) _____!

