

LISTENING

Working in a man's world.



A glider

A hangar

A) Are the following sentences True or False? Write T or F.

1. April is Irish. ____
2. April's mother influenced her to be an engineer. ____
3. April can fly a glider. ____
4. April's job requires her to work only on weekdays. ____
5. Working as a team is very important for April's job. ____
6. You have to be really curious to work as an engineer. ____
7. April has worked more than necessary, so people can realize what she's doing. ____
8. As an engineer woman people are not interested in the job you're doing. ____
9. There were many girls in the hangars. ____
10. April was very popular working in the hangars. ____

B) Listen to the audio again and choose the things that April says are important in her job.

It is important to:

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| 1. arrive and leave work on time | 9. be organized |
| 2. be a hard worker | 10. be well-dressed |
| 3. be able to communicate | 11. be young and enthusiastic |
| 4. be able to prove yourself | 12. go out in the evening with colleagues |
| 5. be able to work on your own | 13. love your job |
| 6. be decisive | 14. make sure it's right |
| 7. be energetic. | 15. show initiative |
| 8. be good-looking | |

C) **Number** the sentences (a – h) in the audio. Then guess the meaning of the words in blue by matching the definition. **Write the letter in the square.**

a. I got involved with that. ()	a small amount ☐
b. They all keep an eye on what I'm doing. ()	small little parts of engines and things like that ☐
c. He did a little bit himself. ()	He's always liked it a lot. ☐
d. ... to find out how I was getting on . ()	do the smallest amount of work ☐
e. It still comes down to you . ()	it's your responsibility ☐
f. ... if you sit there and just do the minimum . ()	started to do a lot of it (and liked it) ☐
g. He's always working on cars and bits and pieces . ()	look at/watch ☐
h. He's always been really keen on engineering. ()	how I was managing the job ☐