

Spotlight 8, module 3b

Name _____

1 Match the questions with their responses.

1 Does Sam work in an office?	a He's a graphic designer,
2 Do you have a part-time job?	b No. He works as a freelancer from
3 Did your dad get a promotion?	home.
4 What does Tony do for a living?	c For two years,
5 How long has she been working for this company?	d I'm afraid he didn't.
6 How are things at work?	e The same as ever,
7 How does she like her job as a nurse?	f Really? What happened?
8 Did you hear that Joe lost his job?	g No, I work 9-5 Monday to Friday,
9 What exactly does her work as an operator involve?	h She connects telephone calls at a
	telephone exchange,
	i She hates working the night shift.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9

2 Choose the correct response.

1 A: We've just heard that David lost his job.
B:
a That's too bad.
b The money's great.

2 A: How long has your brother been out of work?
B:
a The same as ever,
b For two months.

3 A: Guess what! I got a scholarship.

B:

- a That's fantastic,
- b Really? That's too bad.

4 A: I've got some good news. I got a pay rise.

B:

- a That's great! Well done!
- b Oh, no.

5 A: I'm going to start my new job next week.

B:

- a Wow! That's brilliant!
- b Really? You must be very upset.

3 Use the phrases to complete the dialogues: • full training • personal assistant

• tough deadlines • previous experience

- Why do you need a 1) _____?
- Because we have some 2) _____ to meet and we need extra help.
- I'm afraid I have no 3) _____ in this field of work.
- Don't worry. Our company offers 4) _____ to everyone.

Open the brackets and use the right form of the verb: *past simple, past perfect, past perfect continuous*.

1. He _____ (to drive) a car for three hours when he _____ (reach) the airport.
2. We _____ (to pack) already all our bags when they _____ (to phone) us.
3. It _____ (to snow) for hours and no plane was able to take off.
4. Our guide _____ (to organize) our trip before we _____ (to talk) to him.

5. She _____ (to wash up) after her mother
_____ (to come) home.

6. They _____ (to look) forward to this holiday for many years
before they _____ (to manage) to find it.

7. Mark _____ (already / to be) to Africa twice before he
_____ (to get) married.

8. We _____ (to book) our flights weeks before we
_____ (to leave).

9. The scientist _____ (to prepare) the article for two hours
before midnight.

10. I _____ (to cook) breakfast by 5 o'clock.