

THE WORLD OF WORK – JOB RELATED VOCABULARY

A. Define the given words:

- ❖ Career _____
- ❖ To make a living _____
- ❖ Sick pay _____
- ❖ Flexitime work _____
- ❖ Job cuts _____

B. Insert the given words into the sentence gaps. Four words will be left.

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| job cuts | turnover of staff | to moonlight | to fire | promotion | job satisfaction |
| profession | overtime pay | skills | to hire | taxes | retire |
| trade | company perks | breadwinner | valuable | salary | gross wages |

- 1) There is no _____ in our company, everyone is very satisfied and is not planning to leave this well-paid job.
- 2) He is very rich, and he doesn't even need all these _____, he has his own 2 cars and his brother owns a sports center. Plus, he has 3 mobile phones.
- 3) Do you think that this information is _____? I think that we cannot use it in future.
- 4) People have to pay _____.
- 5) What _____ are required for this job? Well, you have to type and know how to use a computer.
- 6) I don't believe that this firm has so many _____. It has always been so wealthy!
- 7) His _____ is very interesting. I love when people make things with their own hands.
- 8) Nowadays, lawyer is a very important and prestigious _____.
- 9) After doing a survey at this company, the committee concluded that general _____ is very low.
- 10) A lot of people work extra hours and don't get any _____.
- 11) What age do you plan to _____?
- 12) His boss _____ him when he sold very secret information to other company.
- 13) It's not polite to ask people what their _____ is.
- 14) At the period of the world crisis a lot of people try to _____ whenever it is possible just to feed their children.

C. Write the names for the given definitions.

- 1) An individual piece of work or task, a duty; what you do to earn your living especially if you work for someone else. _____
- 2) A period of paid absence from work for a woman during the months immediately before and after childbirth. _____
- 3) Payment in return for work or services, esp. that made to workmen on a daily, hourly, weekly basis.

- 4) Advancement in rank. _____
- 5) A person who earns money with intellectual work. _____
- 6) A form used to apply for a job. _____
- 7) A feeling or opinion about something or someone; a mental position with regard to a state.

- 8) The ability to do an activity or job well, especially because you have practiced it.

- 9) A self-employed person, esp. a writer or artist, who is not employed continuously but hired to do specific assignments. _____