

UNIT 2

Jobs

LESSON A

ENJOY YOUR WORK



1. DISCUSS THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS WITH YOUR PARTNERS.



- Do you work?
- What do you do in your work?
- Do you enjoy your work or you just do it for money?



2. READ THE FOLLOWING STATEMENTS AND CHECK THE MEANING OF THE WORDS IN BOLD IN A DICTIONARY. THEN LISTEN AND REPEAT.



- ☐ 1. It's good to be **employed** but, it isn't a problem if you're **unemployed**.
- ☐ 2. A good **salary** is more important than an interesting job.
- ☐ 3. It's good **to get on** with your **colleagues** but if you don't, that's OK.
- ☐ 4. **Experience** in a job is more important than **qualifications**.
- ☐ 5. People with qualifications **earn** more money than other people.
- ☐ 6. Your **boss** is one of the most important people in your life.
- ☐ 7. Most people would like to be **self-employed**.



3. TICK THE STATEMENTS FROM THE LAST EXERCISE THAT YOU AGREED WITH.



4. READ THESE SENTENCES. CHOOSE THE CORRECT MEANINGS OF THE WORDS IN BOLD.

1. Amelia works hard and she knows what to do. She has a lot of **confidence**.

- ☐ belief that you are able to do something well.
- ☐ time to stop any project.

2. The boss will decide what to do about the problem with a technology **consultant**.

- ☐ relative or family member who gives comfort.
- ☐ an expert who gives advice.

3. All the news programs **forecast** an increase in jobs for young people.

- ☐ predict or say what is likely to happen.
- ☐ wish or hope that something happens.

4. My first day in the job was **frightening**. I didn't understand what to do.

- ☐ makes you feel tired and sleepy.
- ☐ makes you feel afraid.

5. Karen has a **passion** for Mexican history. She has about 20 books on the subject.

- ☐ strong interest or enthusiasm.
- ☐ pain or fear.

6. There are several **colleagues** in my office who have much more experience

- ☐ person part of your family.
- ☐ person who has the same profession as you.

7. Tomorrow will be **stressful** because I have to give two presentations.

- ☐ interesting and satisfying.
- ☐ worrying and full of pressure.

