

**1. Read the short text below and fill in the gaps with the words given to you.**

was employed worker workmates staff on strike employer fired unemployed

Grace was the first woman pilot who \_\_\_\_\_ by a commercial airline. She has always been a dedicated \_\_\_\_\_, and her \_\_\_\_\_ also liked her, because she was kind and helpful all the time. When the \_\_\_\_\_ of her airline decided to go \_\_\_\_\_, she was the first to join. Her \_\_\_\_\_ became really angry and they \_\_\_\_\_ her. So Grace became \_\_\_\_\_.

**2. Complete the text by writing one word only in each gap.**

**SHOCKING NEWS:  
STUDENTS WANT TO TEACH!**

Teachers may feel underpaid and unappreciated, but, judging from the results of a recent career survey, they're inspiring \_\_\_\_\_ very tough crowd: teenagers.

The survey found that teaching is a top career choice for teenagers, ranking as high \_\_\_\_\_ doctor – a frequent favourite - and just above lawyer – another popular choice. The survey was based on responses from more \_\_\_\_\_ 1,000 people \_\_\_\_\_ were aged from 13 to 17. The question asked was, 'What kind of work \_\_\_\_\_ you think you will do for a career?' The teenagers were asked \_\_\_\_\_ give their top three choices. The other top ten choices included sports, science, architecture, business, the military, engineering and nursing.

Results have always differed between girls and boys. For example, a military career \_\_\_\_\_ never been a top-ten choice among girls, but it's often popular with boys. \_\_\_\_\_ the other hand, nursing is usually a popular choice with girls, but has never made the top ten with boys.

**3. Choose from the words below to complete the text about jobs and work.**

assistant office holidays • stressful qualified unskilled  
highly skilled promotion training manual pension •  
skilled commute • white-collar

Traditionally, jobs have been divided into two types, based on the clothing people wore to do their work: blue-collar jobs in factories and '\_\_\_\_\_ jobs in offices. These days, we usually refer to the two types as \_\_\_\_\_ jobs and '\_\_\_\_\_ jobs respectively. Some jobs are '\_\_\_\_\_ : anyone can do these jobs, without being trained. Most jobs, however, are \_\_\_\_\_ and many jobs are '\_\_\_\_\_. If you get a certificate, diploma or degree, then you will be '\_\_\_\_\_. Because many jobs are very specialised, you will receive '\_\_\_\_\_ to help you do the job. Although you will probably start as an '\_\_\_\_\_, you can hope to get a \_\_\_\_\_ after a while. If you have to \_\_\_\_\_ a long way to work, you may find it \_\_\_\_\_. On the other hand, if you can take long \_\_\_\_\_ and your company provides you with a good \_\_\_\_\_ plan, you may feel glad to have your job.