

Listen to the audio as many times as you need to, and then fill in the blanks.

People are working to an _____ age in Britain. The _____ of 70-74 year-old people who work has doubled in the _____ decade. _____ 10 percent of British people in their _____ 70s are now working. It is the _____ figure since records _____. The British _____ says just _____ a quarter of a _____ 70-74-year-olds _____ have jobs. In 2005, there _____ around 100,000 of them. The government said _____ are working to an older age and are _____ to _____ later. A labor union spokesperson _____ the _____ for people working in their old age is because the _____ pensions in Britain are _____ more _____ to live on. _____ older people have to _____ and delay retirement to be able to _____.

_____ spokesman Frances O'Grady said: "The last _____ has seen [big] _____ in the labor _____, with far more people working beyond retirement _____. While there are plenty who _____ remaining in work, many need to earn _____ cash because they cannot _____ to retire." He added that: "We need decent jobs and pensions for _____ so that people can make a genuine _____ about whether they _____ in work." A spokesman for small _____, John Allan, said _____ older people were _____ their own businesses. He said: "More and more

older people are [deciding on] a _____ change later in _____ and are starting _____ their
_____ businesses, pursuing something they may have _____ of doing for years."