JOBS AND ACTIVITIES

Read professional profiles A–D and answer the questions.

A



JACKIE DEAN

- receptionist
- employed
- part-time

B



MARK BANFORD

- electrician
- unemployed
- looking for work with regular hours

C



JACK RICHARDS

- novelist
- self-employed

D



KAREN WOODS

- businesswoman
- company director
- employed
- full-time

1. Which person works a few hours every day? [ ]
2. Which person doesn't have a job? [ ]
3. Which person has their own business? [ ]
4. Which person would like a job working eight hours every day? [ ]
5. Which person is a boss? [ ]

› Match the jobs below with questions 1–10.

accountant surgeon counsellor beautician executive nanny
sales representative architect editor presenter

Which person ...?

1. gives advice to people with problems
2. designs buildings
3. looks after a company's money
4. operates on people in hospital
5. prepares books or newspapers for publication
6. introduces people and shows on TV
7. looks after other people's young children
8. sells and advertises products
9. manages a company
10. gives beauty treatments

LIVEWORKSHEETS

› Write the names of jobs, using the suffixes in the table below.
Add another job to each column.

politic- journal- physic- dent- technic- instruct-
headhunt- librar- scient- soldi- teach-

-er / -or	-ist	-ian
programmer	chemist	comedian

Work adjectives/collocations / Przymiotniki i zwroty związane z pracą

badly paid / kiepsko płatny
be in charge of sth / być odpowiedzialnym za coś, zarządzać czymś
change jobs / zmieniać pracę
deal with clients / obsługiwać klientów
earn a good salary / dobrze zarabiać, dostawać niezłą pensję
employed / zatrudniony
full-time / na cały etat
get promotion / dostawać awans
have promotion opportunities / mieć możliwość awansu
involve responsibility / wymagać odpowiedzialności, wiązać się z odpowiedzialnością
part-time / na pół etatu
quit your job /odejść z pracy, rzucić pracę
self-employed / posiadający własną działalność gospodarczą
stressful / stresujący
unemployed / bezrobotny
work outside/in a team / pracować na zewnątrz / w zespole
work overtime / pracować po godzinach

› Which jobs ...?

- are often **stressful**
- are sometimes **badly paid**
- involve **responsibility**
- have good **promotion opportunities**
- involve **dealing with clients**
- involve **working outside**

› Listen to four people talking about why they like their work. What do they do?

1
2
3
4

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› Match the parts of the sentences.

1. My dad **works**	a. **jobs** frequently to progress in their careers.
2. If you **get**	b. **her job** as a beautician after only two weeks.
3. You have to be able to **work**	c. **in a team** to get the best results.
4. My sister **quit**	d. **a good salary** as a doctor.
5. Some people **change**	e. **promotion**, it increases your motivation.
6. My mum **earns**	f. **overtime** on Fridays, and gets home very late.

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