Working Life

Words and collocations

1. Put the words in the right column to make up collocations

Work for	Work in

oneself, banking, Microsoft, one's brother, oil company, marketing

2. Put the words in the right column

Do	Work	Be	Get

shifts, long hours, badly paid, low wages, overtime, high salary, a pay rise, a bonus, few days off, self-employed, flexible hours, regular office hours, an average salary, paid holiday,

3. Fill in the gaps with the words *job* or *work*.

What's your_____, Peter? = What do you do for a living?
A woman's _____is never done.
If a _____is worth doing it is worth doing well.
I start_____ at 8 o'clock every morning.
It took me an hour to get home from_____.
My brother has found a good _____as a sales manager at Vodafone.
I **go to**_____ by bus.

I often have to take _____ home with me.

4. Change the definitions for the corresponding phrasal verbs.
Make up sentences of your oun with the phrasal verbs

	get rid of
	stop using
	find a satisfactory way of doing something
	discover
	start a business/organization
	summarise

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5. Put the parts of the words into the right column to make up names of professions

-er	-or	-ian	-ist	-ant

Build, flight attendant, reception, account, hairdress, scient, doct, shop assist, politic, electric, swimming instruct, plumb, design, translat, veterinar, music, pharmac, meteorolog, journal, programm

6. Write a few sentences about what job you would never like to do and say, why