FOLLOW UP: JOBS AND OCCUPATIONS

Collocations and Expressions:

A Choose the answer you consider correct:

1 If you **work shifts** you work _____.
a part time.
b either during day or night.

2 When a company **lays off** workers, it _____.
a makes staff redundant.
b hires more staff.

3 When companies **launch a new product,** they _____.
a withdraw a new product from the market.
b make a new product available for the public.

4 If you **reject an offer,** you _____.
a decide the offer is not important enough for you to consider.
b decide to accept it because it is a goo offer.

5 If you need to **take on staff**, you _____.
a need more staff to complete the work you have.
b need less staff to complete the work you have.

6 When you **get the sack**, you _____.
a are told you've got a promotion.
b are told to leave your job.

B Complete the sentences using the collocations from A in the correct form:

1 John will _____ if he keeps on being late everyday.

2 When companies _____, they always hope it will sell well.

3 We desperately need to _____ if we are going to meet these deadlines.

4 The largest factory in the area is goin to _____ half its employees.

5 Never _____ until you have thought it through properly.

6 Dad _____ - sometimes he works from 10 pm to 6 am and sometimes from 6 am to 2 pm.

Prepositions:

Complete using the following prepositions:

about - at - by - for - in - of - on - to -with

a We must find a solution ____ the staffing problem ____ all costs.

b You can't blame me ____ the company being ____ debt!

c The company will provide you ____ a special uniform.

d He's been out ____ work for years. ____ fact, he hasn't got a job since 2016

e ____ my opinion, people who don't get to work ____ time don't care ____ their jobs.

f You must try hard if you want to succeed ____ reaching the top ____ your chosen career.

g ____ behalf of my colleagues, I would like to congratulate you ____ your promotion ____ manager.

SPEAKING!

Use the expression and collocations of today's lesson and express some differences and similarities between the American, British and Argentine working styles.

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