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Vocabulary

Work and jobs

1 ● Look at the photos and complete the words for jobs.



1 plumber



2 m _____



3 p _____ t _____



4 c _____



5 f _____ a _____



6 i _____



7 l _____



8 s _____ a _____



9 f _____ d _____

2 ● ● Match the descriptions with the jobs below.

app developer blogger engineer fashion designer
freelance journalist interpreter lab assistant
music critic psychologist travel-agent

I organise people's summer holidays for them.

1 travel agent

I write posts online about my experiences.

2 _____

I design and create trendy new clothes.

3 _____

I write games and programs for mobile phones.

4 _____

I write articles for different newspapers and news websites.

5 _____

I listen to a lot of new music and write reviews.

6 _____

I help my boss at work – she's a scientist.

7 _____

I design and build roads and bridges.

8 _____

I help people with their mental health.

9 _____

I translate what people are saying in real time.

10 _____

3 ● WORD FRIENDS Match the sentence halves.

- 1 ☒ I'd like to do
 - 2 ☐ Have you heard about Jack? He got
 - 3 ☐ It's great to be part
 - 4 ☐ Before you start looking for jobs, you need to write
 - 5 ☐ Successful app developers can earn a
 - 6 ☐ My uncle isn't working at the moment. He's
- a of a team in my job. I learn a lot from my colleagues.
 - b good salary.
 - c a CV.
 - d ~~some voluntary work this summer.~~
 - e fired for being rude to a customer!
 - f unemployed.

4 ● Choose the correct option.

My brother's new job

When my brother finished university, the first thing he did was ¹write / make his CV. One day he saw an advert for a job he liked, so he decided to ²look / apply for it. The company liked his CV and they asked him to come in and ³meet / have an interview. A week later, they phoned him and told him he was successful. They asked him to come back the next day to ⁴get / sign a contract and ⁵meet / give his colleagues. He's been there a week now and really enjoys it. They said that if he works hard, he'll ⁶apply for / get a promotion!

5 ● Choose the correct answer.

- 1 My boss told me that I'm going to get a pay ____ next month!
a up b rate ☒ c rise
- 2 My cousin has a really ____-paid job in the city.
a good b well c hourly
- 3 We have flexible working ____ here, so you can choose when to start in the morning.
a overtime b hours c holidays
- 4 If you have any questions, just ask any member of ____.
a staff b colleagues c job
- 5 We can offer a good hourly ____ to the right person.
a pay b rate c price
- 6 In this job, you'll get four weeks' paid ____ a year.
a holiday b bonus c hours

I can talk about jobs and work.

6 ● Complete the sentences with the words below. There are three extra words.

contract electrician flexible flight freelance
has overtime programmer quit rate
temporary time trainer

- 1 My dad loves his job as an electrician, and the hourly ____ is good too.
- 2 My sister's just started working as a computer ____ in a tech company. She's on a trial at the moment, but she's hoping to get a permanent ____ soon.
- 3 Judy ____ her job last year to become a ____ journalist.
- 4 My mum is a ____ attendant and she has to work a lot of _____. Sometimes I don't see her for three days!
- 5 My friend ____ an interview tomorrow for a job as a personal _____.

7 ● Complete the words in the text.

Living your dreams

My cousin works as a computer ¹programmer in a big company. It's a ²w____ - p____ job and he ³e____ a good salary. He has ⁴f____ working hours, so he can choose what time to start work each day. There are also quite generous ⁵p____ holidays. He works hard and recently he got a ⁶p____. He got a bigger office and a big pay ⁷r____, but now he has to work lots of ⁸o____ - sometimes he doesn't finish work till 9 p.m.

He says he isn't happy, though, and is thinking about giving ⁹u____ this job. He wants to work in the music industry - he's always dreamed of becoming a music ¹⁰c____. He's determined to follow his dream. He even joked once that he wants to get ¹¹f____ so he can go and apply ¹²f____ the job of his dreams!