2.4 HOW TO BE SUCCESSFUL



1 LISTENING

A 2.01 **Listen to the podcast. Circle the correct answers.**

1 What does Ada do after breakfast?
a She calls clients. **b** She writes stories. **c** She uses her computer.

2 Why does she like her workspace?
a It has a big table. **b** She can make lots of coffee.
c There is a lot of light.

3 How does she work?
a on her laptop **b** on her tablet **c** with pen and paper

4 What is the interview about?
a being successful **b** daily habits **c** fame and fortune

B 2.01 LISTEN FOR DETAIL **Listen to the podcast again. Match the columns to complete the sentences.**

1	Ada usually	____	**a** after she writes down her ideas.
2	The room where she works	____	**b** plans a new book.
3	She writes new notes	____	**c** writes more than 1,000 words a day.
4	She never	____	**d** is her favorite place in the house.
5	She uses her computer	____	**e** on paper.

2 READING

A **Read the magazine article. Circle the correct answers to complete the sentences.**

Lessons In Life

Damian Brand offers four lessons to help you with your career choices.

There is a famous quotation by American inventor and businessman Thomas Alva Edison (1847–1931): "Genius is 1% inspiration and 99% perspiration." So, lesson number one: if you want something in life, you need to work really hard for it.

Lesson in life number two: do what you love. If your job is about something you really like, you have a very good start. I believe that people who work hard are people who usually love their jobs.

Lesson number three: know what you want to achieve and how you can achieve it. My advice is to make a list of goals and practical things you can do to achieve them.

Lesson four: believe in your talents, and don't give up. It's easy to think that employers don't want you or what you can do. But your big break is just around the corner …

1 This article says that success is *easy / hard* work.
2 It helps if you *enjoy / don't like* what you do.
3 Goals *help / invite* you to be successful.
4 Don't stop *working / playing*.

LIVEWORKSHEETS

B **Read the article again. Circle the correct answers.**

1 What does Thomas Edison's quotation mean? It means it's important to …

a have talent. **b** work hard. **c** have talent and work hard.

2 Why does Damian think that people work hard? Because they …

a don't have a choice. **b** love their jobs. **c** make a lot of money.

3 What is Damian's advice about career goals?

a Have goals you can achieve. **b** Make a list of jobs you want. **c** Have big dreams.

3 WRITING

A **Read the following statements. Give your opinion about them using the phrases in the box.**

another example	for example	I don't believe	like all others	very interesting

1 All famous businesspeople are successful.

I don't believe all famous businesspeople are successful. For example …

2 All successful people are very organized.

3 Successful people play sports and have interesting habits.

4 You need to earn a lot of money to become successful.

5 Success is about having a lot of people work for you.

B **Write a blog entry about your daily habits and how you think they help you become a successful person. Include as many examples as possible.**

CHECK AND REVIEW

Read the statements. Can you do these things?

UNIT 2	Mark the boxes. ☑ I can do it. ? I am not sure. I can …	If you are not sure, go back to these pages in the Student's Book.
VOCABULARY	☐ use expressions with *do*, *have*, and *make*.	page 12
	☐ name work and study items.	page 14
GRAMMAR	☐ use the simple present to describe habits and routines.	page 13
	☐ use *this* / *that one*; *these* / *those ones* to talk about objects near and far.	page 15
FUNCTIONAL LANGUAGE	☐ talk about communication problems.	page 16
	☐ ask someone to repeat something.	page 17
SKILLS	☐ write my opinion of a podcast.	page 19
	☐ use correct spelling.	page 19

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