

## 05 WORKING LIFE

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### WATCH

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A Watch the video. Tick the words or phrases that you hear.

deal with	<input type="checkbox"/>	sort out	<input type="checkbox"/>
develop	<input type="checkbox"/>	varied	<input type="checkbox"/>
well-paid	<input type="checkbox"/>	in charge of	<input type="checkbox"/>
insecure	<input type="checkbox"/>	care of	<input type="checkbox"/>
stressful	<input type="checkbox"/>	pressure	<input type="checkbox"/>

B Compare your ideas with a partner.

C Look at the video script. What are the missing words?

D Watch again and check your answers.

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### PRACTISE PRONUNCIATION

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A Practise the conversation in pairs.

B Which words or phrases are difficult for you? Tell a partner.

C Watch again and listen to the words / phrases that are difficult to say.  
Ask your teacher to stop the video.  
Repeat the word(s) / phrases.

D In pairs, practise reading the dialogue again.

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### KARAOKE

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Watch the karaoke version and look at the video script. Act out the karaoke lines in *italics*.

## VIDEO SCRIPT

Yvonne *I deal with a lot of different people and help them sell something. It's very ...*  
 Nicholas *OK, I know what it is!*  
 Yvonne *Too quick! Wait. <sup>1</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ the language and then you can guess.*  
 Nicholas *OK.*  
 Yvonne *So, anyway, it's very competitive, because there are a lot of other people doing the same job. If you make enough sales it can be well-paid, but <sup>2</sup> \_\_\_\_\_, it's quite competitive so you don't always and it <sup>3</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. Sometimes it's very difficult. Also, often the clients are very stressed so it's stressful for me. I'm also <sup>4</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ sorting out contracts and dealing with lawyers ...*  
 Nicholas *Can I guess now?*  
 Yvonne *No, <sup>5</sup> \_\_\_\_\_. I'm in the office quite a lot, but I also take clients out, so it's all quite varied.*  
 Nicholas *It's a ...*  
 Yvonne *Wait! Although <sup>6</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ a bit boring if no-one wants to buy or sell, because of the economy.*  
 Nicholas *Now?*  
 Yvonne *Yes.*  
 Nicholas *You're in sales!*  
 Yvonne *<sup>7</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ ! What kind?*  
 Nicholas *You're a sales rep!*  
 Yvonne *No!*  
 Nicholas *What do you mean, no? You sell things.*  
 Yvonne *Well, yes – for people! A special thing.*  
 Nicholas *I've no idea. <sup>8</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ !*  
 Yvonne *I'm an estate agent. Duh!*  
 Nicholas *OK, my turn. OK? I care for people who are dying. <sup>9</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ medicine. I work in a hospital. It's <sup>10</sup> \_\_\_\_\_ and quite stressful. And I work under pressure. And it's well-paid. And I cut people open.*  
 Yvonne *OK. I think I can guess that one! You're a surgeon.*  
 Nicholas *OK. Your turn.*