

TA12. U9. Career path. Vocabulary 2

1. automate (v): /'ɔ:təmeɪt/ - tự động hóa	12. look down on (phr.v): /lʊk daʊn ɒn/ - coi thường người khác, cho rằng mình hơn người
2. adapt (v): /ə'dæpt/ - thay đổi cho phù hợp, thích ứng theo, thích nghi	13. obsolete (adj): /'ɒbsəli:t/ - lỗi thời, không còn được sử dụng, không thịnh hành
3. character (n): /'kærɪktər/ - phẩm chất, đặc điểm tính cách	14. passion (n): /'pæʃən/ - niềm đam mê, say mê
4. childminder (n): /'tʃaɪld maɪndər/ - người trông trẻ	15. passionate (adj): /'pæʃənət/ - có niềm đam mê với/dành cho
5. cut down on (phr.v): /kʌt daʊn ɒn/ - cắt giảm, giảm bớt	16. position (n): /pə'zɪʃən/ - vị trí việc làm
6. CV (curriculum vitae) (n): /,si:'vi:/ - sơ yếu lý lịch	17. pursue (v): /pə'sju:/ - theo đuổi
7. fascinating (adj): /'fæsɪneɪtɪŋ/ - cực kỳ thú vị và hấp dẫn	18. put up with (phr.v): /'pʊt ʌp wɪð/ - chịu đựng
8. in demand (adj): /ɪn dɪ'mɑ:nd/ - có nhu cầu; được mọi người mong muốn	19. soft skills (n): /sɒft skɪlz/ - các kỹ năng mềm
9. get on with (phr.v): /get ɒn wɪð/ - hòa hợp với, có mối quan hệ tốt với	20. specialty (n): /'speʃəlti/ - chuyên ngành
10. go in for (phr.v): /gəʊ ɪn fɔ:/ - đam mê, theo đuổi một sở thích	21. take into account (phr.v): /teɪk 'ɪntu: ə'kaʊnt/ - cân nhắc, xem xét
11. live up to (phr.v): /lɪv ʌp tə/ - làm theo sự mong muốn, kỳ vọng của ai đó	22. tutor (n): /'tju:tər/ - gia sư, giáo viên dạy kèm nhóm học sinh
	23. work experience (n): /wɜ:k ɪks'piəriəns/ - kinh nghiệm làm việc

Exercise 1: Multiple Choice Questions

- What does it mean to "automate" a process?
 - To make it more complicated
 - To remove manual work and use machines or technology
 - To outsource the work to another company
 - To delay the process
- Which of the following best describes a "childminder"?
 - A person who gives medical advice to children
 - A person who takes care of children while their parents are away
 - A teacher in a preschool
 - A person who works with children in hospitals
- If someone "adapts" to a new environment, they:
 - Ignore the changes happening around them
 - Reject the changes
 - Change their behavior to fit the new conditions
 - Do nothing and continue as before
- Which of the following is a "passion"?
 - An interest that you dislike
 - A job you do only for money

- C. Something you enjoy and feel excited about
 - D. A skill you want to forget
5. "Cutting down on" sugar means:
- A. Increasing your sugar intake
 - B. Reducing the amount of sugar you consume
 - C. Completely eliminating sugar
 - D. Not changing your sugar intake
6. What does it mean if a job is "in demand"?
- A. There is no interest in the job
 - B. The job is only available in certain regions
 - C. The job is very easy to get
 - D. People are actively looking for this job
7. What is a "CV" used for?
- A. To document your work experience and qualifications
 - B. To send messages to employers
 - C. To list your favorite hobbies
 - D. To describe your personal interests
8. A "fascinating" subject is:
- A. Boring
 - B. Extremely interesting
 - C. Hard to understand
 - D. Unrelated to your work
9. If someone "gets on with" their colleagues, it means:
- A. They have a difficult relationship with them
 - B. They avoid interacting with them
 - C. They have a good working relationship
 - D. They do not communicate with them
10. What does "go in for" a hobby mean?
- A. To give up on a hobby
 - B. To participate in a hobby or activity
 - C. To criticize a hobby
 - D. To organize a hobby event
11. If you "live up to" someone's expectations, you:
- A. Fail to meet their hopes
 - B. Exceed their expectations
 - C. Ignore their expectations
 - D. Meet their hopes and standards
12. What does it mean if you "look down on" someone?
- A. You respect them
 - B. You think you are better than them
 - C. You have a good relationship with them
 - D. You admire their work

13. What is an "obsolete" technology?
- A. One that is old and no longer used
 - B. One that is still very useful
 - C. One that is in high demand
 - D. One that is difficult to understand
14. A "soft skill" is:
- A. A personality trait or interpersonal skill
 - B. A technical skill
 - C. A knowledge-based skill
 - D. A skill that only involves physical strength
15. What does "take into account" mean when making a decision?
- A. To ignore some factors
 - B. To focus on one aspect only
 - C. To consider all relevant factors
 - D. To make a decision quickly without thinking

Exercise 2: Fill in the blanks with the correct phrase from the list:

(automate, adapt, character, childminder, cut down on, CV, fascinating, in demand, get on with, go in for, live up to, look down on, obsolete, passion, passionate, position)

1. To succeed in today's job market, you must _____ to the rapid changes in technology.
2. Many employers require a detailed _____ to understand your qualifications and experience.
3. My uncle has a real _____ for sports, especially football, and he plays every weekend.
4. This is a very _____ documentary on wildlife; I couldn't stop watching it!
5. I really enjoy my work, and I am _____ about helping people with their problems.
6. My mother is a _____, and she looks after my little brother when I am at school.
7. The new software will _____ many of our manual processes, saving time and reducing errors.
8. It's important to _____ unhealthy foods if you want to improve your health.
9. I don't _____ people who think they're better than others because of their wealth.
10. I've always wanted to _____ photography as a hobby.
11. After working hard for years, he finally managed to _____ his mentor's expectations.
12. The role of a _____ requires excellent communication and organizational skills.
13. Some of the machines in the factory are becoming _____ and need to be replaced with more modern equipment.
14. The job is very _____, and there are many people applying for it.
15. If you _____ your colleagues, you are more likely to have a harmonious work environment.