

Work and employment

Develop your vocabulary skills using the analysed words from the previous English lesson "Looking for a job".

Use online dictionaries (e.g. **Cambridge Dictionary**) to see the meaning of these words and translate if necessary.

look	satisfying	shift	low-paid	resign	hard	job	apply	unpleasant	salary
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1. Complete the situations below with the correct words from the box. You do not need to change the forms.

1. If you want to be successful in your career, you need to work _____ and stay focused even when things get difficult.
2. My aunt is a nurse, and she often has to work _____ during the night, which makes it hard for her to spend time with her family.
3. After graduating from university, I plan to _____ for a position in marketing that matches my skills and interests.
4. He decided to _____ from his old company because he was offered a better opportunity at a bigger firm.
5. Many young people _____ for their first job online using websites like Indeed or LinkedIn.
6. The company offers a very high _____, so it's no surprise that many people want to work there.
7. Some factory workers earn very little money because their jobs are _____ and don't require many qualifications.
8. Working as a teacher can be very _____, especially when you see your students improve and succeed.
9. Collecting garbage is often seen as an _____ job, but it's an important one that keeps cities clean.
10. My dream _____ is to become a video game designer because I love technology and creativity.

Here's another list with some useful words from the "Work words". Check them first and then move on with the task.

remote	intern	run	fired	profession	through	leave	temporary	colleagues	retired
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2. Read the text and fill in the text with the missing words from the table. You do not need to change the forms.

When I finished university, I wanted to choose a ¹ _____ that would let me help people and use my creativity. I decided to study graphic design because it combines art and technology. At first, I worked as an ² _____ at a small advertising agency, where I learned how to design posters and logos. Even though the pay was low, the experience helped me understand what it means to be part of a creative team.

After a few months, the company hired me as a ³ _____ employee to help with a big project. During that time, I also tried ⁴ _____ work for the first time. Working from home was convenient, but I sometimes missed chatting with my ⁵ _____ in the office. Once, I had to take sick ⁶ _____ for a week because I caught the flu, and I realized how important it is to rest and take care of your health.

Now I dream of becoming independent and learning how to ⁷ _____ a business of my own. My grandfather, who is ⁸ _____, always tells me that success doesn't come easily — you have to work ⁹ _____ challenges and stay patient. He also reminds me to treat my employees fairly because nobody likes to be ¹⁰ _____ unfairly. His advice motivates me to keep improving and to build a career I can be proud of.