

Unit
8

Learning & Earning



Let's practise!

A

Complete the sentences using the correct job title from the box.

travel agent
security guardtaxi driver
librarianmarine biologist
chefcaptain
personal trainer

1. A _____ leads the crew on a ship and makes important decisions during a voyage.
2. A _____ studies sea life and collects samples from the ocean for research.
3. A _____ helps people plan holidays and book flights or hotels.
4. A _____ designs fitness programmes and guides clients through safe exercises.
5. A _____ cooks meals in a restaurant and creates new dishes for customers.
6. A _____ protects buildings and checks who enters or leaves them.
7. A _____ manages books and digital materials, helping people find information.
8. A _____ drives passengers around the city and knows the best routes.

B

Complete the sentences with the correct word or phrase from the box.

work indoors work outdoors work part-time work full-time work shifts
work regular hours wear a uniform at work wear casual clothes at work

1. Emily is a gardener. She spends most of her day in the park planting flowers and trimming trees.
She works _____.
2. Taddy is an office manager who spends his working hours in a high-rise building. He always _____.
3. Chloe is a university student who also works at a café for 20 hours a week. She prefers to _____ to have time for her studies.
4. Ben is a doctor at a hospital. His schedule changes weekly; sometimes he works overnight, and other times during the day. He has to _____.
5. Mia is an engineer with a steady 9-to-5 timetable. She likes having weekends free because she _____.
6. Daniel works for a delivery company where employees must wear a specific branded outfit. He must _____.
7. Sarah is a graphic designer in a creative agency with no strict dress rules. She usually _____.
8. Olivia is a banker who has a permanent contract and works 40 hours every week. She _____.



Write the correct job name for each definition.

farmer

receptionist

singer

director

cleaner

journalist

sailor

photographer

1. a person who writes articles and reports news for newspapers or magazines
2. a person who greets and assists visitors at the front desk of a building or office
3. a person who travels and works on a ship at sea
4. a person who manages and directs the making of a film or play
5. a person who takes photos as a profession
6. a person whose job is to clean rooms or buildings
7. a person who grows food or keeps animals on a farm
8. a person who sings and performs songs for audiences



Match the conversations properly.

1. I hear you're working as a software engineer now.



2. What do you have to do there?



3. What do you like best about it?



4. I guess you like it, don't you?



5. What qualifications did they ask for?



6. I hear you're working as a restaurant manager.



7. What are your main responsibilities?



8. Aside from the salary, what makes you stay?



• A. I really love the people I work with; everyone is so friendly and helpful.

• B. You heard right. I'm working for a big tech company in Bangkok.

• C. One of the main problems is the long working hours, so I get tired easily.

• D. I also need to ensure that all the customers are happy with their meals.

• E. I'm responsible for designing new mobile applications and fixing bugs.

• F. I also like the fact that I get free health insurance and a gym membership.

• G. I needed to have a driver's license, but it wasn't necessary to have your own car.

• H. You heard right. I'm running a small Italian restaurant downtown.