

Practical Task n° 1

Listening

## A job interview



**1- Before you listen, think about these questions:**

How do you feel about interviews? Are you good at them?

When was your last interview? What was it for? How did it go?

**2- Listen to Rachel having a job interview, and choose the correct answer.**

1- Where is Rachel working now?

2- Which part of the hospital does she work in?

3- Why is she looking for a new job?

**3- Drag and drop : Complete the sentences using the words below.**

APPLYING FOR - LECTURES - NIGHT SHIFT - FULLY- QUALIFIED - PART TIME -  
REWARDING

1- Are you a \_\_\_\_\_ scrub nurse?

2- At the moment I'm doing a \_\_\_\_\_ course and working at the same time.

3- it's hard, especially when I'm working a \_\_\_\_\_ and going to \_\_\_\_\_ next day.

4- ...it's the contact with the patient that's most \_\_\_\_\_.

5- Why are you \_\_\_\_\_ a new job?

## Language spot: Present Simple VS Present Continuous

### 4-Match

We use the Present Simple to talk about routines, duties, and things that happen all the time

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We use the Present Continuous to talk about things we are doing at the moment, or things that are happening now. It is also used to talk about future schedules.

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- At the moment I'm doing a part-time job.
- A midwife delivers babies.
- Do anaesthetists deliver babies?
- A surgeon doesn't drive an ambulance.
- I am not working nights next week.
- Are you preparing for the exams?

5-Read this student nurse's email home to her friend. Choose the correct verb forms to complete it.

From: mcarmen@urbismail.com  
To: ivana.lukic@fastnet.com  
Subject: Hello!

Hi Ivana

I write / 'm writing<sup>1</sup> to say thank you for the birthday card, and to tell you how I get on / 'm getting on<sup>2</sup>. The course is hard work, but I 'm enjoying / enjoy<sup>3</sup> it so far. We usually have / are having<sup>4</sup> classes every morning, but this week I 'm working / work<sup>5</sup> in Geriatrics all day. It's interesting, although of course I want / 'm wanting<sup>6</sup> to work as a scrub nurse.

On the geriatric ward I 'm making / make<sup>7</sup> beds and checking / check<sup>8</sup> patients' blood pressure and temperature. I 'm learning / learn<sup>9</sup> a lot, and the experience is very useful.

I 'm going out / go out<sup>10</sup> most Saturday nights, but stay in and study on other days. Tomorrow I go / 'm going<sup>11</sup> to a restaurant for my birthday! I make / 'm making<sup>12</sup> a lot of friends, but I wish you were here too. Write to me!

love  
Maria Carmen