

Episode 9

Jobs for the boys

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1 So far in extr@ ...

How much can you remember?

- 1 Bridget fancies Nick.
- 2 Hector's family is very rich.
- 3 Annie is crazy about TV advertisements.
- 4 Nick is a successful actor.
- 5 Bridget has a twin sister.



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2 In this episode ...

What do you think?

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| 1 Will Nick get a part in a Shakespeare play? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 2 Does Hector have a chance of getting the TV job? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |
| 3 Does Bridget know her new boss? | Yes <input type="radio"/> | No <input type="radio"/> |

3 Check the meaning ...

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| mysterious | Does it mean you know a lot about something? |
| talent | Do you know anyone who has some? |
| in your dreams | If we say this, do we mean it will or won't happen? |
| researcher | Is this someone you see on the TV screen, or someone who works to prepare the programme? |

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4 Before you watch ...

- A Try to predict what happens. Tick the correct answer.



Now where's Hector? I have some exciting news for him.

- 1 What do you think the exciting news is?
- Bridget is going to have dinner with Sting.
 - Eunice is her new boss.
 - Channel 9 is looking for a new Latin American reporter.



When women talk like that, it's time to move on.

- 2 Why do you think Nick says this?
- Because Annie is getting very close to Hector.
 - Because Annie has asked Hector to marry her.
 - Because Annie talks about having a baby.



Rule number one: imagine you are talking to a beautiful woman.
Rule number two: be mysterious.
Rule number three: make them trust you.

- 3 What do you think Nick's advice to Hector is about?
- How to be attractive to women.
 - How to succeed as a television reporter.
 - How to behave during an interview.

- B Look at the picture and answer the questions.

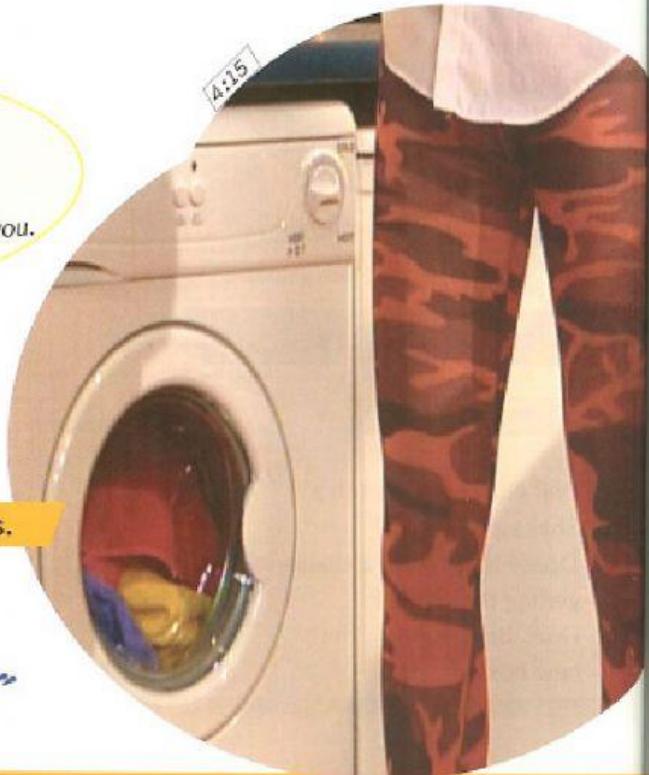
- 1 Who's wearing the tights? Nick Hector
2 Who do the tights belong to? Annie Bridget

"Let's find out!"

5 Part one ...

Watch Part one and answer these questions.

- Which of these things did Bridget do today?
 - She trained with the England football team.
 - She went to the hairdresser.
 - She had lunch with Kylie Minogue's agent.
- What is Channel 9 looking for?
 - An English person who knows Latin America.
 - A Latin American who speaks English.
 - A good-looking Latin American.
- Why does Bridget want Hector to audition?
 - Because she wants to help Hector.
 - Because Eunice works at Channel 9.
 - Because she wants to impress her boss.
- Why is Hector worried?
 - Because he doesn't want to work as a reporter.
 - Because he doesn't think he can do it.
 - Because Nick thinks he has no talent.



6 Part two ...

A Before you watch Part two, try to complete this conversation between Bridget and Nick. Use these phrases.

- a) a news reporter
- b) so stupid
- c) to impress her
- d) to speak to me
- e) won't get the job



Nick: Hi Bridget!

Bridget: Nick ...

Nick: I thought you were too angry 1 _____.

Bridget: Shut up, Nick. How dare you?

Nick: How dare I what?

Bridget: Teach Hector to be 2 _____!

Nick: Ah. Sorry, Bridget.

Bridget: He was ridiculous. 'Hi, sexy, this is Hector Romero.' My new editor will be here soon and I wanted 3 _____.

Nick: So will Hector get the job then?

Bridget: Of course he 4 _____! You made me look a fool. You and Hector are 5 _____!

Now watch and check your answers.

B Answer the questions. Write *Good*, *Bad*, or *Doesn't care* next to each one.

- 1 How is Hector's TV audition? _____
- 2 What is Nick's reaction to Bridget's criticism? _____
- 3 How does Bridget feel about her new editor? _____
- 4 What is Eunice's impression of Hector? _____
- 5 How does Nick feel about the Shakespeare job? _____

7 Part three ...

Look at the pictures and tick what the people are saying.



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- a) Don't worry, Hector. I'm sure you would have been a very good reporter.
- b) Well done, Hector! I'm sure you'll be a very good reporter.



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- a) You haven't got the job! Isn't it terrible?
- b) You've got the job! Isn't it wonderful?



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- a) It's time to tell Hector I want to marry him.
- b) It's time to say goodbye to Hector.

Now watch and check your answers.

8 In this episode ...

Are these sentences true or false ?

- 1 Bridget is working in her office at Channel 9.
- 2 Hector arrives for an audition to be an editor.
- 3 Bridget goes to the airport to see Sting, but she doesn't see him.
- 4 Eunice is Bridget's new boss.
- 5 Hector gets a job as a reporter for Channel 9.
- 6 Nick gets a job playing Hamlet.