BRINGING DREAMS TO LIFE

2. Read the statements, then listen to the podcast and write T for true or F for false for each statement.

1. _____ More young people today want to start their own businesses than in the past.
2. _____ The speaker advises young people to get jobs and settle down.
3. _____ Many people who want to start their own businesses are not realistic about their chances of success.
4. _____ The speaker does not think that most young people are qualified to become entrepreneurs.

3. Listen to each segment of the podcast. Fill in the missing information.

Segment 1

1. Mark Zuckerberg started _____ when he was _____ years old. Today his wealth is estimated at approximately _____ dollars.
2. Nowadays, many people want to start businesses because of the _____ job market and _____ technological change.
3. *Shark Tank* is a _____ show on which entrepreneurs try to sell their ideas to _____.
4. Another reason so many people today want to become entrepreneurs is because of the success of people like Mark Zuckerberg and _____.

Segment 2

5. Robert owns _____. He works _____ days a week.
6. He says that small business owners don't have any _____.

Segment 3

7. About _____ of small business owners lose their businesses in the first year and about _____ fail within five years.
8. Gail Horvath and her husband ran a successful business for _____ years before the business went into _____.

Segment 4

9. It can be difficult to have a happy _____ when you run your own business.
10. Tony and his wife ended up getting _____ because he _____ his business over his wife.

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