

I like to work: it fascinates me.
I can sit and look at it for hours.
Jerome K. Jerome, British writer

Work and play

1 VOCABULARY jobs

a Complete the crossword.

Clues across →



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2 E N G I N E E R

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b Complete the job descriptions with a verb from the list.

work earn speak drive have work travel wear

1 "I ¹ work inside and outside during the day or at night.
I ² drive a car and sometimes I walk along the street.
I don't ³ earn a lot of money. I ⁴ wear a uniform."

2 "I work in an office with a computer, or outside with other people.
I ⁵ speak French and Spanish and I sometimes
⁶ travel to different countries. I don't wear a uniform.
I ⁷ work for a newspaper."

3 "I wear a uniform and I work with other people. I ⁸ have a college degree, but I don't ⁹ earn a lot of money.
I work during the day or at night, but I don't work outside.
I ¹⁰ work in a hospital."

c Match the descriptions to a job.

a journalist a nurse a police officer

c Write -er or -or.

1 soccer player 4 hairdresser
2 manager 5 doctor
3 teacher 6 lawyer

d Complete the sentences with these words.

a an at for in retired unemployed

1 He studies economics at school.
2 My brother is an engineer.
3 We work for an American company.
4 I don't have a job. I'm unemployed.
5 Paola is a receptionist.
6 My grandparents are 75. They're retired.
7 They work in a factory.

a Complete the words.



1 jacket



2 sh



3 t



4 sk



5 t



6 p

2 GRAMMAR simple present

a Complete the questions with *Do* or *Does*.

- 1 Do you work in an office?
- 2 your parents speak foreign languages?
- 3 your sister drive?
- 4 you have a college degree?
- 5 your mother work?
- 6 James travel a lot?
- 7 your father earn a lot of money?
- 8 they wear a uniform?
- 9 Ann walk to work?
- 10 you work on the weekend?

b Complete the questions with *does*, *do*, *is*, or *are*. Then match the questions to the answers.

- 1 What does she do? a He's an actor.
- 2 What they do? b In a restaurant—she's a waitress.
- 3 he an architect? c She's a doctor.
- 4 What you do? d No, they're lawyers.
- 5 they police officers? e I'm a hairstylist.
- 6 Where she work? f No, he's an engineer.
- 7 she a student? g They're pilots.
- 8 What he do? h No, she's a teacher.

3 PRONUNCIATION /ər/

a Underline the stressed syllable.

1 ar ch itect	5 jour nal ist	9 re cep tion ist
2 den tist	6 mo del	10 sol dier
3 engi neer	7 mu sic ian	
4 tea cher	8 pil ot	

b Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

c  **Circle** five more words with /ər/ and write them in the chart.

airport earn engineer Europe far here nurse journalist service short sure thirsty tired worker



earn _____

d Listen and check. Then listen again and repeat the words.

4 LISTENING

a Listen to a contestant on a quiz show and  circle his job.

administrative assistant dentist flight attendant lawyer nurse receptionist veterinarian

b Complete the questions with the verbs in the box. Then listen again and check.

earn have make speak travel wear work

- 1 Do you make things?
- 2 a college degree?
- 3 foreign languages?
- 4 a uniform?
- 5 for your work?
- 6 a lot of money?
- 7 with other people?

USEFUL WORDS AND PHRASES

Learn these words and phrases.

degree /dɪ'grɪ/
jacket /dʒækət/
pants /pænts/
skirt /skərt/
comfortable /kəmftəbl/
foreign (languages) /'frɔːn/
earn money /ərn 'mʌni/
It depends. /ɪt dɪ'pendz/