

Overview

Watch the video podcast. Would you like to do any of the jobs they talk about?

1 Read Natalie's text. Then watch the video podcast from 0:11 to 0:22 and complete the words.

When I ¹was a child I wanted to ²be a dancer. I loved ³dancing. But now I'm a ⁴presenter at the BBC. What did you want ⁵to be when you ⁶was a child?



2 What did you want to be when you were a child? Look at the people below and read their answers. Check new words in your dictionary. Then watch the video podcast from 0:22 to 1:22 and underline the correct answers.



1 When I was a child, I wanted to be a writer / filmmaker and now I am a filmmaker / pilot.



2 When I was a child I wanted to be a chess player / shop assistant but now I'm a manager / cameraman.



3 I wanted to be a teacher / nurse, but now I'm a shop assistant / vet.



4 I wanted to be a football / basketball player. Now I'm a social worker / scientist.



5 I wanted to be a musician / teacher and I became a musician / an architect.



6 I wanted to be a doctor / vet and now I'm studying to be a doctor / vet.

Glossary: retired = (she) doesn't work because (she's) over 62

3 Do you like what you do? Look at the people below and read their answers. Check new words in your dictionary. Then watch the video podcast from 1:24 to 2:00 and match the people to their answers.



1 It's all right. I work with some interesting people.

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2 Yes. At the moment I don't have a job so I'm having lots of fun.



3 Yes, I do. I like it very much.



4 I'm retired now, but I enjoy being retired. And I'm as busy as ever.



5 Yes, I love working as a musician.



6 Yeah. I like to help people and support people.

4 What's their perfect job? Read the jobs in the box. Check new words in your dictionary. Then watch the video podcast from 2:04 to 2:45 and tick (✓) the words and phrases you hear.

hairdresser ✓	pilot	singer	engineer	working in a bookshop
professional cyclist	teacher	to play in an orchestra		
working with animals	actor	working with children		

The way we speak

5 The people below talk about how their perfect job. Watch the video podcast again from 2:04 to 2:45 and complete their answers with the words in the box.

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1 I would like to be a hairdresser.



2 To _____ films in Hollywood.



3 My perfect job? I _____ like to be a theatre director.



4 _____ outside and with lots of people.



5 My perfect _____ is working with animals.



6 I'd _____ to be an actor.

Personalisation

6 Write your answers to Natalie's questions.

1 What did you want to be when you were a child?

2 Do you like what you do?

3 What's your perfect job?
