Conversation Corner A new job

Pronunciation

Syllable stress in words

> **Pronunciation Help**
>
> Tap your desk as you say the words. It will help you hear which syllables are stressed.

CD 1-33 ▶ Task 1

Listen and repeat.

1. sérver
2. flíght atténdant
3. téacher
4. constrúction wórker
5. búsinessperson
6. recéptionist

CD 1-34 ▶ Task 2

Listen. Mark the stressed syllables.

1. áctor
2. electrician
3. musician
4. doctor
5. police officer
6. architect

Dictation

CD 1-35 ▶ Task 1

Listen to the conversation. Write the missing words.

A: My job is so boring. I really don't like being a _____.

B: Really? Maybe you should try something new.

A: I don't know. I've always wanted to be an _____, but I'd have to go back to school.

B: So do it!

A: I can't. I need to _____ _____, so I can't quit my job.

B: Could you work part time in an _____ and also take _____?

A: Well, maybe. I'll think about it.

▶ Task 2

Practice the conversation with a partner. Be sure to stress the correct syllables.

Conversation

Work in pairs. What is your dream job? Tell your partner what it is and why.

www.irlanguage.com

LIVEWORKSHEETS