VOCABULARY

6 **Choose the correct ending (a–c) for each sentence. You do not need one of the options.**

1 I like working alone, I lose ...
2 Without a good work routine, it's easy to fall ...
   a behind schedule with your work.
   b concentration when there are lots of people around.
   c deadlines and don't get much work done.
3 In my last job, I took ...
4 I quit my job because I couldn't handle ...
   a experience of working in a team.
   b the pressure and responsibility.
   c responsibility for very large projects.
5 She spent her whole life living a ...
6 She got tired of lying to everyone and came ...
   a lie – no one knew who she really was.
   b truth about what she had done.
   c clean about her past.

7 **Choose the correct word or phrase to complete the sentences.**

1 My job's stressful, but I can _____ the challenge.
   a keep **b** deal **c** handle
2 Workers with temporary contracts don't have the same rights as people on _____ contracts.
   a exploited **b** permanent **c** short-term
3 Ben is always very _____ to help his colleagues with their problems.
   a enthusiastic **b** willing **c** irresponsible
4 Nothing was true, he _____ the whole story!
   a pretended **b** deceived **c** made up
5 The news report was _____, it only told one side of the story.
   a biased **b** trending **c** viral

8 **Complete the news stories with the words in the box.**

avoid	concentration	deceives	doubt
long-term	made-up	meet	truth

People working from home lose [1] _____

A recent study has shown that [2] _____ remote working is not good for businesses. Remote workers find it harder to [3] _____ distractions and are less likely to [4] _____ deadlines than their colleagues who work in the office.

April fool's hoax [5] _____ **hundreds of readers**

A [6] _____ story in *The Day* newspaper has completely fooled readers who didn't [7] _____ the paper was telling the [8] _____.

9 **Complete the words in the definitions. Some letters are given.**

1 If you keep to a ro_____, you follow a plan or timetable without changing it.
2 When workers are exp_____, they are treated unfairly by a company.
3 Inf_____ people don't handle change very well.
4 If something is sh_____, it is surprising in a bad way.
5 If you pre_____ to do something, you behave as if it is true when you know it isn't.
6 A scan_____ is something bad or dishonest that a famous or important person is involved in.
7 If you di_____ a film, you tell the actors what to do.
8 When you pay money for a television channel or online service, you sub_____ to it.

10 **Complete the sentences with the words in the box. There are two extra words.**

disappointing	follow	got	industry
opportunities	scheme	unemployed	unhealthy

1 I _____ a lot done yesterday, so I don't have much work to do today.
2 Farah is _____, so she doesn't have any work at the moment.
3 There aren't many _____ for promotion in my current job.
4 Arlo has a _____ diet – all he eats is fast food.
5 I thought the film was _____. It wasn't nearly as good as people said.
6 Kristoff had a long career in the film _____.

11 **For each question, choose the correct answer.**

Have you ever dreamt of [1] _____ your day job and spending your time living and working in [2] _____ places around the world? This is becoming a reality for a group of people who call themselves 'digital nomads', a phrase that is [3] _____ on social media.

For many people, [4] _____, working means being able to work hours that suit them or working more from home. For digital nomads, it means being able to work wherever they want in the world because their jobs are not dependent on [5] _____. They just need a laptop and reliable wi-fi.

However, it is not all positive. Digital nomads have to deal [6] _____ a lot of challenges – they might have an irregular income or language difficulties.

1	**a** rescuing	**b** quitting	**c** attacking
2	**a** shocking	**b** powerful	**c** extraordinary
3	**a** trending	**b** viral	**c** updating
4	**a** inflexible	**b** responsible	**c** flexible
5	**a** local	**b** location	**c** footage
6	**a** about	**b** of	**c** with

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