8A The right job for you



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1 VOCABULARY work

a Look at the picture story. Match sentences A–I to pictures 1–9.

A ☐ She decided to **set up** an online business selling birthday cakes.
B ☐ Her business is **doing very well**. Clare is a success!
C ☐ She was **unemployed**, and had to **look for a job**.
D ☐ They had an argument, and Clare **was sacked**.
E 1 Clare **worked for** a marketing company.
F ☐ She **applied for** a lot of jobs, and sent in CVs.
G ☐ She had a **good salary**, but she didn't like **her boss**.
H ☐ She had some interviews, but didn't **get the jobs**.
I ☐ She had to work very long hours and **do overtime**.

b 8.1 Listen and check. Then cover the sentences and look at the pictures. Tell the story from memory.

c V p.163 Vocabulary Bank Work

> **Words with different meanings**
> Sometimes the same word can have two completely different meanings, e.g.
> *She has a **degree** in economics.*
> (= a university qualification)
> *It was only four **degrees** this morning.*
> (= temperature)

d With a partner, explain the difference in meaning between the pairs of sentences.

1 a He's **running** a business.
  b He's **running** a marathon.
2 a Marion **was fired** last week.
  b When the man **fired** the gun, everyone screamed.
3 a I **work** in a shop.
  b My laptop **doesn't work**.
4 a There's a **market** for this product.
  b There's a **market** where you can buy vegetables.
5 a Steve has set up a **company**.
  b Steve is very **good company**.



2 PRONUNCIATION & SPEAKING word stress

a Underline the stressed syllable in each word. Use the phonetics to help you.

1 a|pply /ə'plaɪ/
2 sa|la|ry /'sælərɪ/
3 re|dun|dant /rɪ'dʌndənt/
4 ex|pe|ri|ence /ɪk'spɪərɪəns/
5 o|ver|time /'əʊvətaɪm/
6 per|ma|nent /'pɜːmənənt/
7 qua|li|fi|ca|tions /ˌkwɒlɪfɪ'keɪʃnz/
8 re|sign /rɪ'zaɪn/
9 re|spon|si|ble /rɪ'spɒnsəbl/
10 tem|pora|ry /'temprərɪ/

b 8.5 Listen and check. Practise saying the words.

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