

7 CONVERSATION Please be careful!

① Listen and practice.

Richard: Hey, Stephanie. I hear you have a new job.

Stephanie: Yes, I'm teaching math at Lincoln High School.

Richard: How do you like it?

Stephanie: It's great. The students are terrific. How are things with you?

Richard: Not bad. I'm a window washer now, you know.

Stephanie: Really? How do you like it?

Richard: It's a stressful job. And it's pretty dangerous.

Stephanie: Please be careful!



8 LISTENING It's pretty boring.

① Listen to four people talk about their jobs. Complete the chart with the correct jobs and adjectives.

	What do you do?	What's it like?
1. Monica	It's a social worker	It's a excited job
2. Hye-soon	It's a manager	It's a easy job
3. Kirk	It's a security guard	It's pretty boring
4. Philip	It's a florist	It's very busy

9 GRAMMAR FOCUS

Placement of adjectives

be + adjective

A doctor's job **is stressful**.

A window washer's job **is dangerous**.

adjective + noun

A doctor has **a stressful job**.

A window washer has **a dangerous job**.

① Write each sentence a different way. Then compare with a partner.

- A doctor's job is interesting. A doctor has an interesting job.
- A police officer's job is dangerous. A police officer's has an dangerous job.
- A teacher's job is stressful. a teacher has a stressful job.
- A plumber has a boring job. a plumber has a boring job.
- An electrician has a difficult job. an electrician has a difficult job.
- A vendor has an easy job. a vendor has an easy job.

2 Placement of adjectives

- ▶ Adjectives come after the verb *be*: A doctor's job **is stressful**. Adjectives come before nouns: A police officer has a **dangerous job**. (NOT: A police officer has a job dangerous.)
- ▶ Adjectives have the same form with singular or plural nouns: Firefighters and police officers have stressful jobs. (NOT: ... have stressfult jobs.)

Use the information to write two sentences.

- accountant / job / boring
 An accountant's job is boring.
 An accountant has a boring job.
- salesperson / job / stressful
 a sales person's job is stressful
 a sales person's has a stressful job
- security guard / job / dangerous
 a security guard's job is dangerous
 a security guard's has a dangerous job
- nurse / job / exciting
 a nurse's job is exciting
 a nurse's has an exciting job
- taxi driver / job / interesting
 a taxi driver's job is interesting
 a taxi driver's has an interesting job
- electrician / job / difficult
 an electrician's job is difficult
 an electrician's has a difficult job

B GROUPWORK Write one job for each adjective.
 Do your classmates agree?

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| 1. exciting | flight attendant | 4. boring | Plumber |
| 2. easy | vendor | 5. difficult | Doctor |
| 3. dangerous | Police officer | 6. relaxing | flavist |

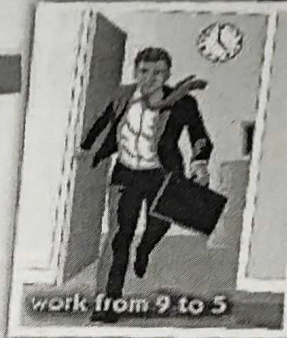


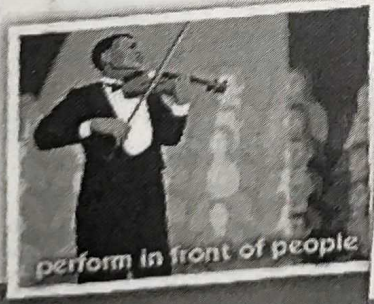
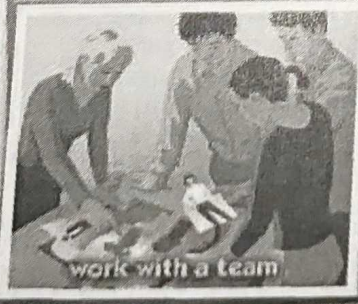


- A: A flight attendant has an exciting job.
 B: I don't agree. A flight attendant's job is boring.
 C: I think...

interchange 8 THE PERFECT JOB

A PAIR WORK Imagine you're looking for a job. What do you want to do? First, check (✓) your answers to the questions. Then ask your partner the same questions.

Do you want to ... ?	Me		My partner	
	Yes	No	Yes	No
talk to people	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
help people	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
work from 9 to 5	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
use a computer	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
use English	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
work at home	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
work outdoors	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
work in an office	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
perform in front of people	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
be on TV	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
travel	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
work with a team	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
wear a suit	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
wear blue jeans	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
have an exciting job	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
have a relaxing job	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

B PAIR WORK Think of a good job for your partner.

A: You want to use English, travel, and have an exciting job.

Do you want to be a tour guide?

B: No, a tour guide's job is very stressful.

A: Well, do you want to be ... ?

JOB Profiles

Look at the photos. Which jobs look interesting? Why?



dog groomer

Lots of Marco Mendez's friends walk on four legs. He makes these furry friends beautiful. Marco is a professional dog groomer. He likes his job a lot because it's never boring. Each dog has a different personality. What's his favorite kind of dog? He's not telling!



wedding planner

Lila Martin goes to nice restaurants, eats cake, listens to bands – and gets paid for it! Lila is a wedding planner. She chooses the place, the food, and the music for people's weddings. It's stressful because everything needs to be perfect!



video game designer

Hal Garner has his dream job. He plays video games all day long! Hal is a game designer for a large video game company. He makes new games and tests them. It's always exciting, and he almost always wins!



baker

Junko Watanabe has a sweet life. She makes bread, cookies, and cakes in her neighborhood bakery. Junko really likes her job. Her salary isn't great, but the customers love her cakes and cookies, so she's happy.

ⓐ Read the article. Who says these things? Write your guesses.

1. "I go to work very early in the morning." Junko Watanabe
2. "I know every restaurant in town." Lila Martin
3. "After work, I need to take a bath!" Marco Mendez
4. "I sit down all day long!" Hal Garner

B Write a short description of a job, but don't write the name of the job. Then read it to the class. Your classmates guess the job.

PROGRESS CHECK

2 WHERE DOES HE WORK?

A Complete the conversations with Wh-questions.

1. A: Where does your father work? ?
 B: My father? He works in a store.
 A: What does he do? ?
 B: He's a salesperson.
 A: How does he like it? ?
 B: He likes his job a lot!

2. A: What do you do? ?
 B: I'm an accountant.
 A: Where do you work? ?
 B: I work in an office.
 A: How do you like it? ?
 B: It's OK. I guess I like it.

B PAIRWORK Your partner asks the questions in part A. Answer with your own information.

3 LISTENING Where do they work?

A Listen to Linda, Kyle, and Wendy talk about their jobs. Check (✓) the correct answers.

	Where do they work?		What do they do?	
1. Linda	<input type="checkbox"/> office	<input type="checkbox"/> store	<input type="checkbox"/> receptionist	<input type="checkbox"/> doctor
2. Kyle	<input type="checkbox"/> hospital	<input type="checkbox"/> school	<input type="checkbox"/> nurse	<input type="checkbox"/> teacher
3. Wendy	<input type="checkbox"/> hotel	<input type="checkbox"/> office	<input type="checkbox"/> manager	<input type="checkbox"/> bellhop

4 AN INTERESTING JOB

GROUP WORK What do you think of these jobs? Give your opinions.



farmer



bus driver



architect

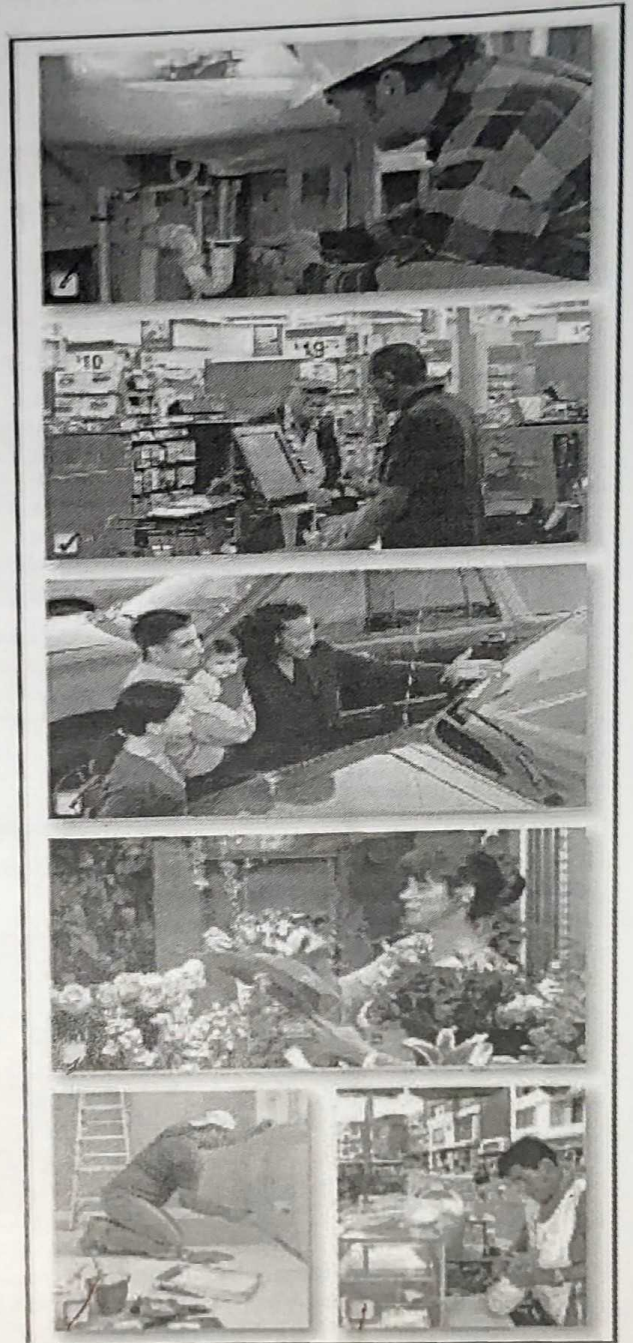
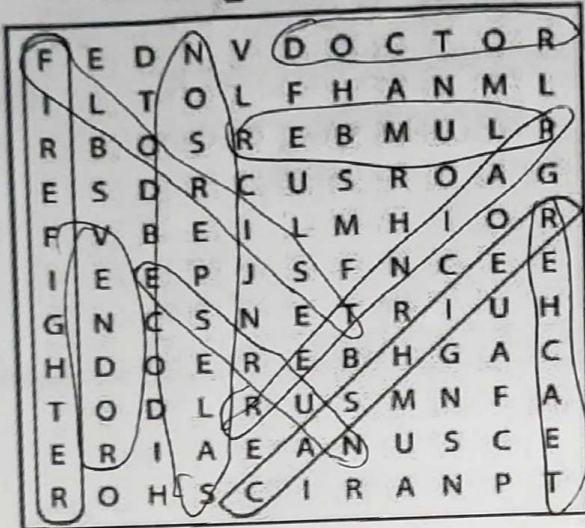


hairstylist

- A: I think a farmer has a boring job.
 B: I don't really agree. I think a farmer's job is relaxing.
 C: Well, I think a farmer's job is difficult. . . .

WORKBOOK

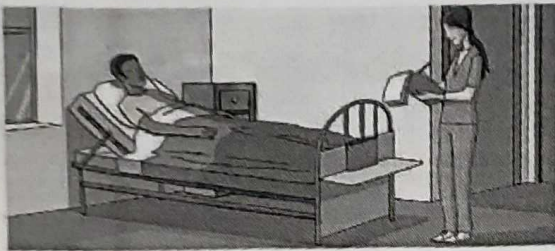
1 Find and circle these jobs in the puzzle.



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What do these people do? Write three sentences about each person. Use the phrases in the box and your own ideas.

handle money	sit/stand all day	wear a uniform	work inside
help people	talk on the phone	work hard	work outside



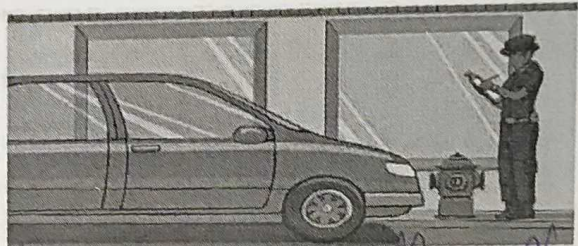
1. She's a nurse.
 She helps people.
 She works in a hospital.



2. he's the baggage manager
 he help's people
 he wear a uniform



3. He's a fast food vendor
 he work hard
 he work inside of car



4. She's a traffic officer
 she's work hard
 she work outside



5. he wear a uniform
 he sit all day
 he talk on the phone



6. she's a cashier
 she hand by money
 she stand all day

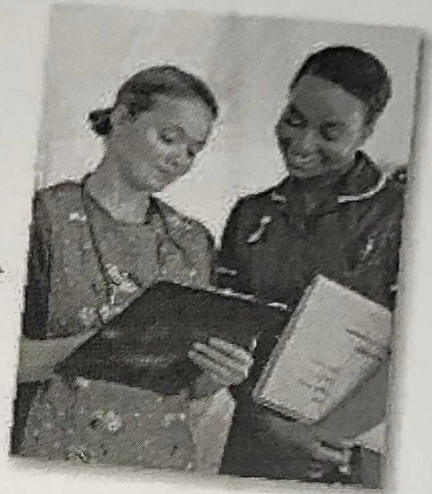
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Complete the questions in these conversations.



1. A: Where does your brother work ?
B: My brother? He works in a department store.
A: What does he do ?
B: He works in the shoe department. He's a salesperson.

2. A: What are Kelly and Pam doing ?
B: Kelly and Pam are nurses. And they work together, too.
A: Where they work ?
B: At Springfield Hospital.



3. A: Where are you work ?
B: My daughter works in an office.
A: What does she do ?
B: She's an accountant.

4. A: What are you doing ?
B: Joe and I? We fix computers.
A: How is your job ?
B: We like it a lot!



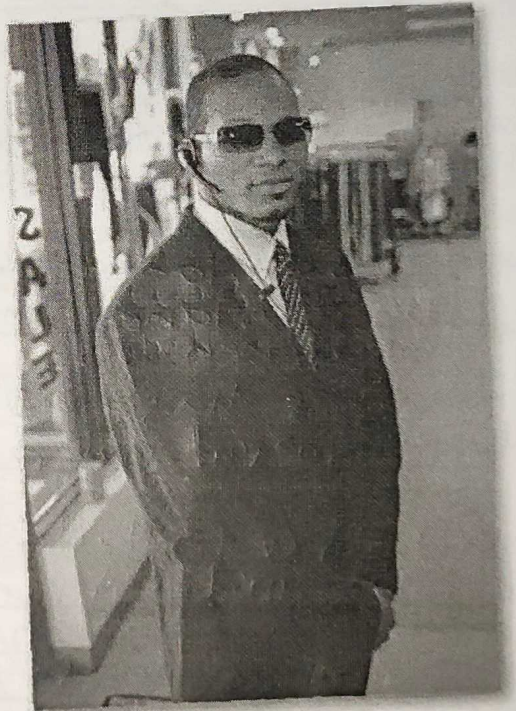
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Complete the conversations.

1. A: Do you have a job?
B: Yes, I do.
A: Oh, what do you Job?
B: I have a server.
A: Where do you have?
B: I have at Paul's Coffee Shop.
A: How do you have your job?
B: I really have it. It's a great job!
A: What time have you start work?
B: I have work at 8:00 A.M., and
I have at 3:00 P.M.



2. A: My brother has a new job.
B: Really? Where have he a job?
A: He have at the new clothing store
downtown.
B: What have he do there?
A: He have a security guard.
B: How have he
do his job?
A: Oh, I guess he do it.
B: What time have he
do work?
A: He have work at
10:00 A.M., and he
have at 6:00 P.M.



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Exciting or boring?

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A Match the adjectives.

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| 1. <u>d</u> exciting | a. not stressful |
| 2. <u>b</u> easy | b. not difficult |
| 3. <u>a</u> relaxing | c. not dangerous |
| 4. <u>c</u> safe | d. not boring |

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B Write each sentence two different ways.

1. A flight attendant's job is exciting.
A flight attendant has an exciting job.
A flight attendant doesn't have a boring job.

2. A security guard has a boring job.
a security guard job is boring
a security guard doesn't have a
exciting job

3. Steven's job is dangerous.
Steve has a dangerous job

4. A front desk clerk's job is stressful.

a front desk clerk's has a stressful job
a front desk clerk doesn't have a
relaxing job

5. Linda has a small apartment.

Linda's apartment is small
Linda's apartment doesn't have
a large one

6. Martha's house is big.

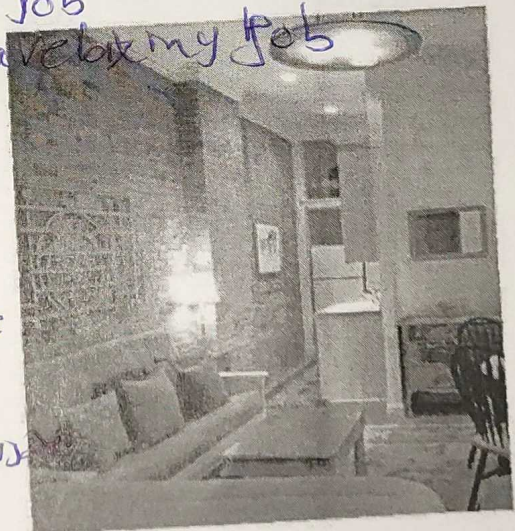
Martha's has a big house
Martha doesn't have a small house

7. Sarah has a talkative sister.

Sarah's sister is talkative
Sarah doesn't have a silent sister

8. My job is easy.

I have an easy job
I don't have a hard job



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Write sentences with your opinion about each job.



reporter



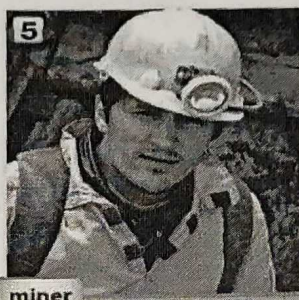
pilot



carpenter



athlete



miner



model

1. A reporter has an exciting job. / A reporter's job isn't boring.
2. A pilot has a dangerous job / a pilot job isn't easy
3. A carpenter has a difficult job / a carpenter job isn't boring
4. An athlete has a relaxing job / an athlete job isn't stressful
5. A miner has a hard job / a miner job isn't easy
6. A model has a easy job / a model job isn't hard

7

Imagine you have a dream job. Write a description. Use the questions in the box for ideas.

What is the job?

What do you do, exactly?

Where do you work?

What's the job like? (Is it dangerous, relaxing, or . . . ?)

I'd like to be a vet and have a clinic
 in my clinic in Chicago I could
 carry for the health animal
 it's a easy job.