



LESSON 04

Work & Jobs



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1- Difference between

“Job” & “Work”:



When you use the word **‘job’**, it refers to a specific activity that any person does to earn a living. The word ‘job’ is synonymous with ‘occupation’/‘profession’.

But when you use the word **‘work’**, it refers to any activity, be it mental or physical.

All types of **‘jobs’** can be considered as **‘work’**, but not all **‘work’** can be considered as **‘jobs’**. The word **‘work’** can be considered both as a noun and a verb, depending on the way it’s used. But, **‘job’** is always used as a noun.

‘for example, The boy is playing with his friends.’ Here, ‘playing’ is a type of **work** as the boy is doing an activity. Also, in ‘My uncle **works** for the Algeria Telecom Company’, the word **‘work’** refers to a **job** that the ‘uncle’ has.

The next table summarize the difference between **Job** and **Work**:

Table Summarizing the Difference between Job and Work

	“Job”	“Work”
Meaning	It refers to an activity that people perform in order to earn money for a living.	It refers to any activity that is either done to earn money or done as physical or mental activity.
Usage	It is used as a Noun .	It is used as a Noun and a Verb .
Example	“Jason got a nice job offer from an multinational company”.	“The team works hard to win the championship”. “My brother comes home from work in the evening”.

2- Types of Job / Work:

Types	“Part-time”	“Full-time”	“Temporary”	“Permanent”
Examples	Librarian required for public library, afternoons from 02:00 pm till 06:00 pm	Personal assistant needed for office, from 09:00 am to 05:30 pm	Teacher needed for summer course, from the 1 st to 31 st of August	Lawyer wanted for law firm - long hours, with 4 weeks holiday per year

3- Occupations Vocabulary:



dancer



gardener



florist



magician



cashier



reporter



artist



astronaut



ballerina



musician



coach



chemist



carpenter



barber



mechanic



plumber



doctor



dentist



nurse



vet



teacher



cook



painter



secretary



singer



butcher



farmer



engineer



tailor



baker



pilot



hairdresser

3- Occupations Vocabulary:



photographer



driver



cleaner



dustman



electrician



firefighter



fisherman



postman



shoemaker



politician



captain



detective



director



librarian



hunter



zookeeper



diver



welder



lumberjack



builder



receptionist



architect



surgeon



realtor



optician



soldier



sculptor



miner



archeologist



judge

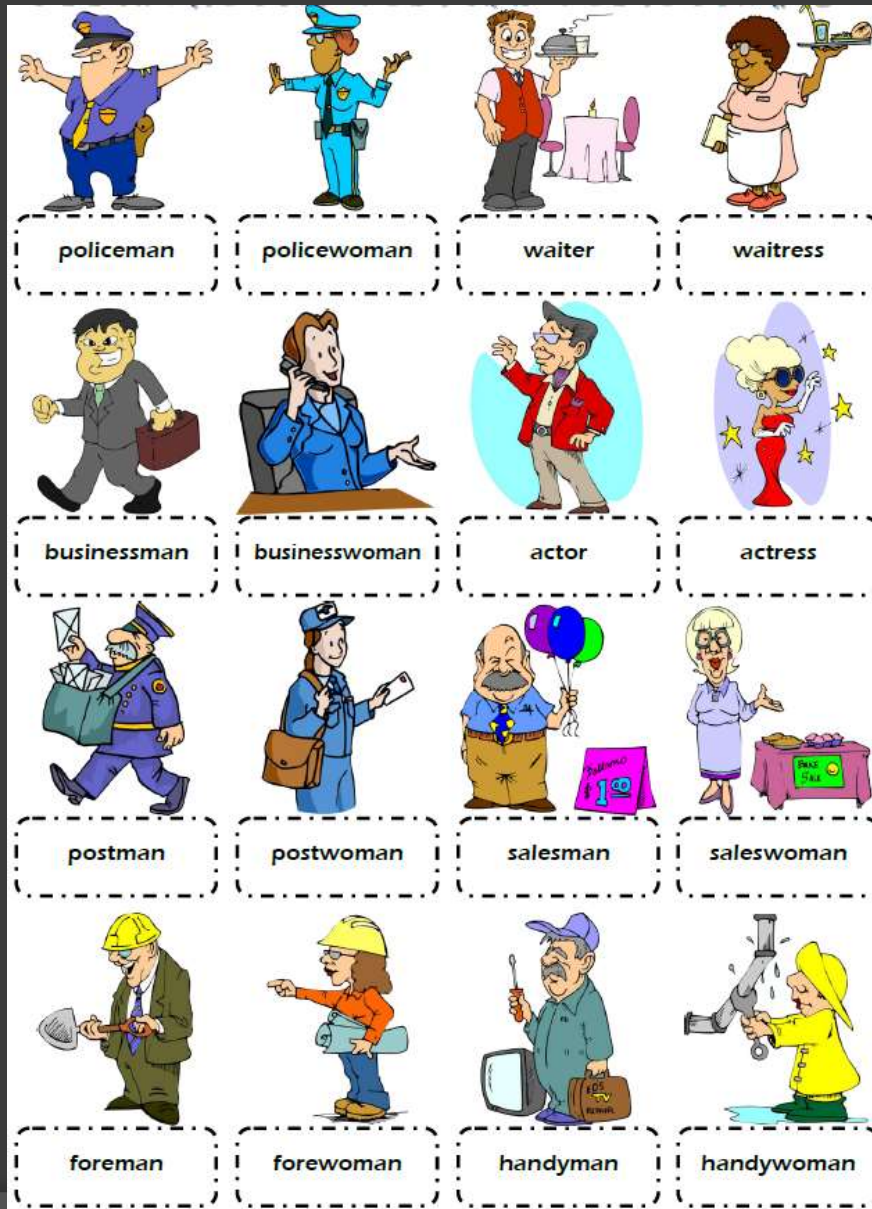


lawyer



pharmacist

3- Occupations Vocabulary:



Exercise 01:

Read the text below carefully, then answer the questions:

My Job is Special



For most people, a job means they get up at 7:00 am and drive to work by 8:30 or 9:00 am. Later, they have lunch at noon, and then they start work again at 1:00 pm. Finally, they finish work at about 5:00 pm and then go home and have dinner with their family. That kind of job is okay for most people, but my job is special and I love it! I'm a commercial airline pilot. That means I don't drive to work, I fly! In fact, I fly to many different destinations in the world and I have friends in many countries. Usually, I fly between countries in Asia, North America and South America.

It's not surprising, then, that my best friend lives in Japan and we stay in touch by Facebook and e-mail – when I'm in Tokyo, he always invites me to have dinner with him and his family. In fact, my favorite food is sushi. Another good friend of mine – Gustavo – lives in Brasilia. That's the capital city of Brazil. Gustavo and I love to watch football games together when I visit. Is my job perfect? No, it's not. Because I fly across many different time zones, I sometimes go to bed at 2:00 am. At other times, I go to bed at 2:00 pm. That kind of schedule isn't easy. In addition, my job often separates me from my wife and two children. They live in New York and often I am many thousands of miles away. Sometimes I miss them very much. However, I think I have an exciting job. And my kids think it's great that I can say, "Hello" in eighteen different languages: "Ni hao", "Anyoung haseyo", "Konnichiwa" "Bonjour,"

1. What is the main idea of the article?

- (a) The man has friends in many countries.
- (b) He can say, "Hello" in many languages.
- (c) His job is different from most people's jobs.

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2. The man likes his job:

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) He doesn't say.

A

3. Where does his best friend live?

- (a) New York
- (b) Tokyo
- (c) Brasilia

B

4. How many countries does he fly to?

- (a) eighteen
- (b) three
- (c) He doesn't say.

C

5. Where does he say likes to watch football games?

- (a) in North America
- (b) in Tokyo
- (c) in Brazil

C

6. He always goes to sleep at the same time every day.

- (a) TRUE
- (b) FALSE
- (c) He doesn't say.

B

7. What does the word 'them' refer to?

- (a) football games
- (b) his family
- (c) his friends

B

8. What does he say about his job?

- (a) It's perfect.
- (b) He must learn many languages.
- (c) It has some problems but he likes it.

C

Exercise 02:

- 1 Do the questionnaire. Put a tick (✓) for 'yes' or a cross (X) for 'no'.



1 I enjoy teamwork. <input type="checkbox"/>	2 I am good at problem-solving. <input type="checkbox"/>	3 I like using technology. <input type="checkbox"/>	4 I like being independent. <input type="checkbox"/>
5 I am good at research. <input type="checkbox"/>	6 I like dealing with people. <input type="checkbox"/>	7 I don't like working under pressure. <input type="checkbox"/>	8 I like travelling and meeting new people. <input type="checkbox"/>
9 I am good at dealing with money. <input type="checkbox"/>	10 I am not very good at organizing information. <input type="checkbox"/>	11 I like being creative. <input type="checkbox"/>	12 I don't mind doing routine activities. <input type="checkbox"/>

- 2 Compare your answers with your partner.

EXAMPLE

A *I enjoy teamwork. What about you?*

B *No, I don't actually. I like being independent.*

- 3 Read the texts below about Chloe and Markus, and answer the questionnaire for them. Put a question mark (?) when there isn't enough information.



Markus

Buyer of luxury leather goods

I work for a department store. My office is in New York, but I travel a lot. I love travelling and I spend a lot of time in Italy and Morocco. I enjoy meeting new people and seeing the new styles. I love the challenge of getting a good contract for my company, negotiating a good deal. I spend a lot of time on my own, but that's not a problem as I enjoy being independent. In fact, I'm not a great team worker. I don't really like the routine paperwork when I get back to the office – but it needs to be done!



Chloe

Exhibition organizer

I really enjoy my job. I love working under pressure and I like dealing with people. The other thing I really enjoy is problem-solving. And when you organize an exhibition, there are always lots of problems to sort out! I enjoy working as a team, but I hate dealing with money. I wasn't good at maths at school, but it's a part of the job, and I have to do it. Sometimes I work in the office, but I'm really not an office sort of person. I hate the routine!

Work Style:	Markus	Chloe	Work Style:	Markus	Chloe
I enjoy teamwork	No	Yes	I like using technology	?	?
I'm good at research	?	?	I don't like working under pressure	?	Yes
I am good at dealing with money	?	No	I like being creative	?	?
I am a good at problem-solving	?	Yes	I like being independent	Yes	?
I like dealing with people	?	Yes	I like travelling and meeting new people	Yes	?
I am not very good at organizing information	?	?	I don't mind doing routine activities	No	No