UNIT 9 Work and Jobs

1. Getting Ready

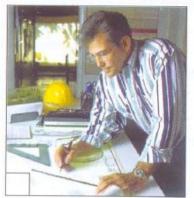
What will you think about when you look for a job? Check (✓) your answers and compare them with a partner.

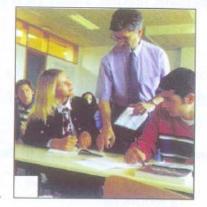
| | Very important | Important | Not important |
|------------------|----------------|-----------|---------------|
| salary | | | |
| working hours | | | |
| vacations | | | |
| commuting time | | | |
| interesting work | | | |
| colleagues | | | |
| job security | | | |
| other: | | | |



2. Let's Listen 🕞

People are talking about their jobs. Listen and number the pictures.













3. Let's Listen 🔈



Task 1

People are talking about their jobs. What does each person do? Listen and circle the correct answer





- 1. a. musician
 - b. manager
- 2. a. manager
 - b. bellhop
- 3. a. TV producer
 - b. chauffeur
- 4. a. technician
 - b. secretary
- 5. a. reporter
 - b. photographer
- 6. a. cashier
 - b. waitress

Task 2

Listen again. Circle the correct answer.

- 1. He a. does not have a lot of experience b. has been working there awhile
 - c. works at a theater
- 2. He .
 - a. works in the manager's office
 - b. meets interesting people
 - c. hates the work
- 3. He _____.
 - a. sees the TV producer every day
 - b. helps with movie productions
 - c. doesn't know how to drive

- 4. She
 - a. thinks the salary is good
 - b. is looking for another job
 - c. likes her co-workers
- 5. He .
 - a. works for a magazine
 - b. writes about sports news
 - c. isn't famous
- 6. She
 - a. works there only part time
 - b. is a waitress
 - c. doesn't work anymore

4. Let's Listen 🕞

Task 1

People are talking about their jobs. Which statement is true? Listen and circle the correct answer.

- 1. He _____.
 - a. does all of his work on the telephone
 - b. spends a lot of time talking to people
 - c. has worked there a short time
 - d. is looking for a new job
- 2. She _____.
 - a. has a boss
 - b. works for a large company
 - c. has two big clients
 - d. needs more work
- 3. He _____.
 - a. has a new restaurant
 - b. is very busy on the weekends
 - c. has very little to do
 - d. often does the cooking
- 4. She _____.
 - a. likes meeting people
 - b. doesn't really like traveling
 - c. never has a break during a flight
 - d. doesn't like the money



Task 2

Listen again. Circle the word that each person uses to describe his or her job.

- 1. a. hard
- 2. a. creative
- 3. a. easy
- 4. a. difficult

b. quiet

b. boring

- b. relaxing
- b. loud

- c. interesting
- c. easy

- c. lonely
- c. tough

- d. boring
- d. unsuccessful
- d. tough
- d. well-paid