



OUR JOBS

Discuss

- What is your dream job and why?
- What do you need to do to get that job?
- Which jobs do your parents do?



Vocabulary

Match the words with the images below.

hospital artist proud thermometer doctor nurse grow up study

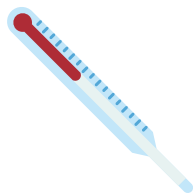
















Comprehension

Sally is talking about her family and the jobs they do.

My mum is a nurse. She takes the bus to work. She works in a hospital and looks after sick people. At work, she wears a white uniform. She uses a thermometer to take the temperatures of her patients. Her job is tiring, but she enjoys it a lot.

My dad is a taxi driver. He drives people all over the city. He works long hours every day. Sometimes, he works during the day and sometimes at night. He has to drive carefully to keep his passengers safe.

My uncle is an artist. He works in a studio at home, and sometimes he paints outside. He paints beautiful pictures and sells them in shops. Painting is slow work, and it doesn't always pay a lot of money, but he is happy.

When I grow up, I want to be a doctor. I want to help people who are sick. I know I will have to study for many years, but I will work hard and pass all my exams so I can get into university. Then I can make my patients better. I know my parents will be very proud of me no matter what I do, as long as I try my best.



Questions

1. Who is a taxi driver? Sally's (mum/uncle/dad).
2. Where does Sally's mum work? In a (school/hospital/shop).
3. When does Sally's dad work? He works in the (day/night/day and night).
4. Sally's uncle (paints pictures/draws animals/makes clothes).
5. Sally wants to be a (doctor/nurse/artist) when she grows up.
6. How does Sally's mum get to work? She goes by (train/bus/on foot)

Answer the questions.

7. How does Sally's uncle earn money?

8. How will Sally's parents feel about her if she becomes a doctor?

What do you want to do when you grow up? Draw a picture here.



Grammar

Parts of Speech

There are names for different words in English.

Nouns: these are the names of people or things. They can be singular or plural.

- doctor, train, bag, horse

- houses, children, people

Verbs: these are words that tell us what people are doing or feeling.

- work, sleep, like, run

To be, to have, and to go are also verbs.

- I am a doctor. She is a nurse.

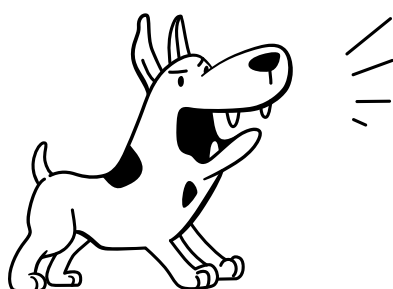
- I have a new coat. We had a party yesterday.

- I went to school yesterday. They go inside when it rains.

Adjectives: these words tell us how things or people look or feel.

- a hot day, an angry man people, a white flower

Adverbs: these words tell us in which way things or people are doing something.



- I will work hard.

- The girl walks slowly.

- The dog barks loudly.

Adverbs often end in -ly.

Practice I

Find examples of the different parts of speech in the text.

Write them in the boxes below.

Noun

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Verb

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Adjectives

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Adverbs

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Practice II

Circle the nouns and underline the verbs in the sentences.

1. The dog ran up the hill to his owner.
2. All the children sat at their desks in the classroom.
3. Can you close the door when you go out?
4. The teacher told her students, 'Put your books away.'
5. My father works in a big office.
6. I climbed slowly up the stairs to our flat.

Name the underlined parts of speech. Write the names on the line.

1. The old lady waited patiently at the bus stop. _____
2. Please talk quietly while you wait for the teacher. _____
3. There are many noisy cars on the roads now. _____
4. The little girl cried sadly when she lost her doll. _____
5. She ran quickly down the dark road. _____
6. This suitcase is heavy. Can you carry it for me? _____



Grammar II

Pronouns are used instead of nouns.

- My mum is a nurse. She works in a hospital.
- My cousins are taxi drivers. They work long hours.
- I want to be a doctor.

Conjunctions are words that join parts of sentences.

The most common conjunctions **are and, but, or.**

- I like running and swimming.
- I like tea but I don't like coffee.
- You can have milk or juice to drink.

Practice III

Write pronoun or conjunction for each one on the lines below.

Tom is my older brother. (1) He likes swimming (2) and running. My sister Sarah doesn't like swimming (3) or running. (4) She prefers football. Most of my classmates don't play sports at all. (5) They like playing computer games, (6) but I enjoy all types of sport. (7) I like being outdoors too. What do (8) you like to do?

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| 1. _____ | 2. _____ | 3. _____ |
| 4. _____ | 5. _____ | 6. _____ |
| 7. _____ | 8. _____ | |

Homework

What jobs do people in your family do?

Write about them below.

Here are a couple of useful words and phrases:



- My _____ is a _____
 - He/she works in a/an _____
 - He/she goes/wears/drives _____
 - He/she likes/doesn't like _____ because _____
 - office/factory/hospital/school/shop/restaurant/hotel/bank
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