

## Тренажёр

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TOPIC 8
CHOOSING
A PROFESSION


## VOCABULARY LIST

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after graduation - после окончания школы, колледжа
alone - один, в одиночестве
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(to) choose a career path - выбрать профессию
completely - полностью
(to) fail - потерпеть неудачу
(to) feel trapped - чувствовать себя в ловушке
(to) figure out - выяснять
for the rest of one's life - всю оставшуюся жизнь

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(a) graduate - выпускник
overwhelming - огромный, несметный
recent - недавний
senior - студент последнего курса
(to) struggle with - бороться с
thought of - размышление о
whether - ли
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## Match the expressions with the definitions.

## (to) work from nine to five

(to) work full-time
(to) do shift work

|  | a) (to) work during normal working hours |
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|  | b) (to) have a chance to choose the beginning and <br> the end of one's working day |
|  | c) (to) work all day |
|  | d) (to) work extra hours |
|  | e) (to) invest less than the normal number of hours <br> into work |
|  | f) Sometimes to work during the day sometimes to <br> work during the night |
|  | g) (to) spend a lot of hours at work |

Make up sentences with the following collocations.
to do for a living,
to make a living as a freelance writer,
to get the sack/be fired,
to be made redundant,
to be on/take sick leave,
to be promoted,
to apply for a job


Для учителей и выпускников.

## Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

## completely, (to) fail, overwhelming, graduate, thought, whether, alone

1. The overwhelming number of students today would like to get a well-paid job in future.
2. I haven't made up my mind yet whether I will enter this university or not.
3. If you $\qquad$ fail to choose the right career path, you won't be satisfied with your job.
4. I am not completely sure about her profession. Perhaps, she is a nurse or a doctor.
5. When choosing a future profession, it is difficult to make a decisiona/one $\qquad$ . It is vital to ask parents for advice.
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graduate
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6. Chris is a Cambridge $\qquad$ . She studied there for five years.
thought
7. When I saw the building of the university my first $\qquad$ was that it was built several centuries ago.

## Conditionals

|  | If - clause (hypothesis) | Main clause (result) | Example |
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| Type 0 <br> General truth (something which is always true) | If + present simple | present simple | If the temperature falls below $0^{\circ} \mathrm{C}$, water turns into ice. |
| Type 1 <br> Real present (real in the present or future) | If + present simple/continuous/ perfect/perfect continuous | future/imperative/ can/may/might/ must/should/could <br> + bare infinitive | If he doesn't pay the fine, he will go to prison. |
| Type 2 <br> Unreal present (imaginary situation in the present) | If + past simple / past continuous | would/could/might <br> + bare infinitive | If I were you, I would talk to my parents about it. |
| Type 3 <br> Unreal past (imaginary situation in the past) | If + past perfect / past perfect continuous | would/could/might <br> + have + <br> past participle | If he had studied harder, he would have passed the test. |

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Type 1 If + present future/imperative/ If he doesn't pay
Real present simple/continuous/ can/may/might/ the fine, he will go
(real in the present perfect/perfect must/should/could to prison.
or future)
continuous
+ bare infinitive
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## Open the brackets in the following sentences.

Remember the usage of Conditional 1.

1. If you study (to study) hard and __meet (to meet) all deadlines at school, you will get (to get) a well-paid job in future.
2. There is no doubt that the employees will be given (to give) bonuses if they work (to work) overtime.
3. If you choose (to choose) a career path properly, you will be satisfied (to satisfy) with your job.
4. Our graduates will be (to be) happy in case they pass_ (to pass) their exams with flying colours.
5. Miss Smith will be (to hire) if she manages (to manage) to answer all the questions of the interview properly.
6. If you _want (to want) to pay for your study by yourself, you will have (to have) to find a part-time job.
7. Provided all the applicants send (to send) the documents in time, we will have (to have) to make another short list for an HR department.

| Type 2 <br> Unreal present <br> (imaginary situation <br> in the present) | If + past simple / <br> past continuous | would/could/might <br> + bare infinitive | If I were you, I <br> would talk to my |
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| parents about it. |  |  |  |

Open the brackets and use the subjunctive mood.

| wish + Past Simple / <br> Past Continuous | Жалеем о чем-либо в <br> настоящем, но <br> изменить не можем | I wish I lived in <br> France. | Как жаль, что я н <br> живу во Франиии. |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| wish + Past Perfect | Жалеем о прошлом. | I wish I had listened <br> to my parents when I <br> was a teenager. | Жаль, что я не <br> слуиался родител <br> будучи подростко, |

1. If my father $\qquad$ did $\qquad$ (do) shift work,لlould not see (not see) him at weekends, but he works from 9 till 5 on weekdays and always has a rest on Saturday and Sunday.
2. If schools $\qquad$ provided (be) much easier for them to choose a profession.
3. If teenagers always followed
$\qquad$ (follow) their parents' advice, theeyd achieve (achieve) more in life.
knew
4. I wish she $\qquad$ (know) Spanish. They need a professional translator.
would solve
5. If your secretary dealt (deal) with financial documents, we $\qquad$ (solve) the matter faster. had told
6. I wishVyora $\qquad$ (tell) me about his failurevanderk ago. I would have changed the situation. Now it's too late.

## Условные предложения 1 типа. Упражнения

Second conditional exercises. Условные предложения II типа. Упражнения

Making a wish. I wish / if only в английской грамматике. Правила и упражнения

## Ask a question to the sentence using the word given in brackets.

1. My classmates and I study Chinese on Friday from five till seven. (Do) Do your classmates and you study Chinese on Friday from five till seven?
2. My classmates and I study Chinese on Friday from five till seven. (When) When do your classmates and you study Chinese?
3. My classmates and I study Chinese on Friday from five till seven. (French) Do your classmates and you study Chinese or French on Fridav from five till seven?
4. My classmates and I study Chinese on Friday from five till seven, (not) Your classmates and you study Chinese on Friday from five till seven. Do not you?
5. My classmates and I study Chinese on Friday from five till seven. (Who) Who studies Chinese on Friday from five till seven?


## Общий вопрос в английском - упражнения. General questions exercises

## Специальные вопросы упражнения. Special questions exercises

Task 1. You are going to read the text aloud. You have 1.5 minutes to read the text silently, and then be ready to read it aloud. Remember that you will not have more than 2 minutes for reading aloud.

If you are having a hard time figuring out what you want to do after graduation. You are not alone. Millions of college students and recent graduates are struggling with the same problem. But why? Whether you are a senior in college or you have been out of school for a few years now, the thought of choosing a career can be extremely overwhelming. Choosing a career path isn't easy. And like most things in life, chances are high that you won't completely fail it the first time. But if you go into your first job thinking that this is what you are going to do for the rest of your life, you are going to feel trapped. You should understand that the first job might not be the right one, and that's okay.

## Task 1

 Variant 4TASK 2. You are going to take part in a telephone survey. You have to answer six questions. Give full answers to the questions. Remember that you have 40 seconds to answer each question.

Electronic assistant: Hello! It's the electronic assistant of the employment centre My profession. We kindly ask you to take part in our survey. We need to find out what teenagers think about choosing a career. Please answer six questions. The survey is anonymous - you don't need to give your name. So, let's get started.

1. How old are you?
2. What professions are the most popular among Russian teenagers?
3. Do your parents help you to choose your future profession?
4. Have you already chosen your future job? What are you going to be?
5. Will you need English in your future profession? In what way?
6. What would you recommend to teenagers who cannot choose their future profession?

## TASK 3. You are going to give a talk about your family. You will have to start in 1.5 minutes and speak for not more than 2 minutes (10-12 sentences).

## Remember to say:

- when people usually make their career choice;
- how students can prepare for their future profession while studying at school;
- what your choice of your future profession is;
- what your attitude to choosing a profession in advance is.

You have to talk continuously.
Task 3
Variant 4


