

VOCABULARY



VERBS AND PREPOSITIONS

Remember: Some verbs are usually followed by a specific preposition.

He was **presented with** an award for his hard work.

How did she **react to** your comments?

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1 Complete the sentences with the correct preposition below. Pay attention to the words in colour. One preposition can be used twice.

with | to | in | for | of

- 1 She made a good impression which **resulted** ... her getting the job.
- 2 We're **aiming** ... a booming sales season.
- 3 I can't work tonight. Can you **substitute** ... me?
- 4 It's not easy to **cater** ... some of our customers.
- 5 She's having trouble **coping** ... all the pressures of her job.
- 6 You **remind** me ... someone I used to work with.

2 Match A to B and add a preposition to form sentences. Use *in*, *for* (x 2), *to*, *from* or *on*.

A

- 1 I'm thinking of **specialising**
- 2 Your supervisor won't **object**
- 3 I'd like to **congratulate** you
- 4 How much do they **charge**
- 5 People tried to **discourage** me
- 6 Kim's teachers have always **praised** her

B

- a doing an apprenticeship.
- b criminal law.
- c helping other students.
- d that course?
- e you taking a short holiday.
- f your promotion at work.

LISTENING Monologues and Dialogues

3 What are some advantages of a job that involves working with people? What are some disadvantages?

2/27 **4** You are going to hear people talking in five different situations. Listen and choose the correct answer.

- 1 You hear a man talking about his job. What does he dislike about it?
 - a He doesn't get enough holiday time.
 - b His holidays are not at the right time.
 - c It's difficult to deal with the people.
- 2 You hear an artist talking about his childhood. What helped him in his career?
 - a being encouraged by his parents
 - b inheriting his father's talent
 - c being exposed to art at an early age
- 3 You hear part of a conversation with an engineer. What is she doing?
 - a promoting an event
 - b describing her job
 - c persuading people to become engineers
- 4 You hear two people talking. What do they agree on?
 - a It's boring to look after a younger sister.
 - b It's unfair not to let employees keep their jobs.
 - c It would be wrong for the woman to apply for the job.
- 5 You hear a woman talking about a new job. How is she feeling?
 - a confident
 - b disappointed
 - c nervous



LOOKING AT PRONUNCIATION

- 2/28** 1 Listen and repeat the words below from the monologues and dialogues.
job /dʒ/ year /j/
- 2/29** 2 Match the bolded letters in each word to the correct phonetic symbol /dʒ/ or /j/. Then listen and check your answers.
teen**a**ge | engine**e**r | use**d** | jump
young | unus**u**al

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