

REMEMBER THIS

Some job names may mean something else in your language. Remember, in English these jobs mean:

Manager – a person who manages/controls a company/organisation or a part of it, e.g. sales manager, personnel manager

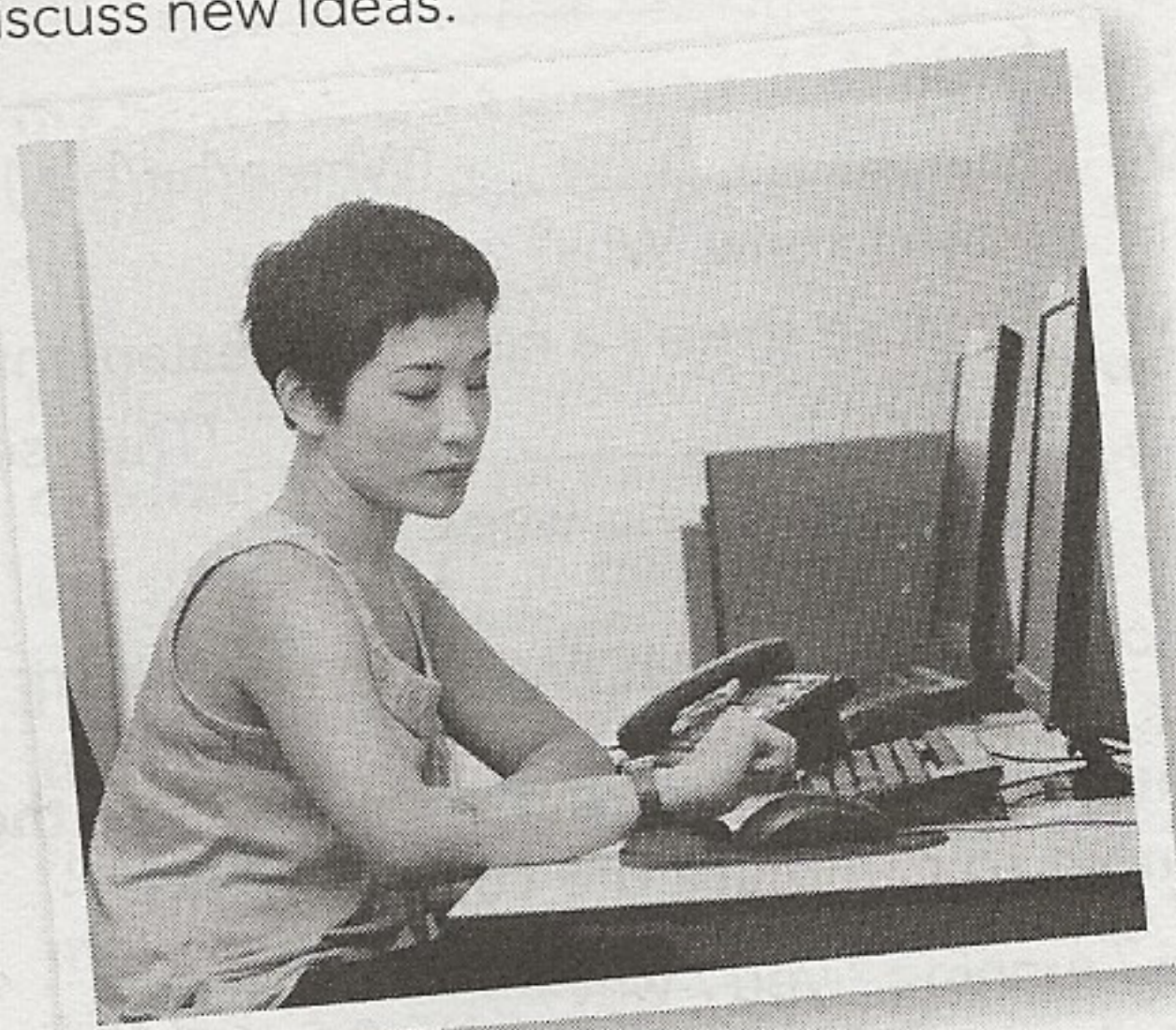
Chief – a leader/the most important person in a company/organisation, e.g. a police chief, an army chief

Boss – a supervisor or a person who decides who to hire in a company/department

Chef – a qualified and experienced cook, usually in a hotel or a restaurant

5 Read REMEMBER THIS. Choose the correct words.

- 1 My chief / boss gets very angry when I'm late for work.
- 2 He's the finance boss / manager of a small company.
- 3 I'd like to be a chef / chief in a Greek restaurant.
- 4 Police chiefs / chefs from different countries often meet to discuss new ideas.



WORD STORE 3C

work + preposition

6 Complete the text with the words in the box. There are three extra words.

for • from • in (x3) • on • own • to • with

How do young people see their future?

Here are some of your responses:

I don't know what I want to do when I finish my education. My parents work ⁰for large companies but I don't think I'd like that. I'd like to work ~~from~~ home and be free to go shopping or sleep when I want. I definitely don't want to be a teacher. I couldn't work ²in a school ³with children. I don't think I'd be very good at working ⁴in a team, either. I like to decide what to do and when to do it. Yes, I believe it's a good idea for me to work alone, without any people around me. I could work ⁵in an office – at my own desk with my own computer – but I would really like to stay at home.
Katy, 17

Sometimes in a conversation you might forget or not know a name of a job. Try to describe what the job involves, so that the person you are talking to can guess what you mean. They may give you the name of the job and the conversation will continue without interruptions.
E.g. He builds houses. (He is a builder.)
She works in a garden. (She is a gardener.)
He works with engines. (He's an engineer.)

7 Complete the mini conversations with one word in each gap.

Tom: Emily is ... I don't remember the word. She works in an office and she ⁰counts money.

Marta: You mean an accountant.

Tom: That's it. Thanks!

Ella: Brian works in a hotel, in ¹reception, you know, where people go when they first arrive.

Beatriz: So, he's a receptionist.

Ella: Yes.

Isabel: I want to work in the theatre. I want to ²act.

Sam: You want to be an actress.

Isabel: An actress, yes.

Pauline: My friend Sara is a sports ...

Simon: ... star?

Pauline: No, she trains people. She ³trains them.

Simon: Oh, a sports instructor. Great. Which sports does she teach?

SHOW WHAT YOU'VE LEARNT

8 Choose the correct options.

- 1 I work from / on / in home so I don't need to dress smartly.
- 2 My mum works with / on / in a supermarket but not on a checkout.
- 3 Kate is an actor / acting / actress. Her dream is to go to Hollywood.
- 4 I love working with / for / from animals. That's why I work at our local zoo.
- 5 I don't want a badly- pay / money / paid job. I want to be rich!
- 6 Do you always work long / hard / team?
- 7 My dad is a lawyer / plumber / mechanic. People often phone up in the middle of the night because there is water on their kitchen floor.
- 8 I work eight hours in / the / a day. I start at 7 a.m. and finish at 3 p.m.
- 9 Do you want a full-time or part / short / half-time job?
- 10 I don't want to work outside so I don't want to be an accountant / a gardener / a secretary.

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