

Look at the job categories. Add two more jobs to each.

⑦ working in the armed forces/emergency services (e.g. *a naval officer, a pilot, a fire-fighter*)

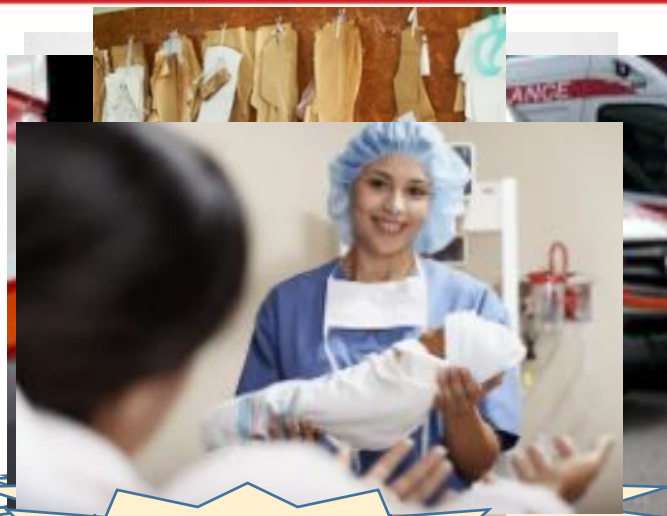
⑧ running your own business (e.g. *a hairdresser, a beautician, a florist*)

⑨ working in the medical profession (e.g. *a vet, a doctor, a nurse, a surgeon, a dentist*)

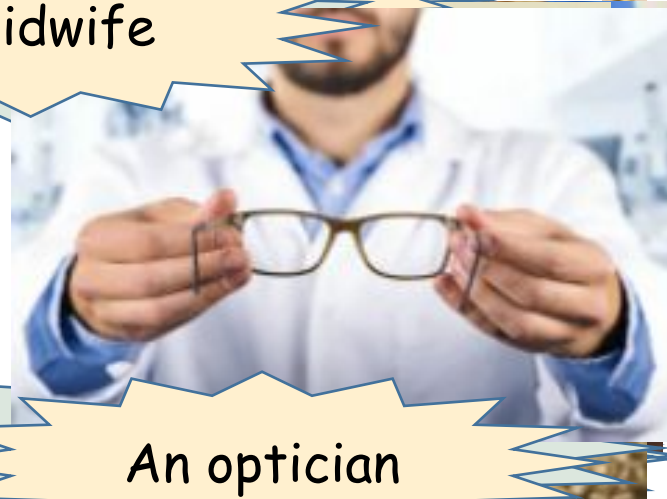
④ becoming a professional person (e.g. *an architect, a lawyer, an engineer*)

⑤ having a 9-5 job in an office (e.g. *a bank clerk, a secretary*)

⑥ becoming a famous celebrity (e.g. *a singer, a dancer, an actor*)

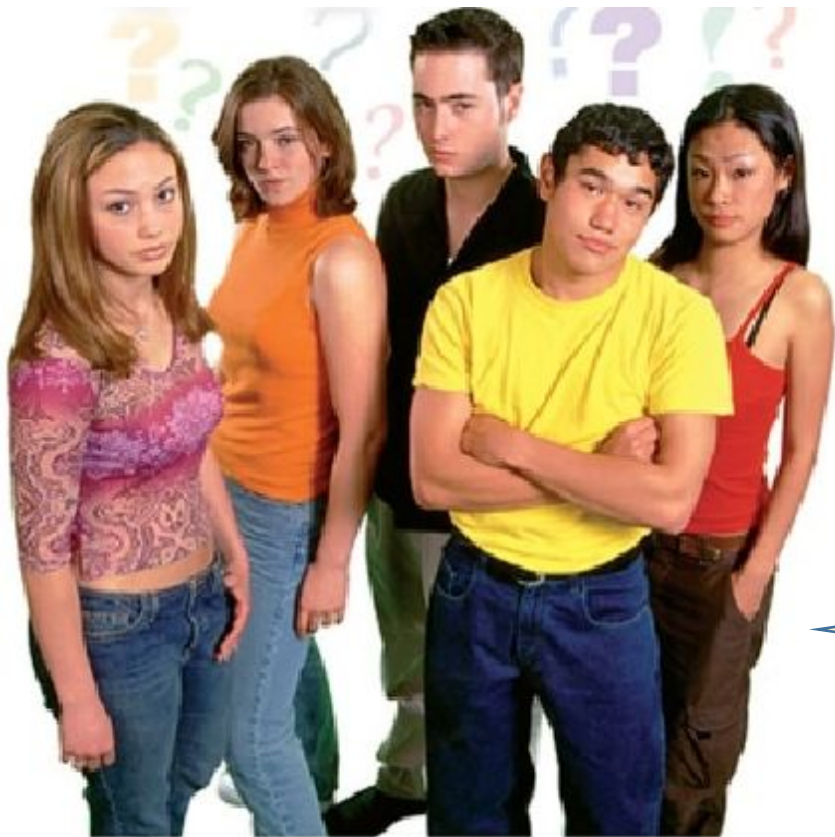


A midwife



An optician

Look at the jobs in Ex. 1 again. Find at least two jobs that the following people couldn't do.



"I don't have a lot of money, but I can't find a job that pays well. I don't like to work on weekends."



A bank clerk



A nurse

A secretary

Find at least one type of job which ...

... ~~on the way to the top of the hierarchy.~~  
personnel



A managing  
director



Use the language in the box and the ideas in Exs. 1 & 2 to discuss, as in the example.

### Asking

- Would you like to ...?/What would you like to ...?
- Do you want to ...?
- Are you going to ...?
- Do you think you'll ...?

### Responding

- |                                   |                          |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| • I'm going to ...                | • Yes, I think I'll ...  |
| • No, I wouldn't like to ...      | • No, I don't think so.  |
| • I don't really want to ...      | • I don't think I'll ... |
| • Yes, I (definitely) hope to ... | • I'd like/love to ...   |

- A: *Do you think you'll be the boss of a big company one day?*  
 B: *No, I don't think so, because I don't really want to have a lot of responsibility.*



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jack-of-all-trades



bring home the bacon

(to earn money for a family to live on)



in the same boat

(in the same difficult situation as someone else)



follow in her footsteps

(to do the same thing as someone else did previously)



# Match the idioms to their definitions.

jack-of-all-trades

follow in her  
footsteps

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boat

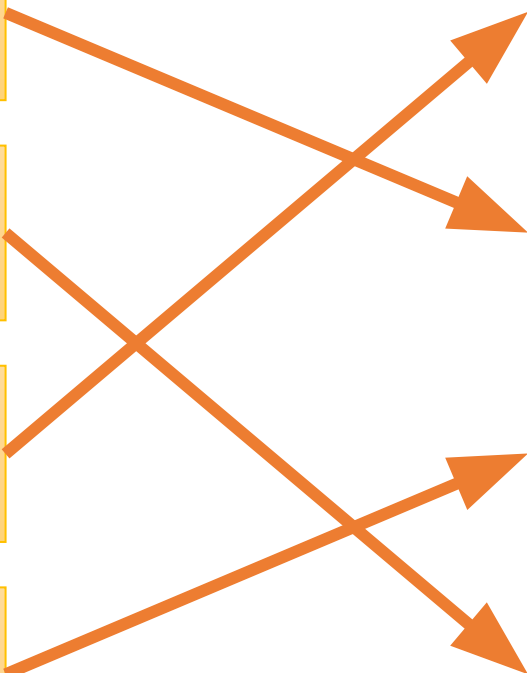
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Guess the idiom.



Bring home the bacon

## Complete the idioms.

- jack-of-all-trades • bring home the bacon
- in the same boat • follow in his/her footsteps

- 1 My aunt is a pilot and I'd really like to ..... .
- 2 The man in that shop can do anything. He's a ..... .
- 3 Everyone worries about finding a job when they leave school, but we're all ..... .
- 4 I really admire my parents. They work very hard to ..... .

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