

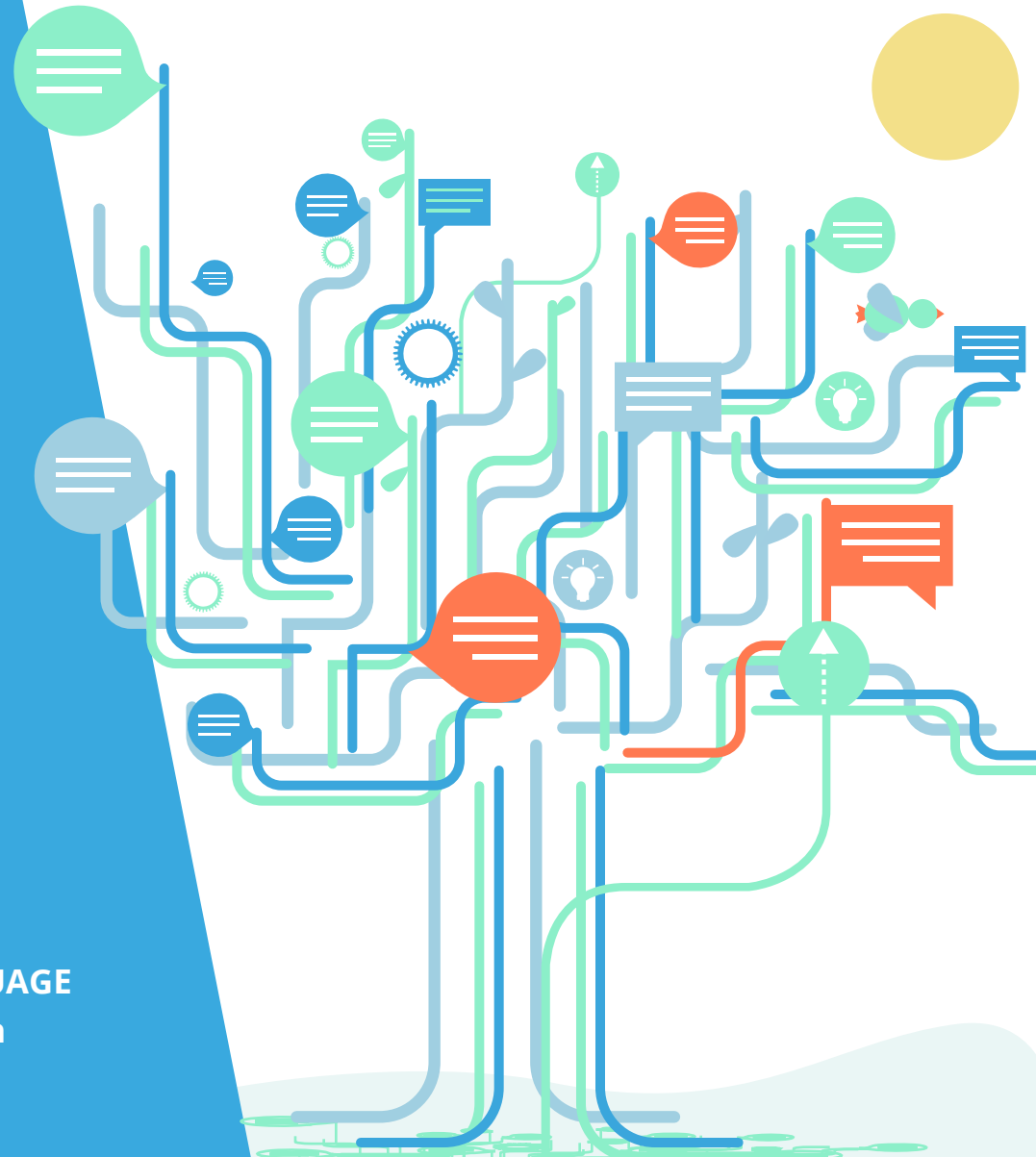
Steve loves his job

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Beginner

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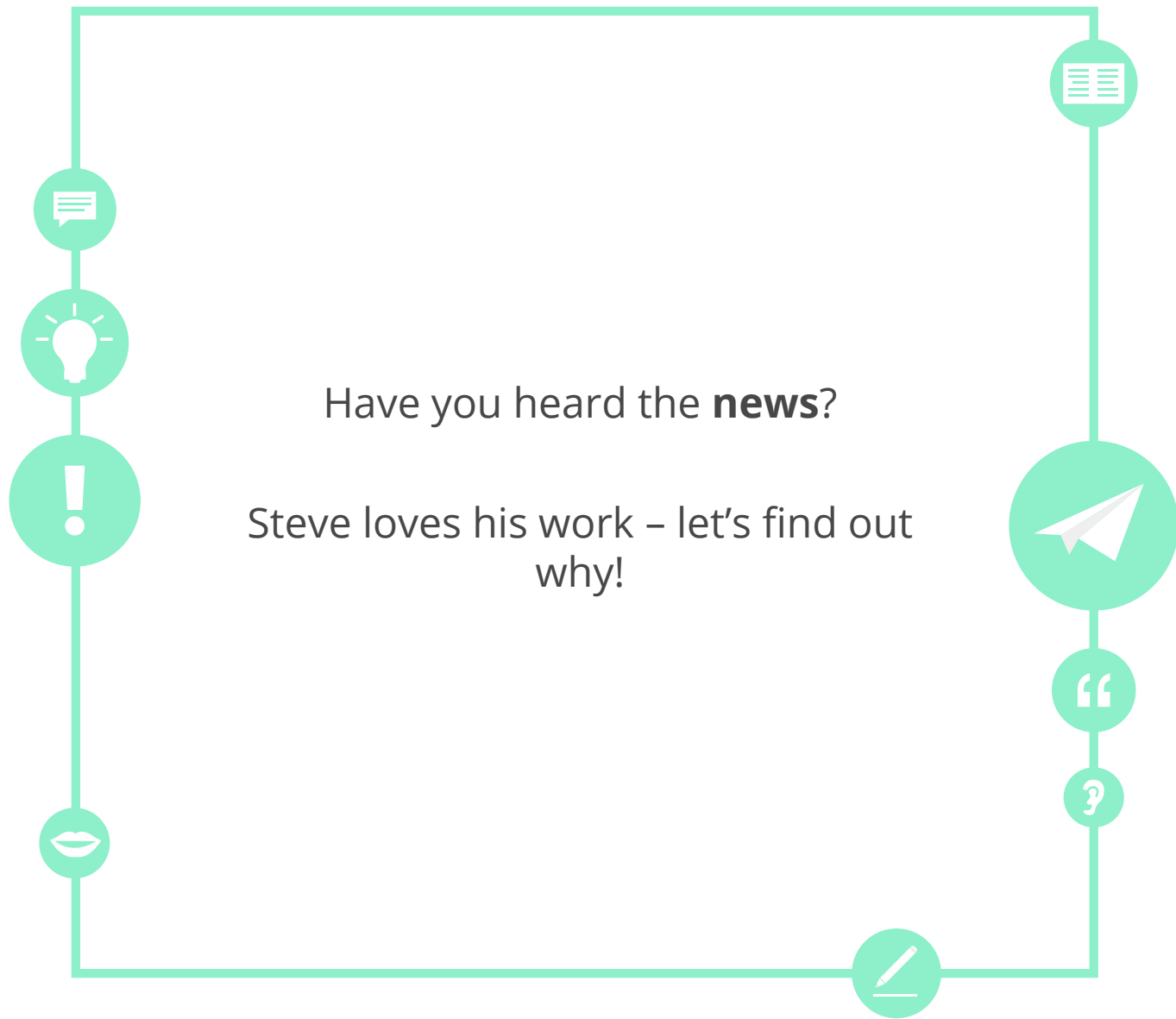




Goals

- Can understand a short text about jobs and professions.
- Can give a simple opinion about a job using basic adjectives.







Vocabulary

profession

to get hurt

job

dangerous

employer



to travel

employee

journalist



Employment



My **employer** is my boss.

I work for my boss. I'm an **employee**.





The life of a journalist



A **journalist** writes for newspapers.

They **travel** to lots of interesting places.



It is sometimes a **dangerous** job.

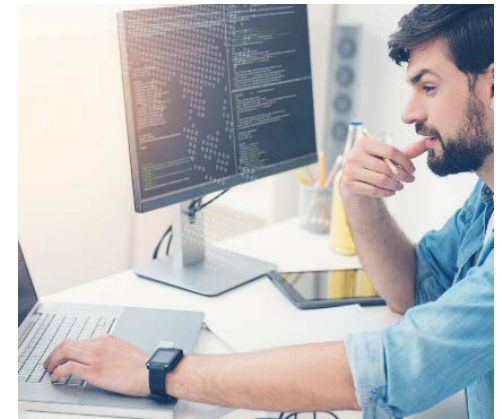
There's a chance of **getting hurt**.





Reading

Steve lives in Vancouver and works full-time as a **journalist**. He **interviews** people and writes stories for his newspaper. He has a very busy **schedule**, but he loves his job and works very hard. His boss really likes him because he is always happy to be at work, and never **complains**.





Reading

Not all of his work is **exciting**, but Steve thinks every story is **important**, even the **boring** ones. He is from Vancouver, and his work lets him learn new things about his city every week.



True or false?

TRUE

FALSE

1. Steve lives in New York.

2. He has a very busy schedule.

3. Steve never complains.

4. Steve thinks every story is boring.

5. Steve is from Vancouver.



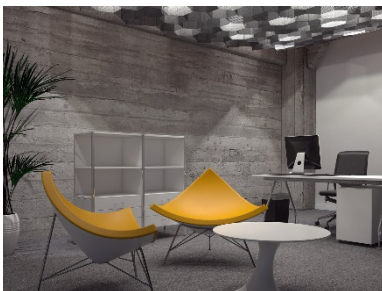
Match the sentences to pictures

1. Steve is from Canada.

2. He writes for a newspaper.

3. He is always very busy.

4. His office is in Vancouver.



A



B



C



D



Which is the odd one out?

job

Vancouver

work

employee



Reading

His **salary** is not very high, but he does not complain about it. He believes that he can be **successful** if he works hard and enjoys his job. His apartment is very small, but he works a lot and is not at home very much. He does not even have a TV, but he does not have time to watch TV shows anyway.



True or false?

TRUE

FALSE

1. His salary is high.

2. He does not complain about his salary.

3. His apartment is very small.

4. He does not work a lot.

5. He does not have a TV.



Choose the correct word



salary

complain



Talk about the news

Do you read newspapers?





Reading

When he works on a story, he meets many **interesting** people. Sometimes he travels to other countries. He enjoys visiting new places and writing about them. He likes to listen to people's stories. Steve loves writing about the people he meets and the places he sees. He plans to be a **famous journalist** one day.



Reading

Sometimes, his employer sends him to **dangerous** places. Steve knows that his job is not safe, but it is very important. He wants to help people. He is afraid of getting hurt, but he knows that there are many stories in these dangerous places and he wants to tell them.



Find the answer

**Find the answers in the text.
Tell your teacher.**



What does Steve like about his job?

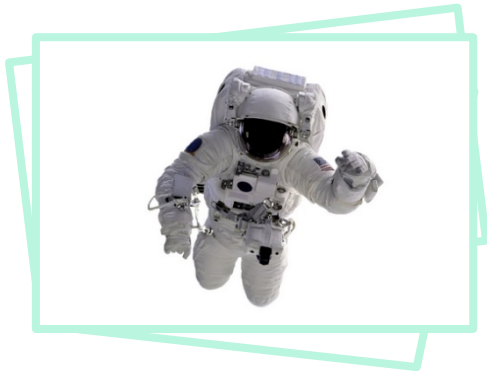
What's Steve's plan for the future?

Why does he go to dangerous places?



Talk about jobs

Do you know the title of each of these jobs?
What does each person do when they are at work?



Who makes the most money?

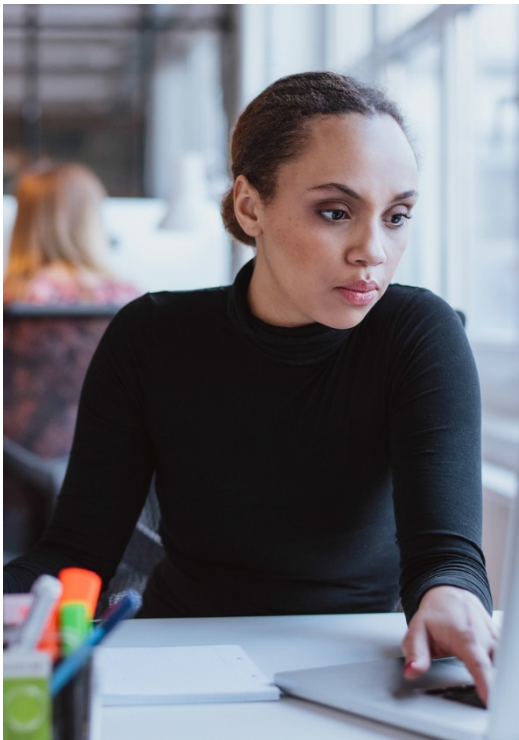


Who is the happiest?



What do you think?

**Would you like to be a journalist? Why or why not?
Use the words below to help you.**



job

write

newspaper

interesting

stories

salary

dangerous

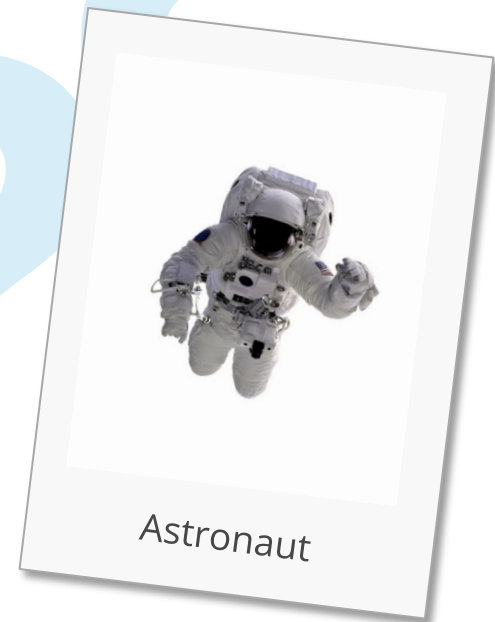
afraid

travel



Which would you prefer...

Which job
would you
prefer? Why?





Dictogloss

Your teacher is going to read to you.
Write down what you hear your teacher say.

A stack of lined paper with a faint globe watermark in the background. The paper has several horizontal lines for writing.



abc





Reflect on the goals

Go back to the second slide of the lesson and check if you have achieved all the goals of the lesson.

yes

no



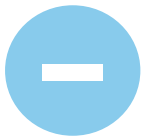


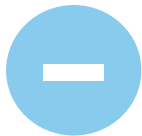
Reflect on this lesson

Think about everything you have seen in this lesson.
What were the most difficult activities or words? The easiest?









If you have time, go over
the most difficult slides again





Answer key

salary

Exercise p.14

1. False - 2. True - 3. True - 4. False - 5. True

Exercise p.13

Vancouver

Exercise p.11

1. B - 2. D - 3. C - 4. A

Exercise p.10

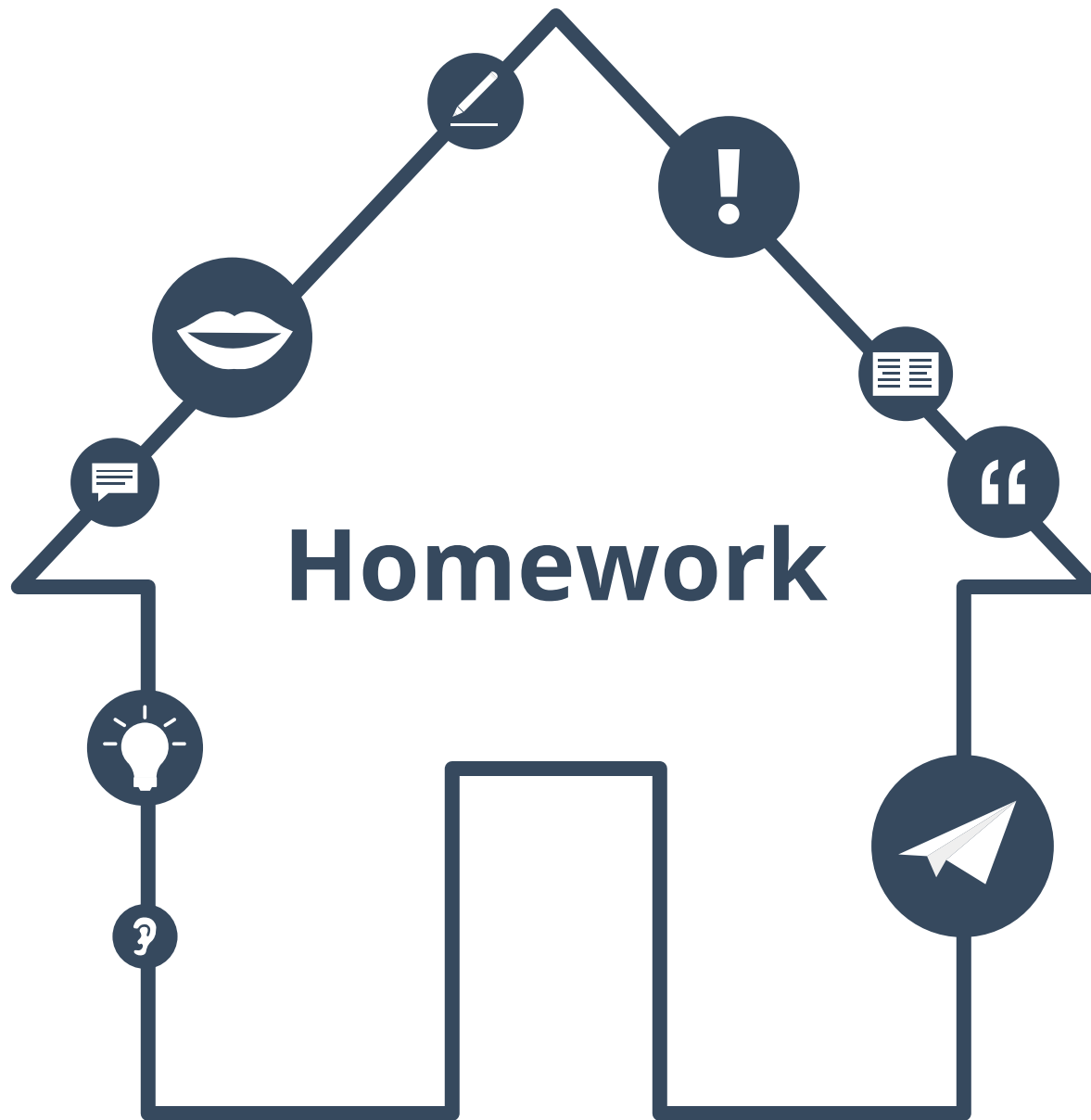
1. False - 2. True - 3. True - 4. False - 5. True

Exercise p.9



Dictogloss text

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Transform these sentences using *works as*

1. Steve is a journalist.

→ Steve **works as** a journalist.

2. Caroline is a teacher.

→ _____

3. Andrew is a lawyer.

→ _____

4. Paula is a nurse.

→ _____

5. Ken is a professor.

→ _____

6. I am a farmer.

→ _____

7. He is an accountant.

→ _____

8. She is a secretary.

→ _____



My favourite sentences

**Choose your five favourite sentences
from the three pieces of text.**

A vertical rectangular area designed for writing, featuring a light gray background and horizontal lines. On the left side, there is a vertical column of ten circular punch holes, suggesting it is a page from a binder or notebook.



My favourite character

**Who is your favourite character in the text?
What does he or she do in this text?**

My favourite
character is...

He is...

He does...

She is...

He is not...

She does...

A vertical sheet of white paper with a spiral binding on the left side and horizontal lines for writing.



Favourite character

**What happens next?
Write two sentences of the story.**

A white rectangular area with a vertical line on the left side and a series of small circles, resembling a spiral notebook binding. The area contains ten horizontal lines for writing.



Easy or difficult?

Is the text easy to understand?

Is the text difficult to understand?

Write down an easy sentence and a difficult sentence.

A vertical sheet of white paper with a spiral binding on the left side and horizontal lines for writing.



Homework answer key

Exercise p.24

2. Caroline works as a nurse. – 3. Andrew works as a lawyer. – 4. Paula works as a nurse. –
5. Ken works as a professor – 6. I work as a farmer. – 7. He works as an accountant.
8. She works as a secretary.



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