

### 1 Match the sentence halves.

- 1 This job is fun, but it's badly F.....
- 2 Do you think you can take .....  
.....
- 3 Dan works long .....
- 4 The deadline for this assignment .....
- 5 Is it easy to make a .....
- 6 Do you work the day or .....
- 7 Doctors, dentists, vets and bankers are well .....
- 8 I think it's more important to have a rewarding .....

- A** time off, so we can go to Cancun next month?  
**B** is a week on Monday.  
**C** paid in this country so you will be able to live comfortably.  
**D** night shift at the moment?  
**E** job than one that is well paid.  
**F** paid, so I have a second job at the weekends.  
**G** hours, so he won't be home until 8.  
**H** living on your current salary?

### 2 Choose the correct options.

Hi Martin,  
 Great to hear you're coming to visit. I don't know if I can <sup>1</sup> take time off / work long hours though. I'm currently <sup>2</sup> badly paid / making a living as a waiter here in Glasgow. It's not a <sup>3</sup> well paid / shift job and I have <sup>4</sup> to work long hours / deadline, but at least I'm with my girlfriend. I usually work the day <sup>5</sup> rewarding / shift from 8am to 4pm. Then I have time to study in the evenings. I actually have a project with a tight <sup>6</sup> deadline / shift at the moment, but should be free when you get here. I also work in a call centre on Saturdays. That is <sup>7</sup> badly paid / work long hours and isn't very <sup>8</sup> well paid / rewarding, as people never want to speak to us but it's a good way for me to practise my English!  
 Looking forward to seeing you.  
 Greg

### 3 Match the underlined phrases with a phrase in the box with a similar meaning.

more and more   more or less   now and then  
 one or two   over and over again  
 round and round   sooner or later   ~~up and down~~

- 1 I walked one way and then the other way along the street, but I couldn't find the office. up and down.....
- 2 My parents have told me so many times how important good exam results are.  
 .....
- 3 He's only 17, but eventually he has to decide what he wants to do. ....
- 4 As time passes I feel it's unlikely that I'll become a fashion model. ....
- 5 We've gone in a circle with this argument and we can't decide. ....
- 6 A few of my friends know their plans after high school. ....
- 7 Sometimes I think I want to study medicine but then I change my mind. ....
- 8 We've almost 100% decided that we're going to Vietnam this summer. ....

### 4 Choose the correct options.

- A:** So, have you decided where you're going to study yet?  
**B:** <sup>1</sup> Sooner or later / More or less. I really want to go to Canada. There's a course in Toronto that I want to do.  
**A:** But that's so far away!  
**B:** I know. I'll only be able to come back <sup>2</sup> round and round / now and then as the plane tickets are expensive. But, I know <sup>3</sup> one or two / up and down people there who say it's great fun. They also say I can easily find a <sup>4</sup> well paid / badly paid job there when I finish. With this career I should be able to <sup>5</sup> work long hours / make a living and I think it'll be <sup>6</sup> rewarding / shift, too.  
**A:** Another engineer in the family. You obviously <sup>7</sup> look down on / take after your father! I guess he's <sup>8</sup> in favour / in progress of this decision.  
**B:** Absolutely!

### 1

- 2 A
- 3 G
- 4 B
- 5 H
- 6 D
- 7 C
- 8 E

### 2

- 2 making a living
- 3 well paid
- 4 to work long hours
- 5 shift
- 6 deadline
- 7 badly paid
- 8 rewarding

### 3

- 2 over and over again
- 3 sooner or later
- 4 more and more
- 5 round and round
- 6 One or two
- 7 Now and then
- 8 more or less

### 4

- 2 now and then
- 3 one or two
- 4 well paid
- 5 make a living
- 6 rewarding
- 7 take after
- 8 in favour