**ADVANTAGES AND DISADVANTAGES OF DIFFERENT JOBS**

**LEAD - IN**

**Task 1.** Look at the pictures and guess their jobs. What other job titles do you know?



*1.mechanic 2 .office worker 3.electrician*

*4.power engineer 3.IT specialist 4.builder 5.locksmith*

*6.operator 7.programmer 8.computer scientist*

**Task 2.** Which of these jobs (Task 1) can be full time, part time, shift work and home-based job?

full time:*office worker,computer scientist*

part time:*mechanic,power engineer*

shift work:*electrician,operator*

home-based job:*IT specialist,programmer*

**Task 3.** Look at the adjectives below and match them to the jobs (Task 1)



*1.mechanic-demanding responsibility 2 .office worker-punctual 3.electrician*

*4.power engineer-genius 3.IT specialist-smart 4.builder-brave 5.locksmith-annoying*

*6.operator -good communication skills 7.programmer-clever 8.computer scientist-trustworthy*

**Task 4.** Read the article below and then answer the questions

**My Job is Special!**

For most people, a job means they get up at 7:00 am and drive to work by 8:30 or 9:00 am. Later, they have lunch at noon, and then they start work again. Finally, they finish work at about 6:00 pm and then go home and have dinner with their family. That kind of job is okay for most people, but my job is special and I love it! I’m a pilot.Being a successful pilot requires a combination of skills, such as: leadership, good communication skills, responsibility.

That means I don’t drive to work, I fly! In fact, I fly to many different destinations in the world and I have friends in many countries. Usually, I fly between countries in Asia, North America and South America.

It’s not surprising, that my best friend lives in Japan and we stay in touch by Facebook and e-mail – when I’m in Tokyo, he always invites me to have dinner with him and his family. In fact, my favorite food is sushi. Another good friend of mine – Gustavo – lives in Brasilia. That’s the capital city of Brazil.

Gustavo and I love to watch football games together when I visit. Is my job perfect? No, it’s not. Because I fly across many different time zones, I sometimes go to bed at 2:00 am. At other times, I go to bed at 2:00 pm. That kind of schedule isn’t easy. In addition, my job often separates me from my wife and two children. They live in New York and often I am many thousands of miles away. Sometimes I miss them very much. However, I think I have an exciting job.

**Task 5.** Answer the following questions

* **What is the main idea of the article?**
* His job is different from most people’s jobs.
* **The man likes his job.**
* He doesn’t say.
* **Where does his best friend live?**
* Tokyo
* **How many countries does he flyto?**
* He doesn’tsay.
* **Where does he say likes to watch footballgames?**
* inBrazil
* **He always goes to sleep at the same time everyday.**
* FALSE
* **What does the word ‘them’ referto?**
* hisfamily
* **What does he say about hisjob?**
* It has some problems but he likesit.

**Task 6.** Discuss the following questions

* What do your parents do?
* *my dad has his own small business, he does it,mom works as a teacher(educator*)
* What are their responsibilities?
* *father's duty to monitor the development of goods, and mother's duty to monitor the upbringing of children*
* How many hours do they work each day?
* *8 hours each*
* Do they enjoy their work?

*yes they like their work*