

LET'S PRACTICE 02: (CONVERSATION WITH "SARA")

Me: Good morning, Sara. It's been a long time. How are you?

Sara: Good morning, sir Baba. I am good. Thank you. And you?

Me: I am fine, too. Thanks.

Me: Can we ask you some questions about your job, Sara? -it may include your *salary* as well LOL (joking)-

Sara: Yes! I have no problem with that.

Me: I interviewed your sister in law **Souad** and she told me she is a *teacher* and her husband **Mounir** is a *lawyer*. She also mentioned that your brother **Ahmed** is an *architect*. How about you? *What do you do for a living*, Sara?

Sara: yeah! My brother Mounir is a lawyer and my brother Ahmed is an architect who loves his job very much.

Me: And you? *What do you do for a living?*

Sara: I am a nurse. I assist *doctors* and *surgeons* and I look after patients at the *hospital*.

Me: That's interesting! As you know, we are only doing this interview to help our students practice their job vocabulary. Can I ask you a personal question if you don't mind, please?

Sara: Sure. You can ask me any question. I am always ready to help.

Me: OK! *How much do you make as a nurse? What is your salary*, Sara?

Sara: Yeah! The nurse *salary* is somewhere between 40.000DA and 70.000DA plus *benefits*. It depends on *seniority*.



Me: Thank you so much. And how many **days off** do you get as a nurse?

Sara: I **get** **2 days off** a week and a **paid vacation** of 1 month a year.

Me: That sounds good. And do you like your job as a nurse, Sara?

Sara: Of course, I love my job. As you know, I am a single lady and my job is everything in my life.

Me: Absolutely. Thank you so much Sara it was a pleasure talking to you today.

Sara: The pleasure is all mine, Sir Baba. Thank you.

PART II: HOME PRACTICE

Exercise: Read / Listen to the conversation and answer the following questions.

Q1: What does Sara do (for a living)?

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Q2: Where does she **work? →**

Q3: Does she love her job? →

Q4: What does her brother Ahmed do for a living?

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Q5: How much does the nurse make a month?

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Q6: How many days off does she get per week?

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Q7: How many paid vacations does she get per year?

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