

Vocabulary: Collecting Arguments

Session task: Collect the necessary arguments to make a brief comparative composition between **self-employment** (**self-employed**) and **public employment** (**employee**).

Notes: To make a fair comparison, we are only referring to middle-class jobs in here!!

Criteria	The self-employed	The employee	In a sentence
Income (high/low)	✓		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The income of the self-employed is higher than the income of the employee. ✓ The income of the employee is lower than the income of the self-employed.
Input: Time and effort (hard/easy)		✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The job of the self-employed is harder than the job of the employee. ✓ The job of the employee is easier than the job of the self-employed.
Social Glamour (glamorous)		✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The job of the employee is more glamorous than the job of the self-employed.
Job security (secure)		✓	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The job of the employee is more secure than the job of the self-employed.
Importance (important)	✓		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The job of the self-employed is more important than the job of the employee.

Putting sentences together to get a short coherent paragraph

First, the income of the self-employed is higher than the income of the employee but the job of the self-employed is harder than the job of the employee and the job of the employee is more glamorous. Additionally, the job of the employee is more secure. However, the job of the self-employed is more important than the job of the employee.

(+) but (-) ; (+) However, (-) ; (+) Still, (-) ; (+) Nevertheless, (-)

(+) and (+) ; (+). Additionally, (+) ; (+). In Addition to that, (+) ; (+). Besides, (+)

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