

3 . Working life

1. 1. In my mid-twenties I j.... the s.... of a language school .
 2. She was able to do a j...-s.... with another woman .
 3. Harry managed to build up n..... of c..... which gave him a good start .
 4. He soon had a s..... v..... of work - private students and marking exams .
 5. I'm planning on going abroad again so I'm letting everyone know I'm o..... to O..... .
 6. I managed to c..... a n..... for myself as a specialist in dermatology .
 7. Hannah did a j.... s..... with her opposite number for a year in a clinic in Vancouver .
 8. I did the usual thing of p..... t..... my CV and applying for jobs .
 9. She is under c..... pressure now because they put her on a fast-track-scheme and they're pushing really hard .
 10. This Ukrainian woman is very smart and determined to m..... up the l..... fast .
 11. After preparing to take up the post for several months she had a c..... of heart , quit the job and moved to the country .
 12. I told him to get his p..... right and think about his family .
 13. Job should never t..... p..... over your family .
 14. I will h.... in my r..... next week .
 15. This old man s..... from a h.... blood pressure .
 16. This steel pipe can w..... really high pressure for a long period of time .
 17. My workload is insane . I'm u..... a lot of p,..... because none of the deadlines have been met yet .
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1 . To join the staff

- *To start working somewhere*

2 . To do a job share

- *When two people share equal parts of the same job .*

3 . Network of contacts

- *To build up network of contacts*
- *To have many clients who prefer to use your service*

4 . Volume of work

- *Amount of work*

5 . To be open to offers

6 . To carve a niche for myself

- *Make a special position for yourself*

7 . Opposite number

- *Someone doing the same in a different location.*

8 . To put together one's CV

- *Curriculum Vitae - a written description of your education , qualification , skills and career .*

9 . Fast - Track - Scheme

- *An intense promotion for talented staff members .*

10 . To move up the ladder

- *To get promoted quickly and go up the career ladder .*

11 . A change of heart

- *A change of mind*

12 . To get one's priorities right

- *Giving importance to right aspects of life .*

13 . To take priority over ..

- *To be more important than ..*

14 . To hand in one's resignation

- *To inform the employer that you're quitting*

15 . Considerable / a lot of pressure vs high pressure

Under a lot of stress - considerable / a lot of pressure

A physical condition of pressurized gas or liquid - high pressure