

## 8 TYPES OF EMPLOYEES WHO RUIN COMPANIES

**In 30 seconds, answer the following questions:**

- 1. What company do you want to work for?**
- 2. How many employees are there in your company?**

Answer the given questions in 60 seconds:

**1. Can you name some habits of a bad employee  
in your office?**

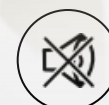
**2. Which one is the worst?**



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Listen and repeat. Then, choose a word to define.

1. **Contribution (n)** /ˌkɒntrɪˈbjʊːʃn/

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2. **Tangible (adj)** /ˈtæŋdʒəbl/

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3. **Respect (n)** /rɪˈspekt/

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4. **Diminish (v)** /dɪˈmɪnɪʃ/

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5. **Dignity (n)** /ˈdɪgnəti/

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6. **Tolerate (v)** /ˈtɒləreɪt/

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**Make a sentence using that word.**

**Example:** Anything that **diminishes** the **dignity** or respect of any employee will not be **tolerated**.



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# Wear Your Words

Explanation of useful idioms:

## Stand on one's dignity

to demand to be treated with the respect that you think that you deserve



## With all due respect

used when you are going to disagree, usually quite strongly, with somebody



### Examples:

- Our boss never **stands on her dignity**, but treats us all as friends and colleagues.
- **With all due respect**, the figures simply do not support your argument.

**Make a sentence using one of the given idioms.**



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**Structure:**

**S + complain + about + somebody/something.**

**Example:** *I have complained about my colleague who often smokes in the office.*

**Make a sentence using the given structure.**



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**Pair Work:** In 180 seconds, discuss with your partner the types of employees who ruin companies.

## Suggestions

- ✓ They say: "That's not my job."
- ✓ They act as if they've already paid their dues
- ✓ They think experience is a tangible commodity
- ✓ They love gossip
- ✓ They rush to grab the glory
- ✓ They rush to throw others under the bus
- ✓ Etc.



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# Assessment Form

Here are some comments on your performance.

| Student | Pronunciation | Vocabulary | Grammar |
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**Feel free to ask if you have any questions!**



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- ✓ Vocabulary related to the types of employees who ruin companies

- ✓ **Two idioms:**

**Stand on one's dignity**

**With all due respect**

- ✓ **Structure:**

**S + complain + about + somebody/something.**

- ✓ Discussion about the types of employees who ruin companies



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# Homework

Complete your mission and find more in related lessons.

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| <b>Your mission</b>  | <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ Take note of what you need to improve (Vocabulary, Grammar and Pronunciation)</li><li>✓ Practice the related lessons in the course browser <a href="#">here (It doesn't apply to all students)</a></li><li>✓ Take those lessons</li></ul> |
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