

academic (adj)
application (n)
apply (v)
assignment (n)
campus (n)
degree (n)

educate (v)
grade (n)
graduate (v)
higher education (n)
law (n)

medicine (n)
offer (v)
practical (adj)
qualification (n)
revise (v)

A Complete the conversation using words and phrases from the box.

academic application applied for grades higher education
medicine practical revising was offered

At school, I wasn't very interested in ¹ _____ subjects, like sport, music or art, but I was good at ² _____ subjects, especially science. My teachers suggested I should go on to ³ _____. My dream is to become a doctor, so I ⁴ _____ a place at university to study ⁵ _____. I studied hard and spent a lot of time ⁶ _____ before my final exams. Thankfully, I got good enough ⁷ _____, so my ⁸ _____ was successful and I ⁹ _____ a place at a really good university.

assignments degrees educating graduate from law on campus qualifications

I'm a lecturer in ¹⁰ _____ at a university. I spend most of my working day ¹¹ _____: giving lectures, talking to students in my office or marking their ¹² _____. I really enjoy my job. It's good to be involved in ¹³ _____ young people and helping them gain the ¹⁴ _____ they need to become lawyers. When my students receive their ¹⁵ _____ and ¹⁶ _____ the university, I feel really happy.

B Match the first part of the sentences (1–8) to the second part (a–h).

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| 1 A campus includes | a writing an essay or doing some research. |
| 2 Academic subjects involve | b the human body. |
| 3 Practical subjects usually involve | c a qualification from a university. |
| 4 An assignment could involve | d the legal system. |
| 5 Higher education involves | e all the university buildings. |
| 6 A degree is | f mostly reading and writing. |
| 7 A law degree involves studying | g skills using your hands. |
| 8 On a course in medicine, you learn about | h study at college or university. |

a university/science/medical degree: *Do you have a university degree?*

a degree in science/engineering/education: *She graduated with a degree in engineering.*

get/receive/earn/have a degree: *He received his law degree in 2017.*

C Complete the sentences with the correct form of the verbs from the box. Use each verb only once.

apply educate get graduate have offer receive revise study

- It's Chloe's last year at school, so she's _____ for a place at university.
- Josh is _____ law at the University of Zurich.
- We need to _____ young people about the risks of sharing personal details online.
- Anna _____ her degree in economics last year and now she's working for a bank.
- If you want to go on to higher education, you'll need to _____ good grades.
- We'd like to _____ you a place on the engineering course for next year.
- Ben _____ a maths degree from Oxford University.
- I can't come out, sorry. I need to _____ for my exams.
- My sister _____ from university last year with a degree in medicine.