

A week in the life



How many people in the class fell asleep one evening last week because they'd been exercising hard?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class laughed last week because they'd seen something really funny?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class got a headache last week because they'd been surfing the Internet for too long?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class got money last week that they'd earned from a job?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class went to bed early last week because they'd been studying all evening?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class were broke last week because they'd spent all their money at the shops?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class felt happy last week because they'd got some good news?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class were told off last week because they'd been playing computer games for too long?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class felt frustrated last week because they'd been trying to do something but couldn't?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class felt stressed last week because they'd been arguing with someone?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class felt annoyed last week because they'd lost something?

Answer: _____

How many people in the class were told off last week because they hadn't tidied their rooms?

Answer: _____

The correct set, the correct answer

<p>1 I was offered an excellent job abroad, but I had to turn it _____ because I didn't want to leave my family.</p>	<p>2 At the moment, a lot of people in my town are _____ because so many companies have closed down.</p>	<p>3 I'd rather do _____ work than work which involved sitting in front of a computer all day.</p>
<p>4 I didn't enjoy my job and was always arguing with my boss, so I decided to _____ and look for another job.</p>	<p>5 When you _____ in the form, please use black ink and make sure you write clearly.</p>	<p>6 In my opinion, the best sales managers are those who have had lots of _____ selling directly to customers.</p>
<p>7 He set _____ his first Internet trading company when he was only 18, and was a millionaire before he was 21.</p>	<p>8 I don't earn a good _____, but I love my job.</p>	<p>9 As part of my job, I often have to deal _____ customers who are unhappy with the service they have received.</p>
<p>10 I recently _____ for a job at a summer holiday camp for children, and am now waiting to hear back from them.</p>	<p>11 The factory employed 200 people, but a lot of them lost their jobs when the factory was taken _____ by a large company.</p>	<p>12 I take the morning train to town, where I work from nine _____ five for a small printing firm.</p>
<p>13 The company couldn't afford to keep all of its workers, so a lot of us were made _____.</p>	<p>14 I hated my job at first, but I _____ at it and now I really enjoy it.</p>	<p>15 If you want to get _____ at work, you must be prepared to work hard and for long hours.</p>

<p>A fill turn set deal</p>	<p>B money wages payment salary</p>	<p>C applied dealt looked worked</p>	<p>D retired resigned promoted redundant</p>	<p>E at in over ahead</p>
<p>F ahead on with in</p>	<p>G promotion retirement unemployment resignation</p>	<p>H down ahead on in</p>	<p>I up on in at</p>	<p>J at by before to</p>
<p>K qualifications training experience skills</p>	<p>L skilled shift overtime manual</p>	<p>M got kept set turned</p>	<p>N sacked unemployed fired dismissed</p>	<p>O retire resign fire dismiss</p>

A busy week

Complete the first section of the story. Then fold over that section so your words are hidden and pass the worksheet to the student on your left. Repeat until the story is complete.

What a crazy week! On Monday I was on my way to _____ when someone

(What happened?)

fold

On Tuesday I was on my way home from work when I realised I'd forgotten _____

(What had you forgotten?)

fold

On Thursday I had an interview. I'd applied for a part-time job as a _____

(What job had you applied for?)

fold

I wanted to impress the interviewer, so I'd put on _____

(What were you wearing?)

fold

As soon as I arrived, I recognised the other interviewee. She and I used to _____

(How did you know her?)

fold

She asked me about my life since we had last seen each other. I told her I'd been _____

(Where had you been living and what had you been doing?)

fold

As she talked, I remembered how funny she was. She would always _____

(Describe one of her amusing habits)

fold

Even though they turned me down for the job, the week ended really well. On Friday I _____

(What did you do?)

fold

It was a lovely way to end a busy week!