

Are you worked up because you need to work out the meaning of lots of expressions about work you never came across? Maybe you should work on vocabulary a little bit more and to do it I've got the perfect game for you, it works wonders! If you have done enough revision, you can win it all or if not lose your shirt! **Let's get down to work then.**

	BET	Right	Wrong	Total
1. He didn't fix in his first job and looked for another one				
2. This job chokes my creativity.				
3. Working freelance means you're not accountable to anyone.				
4. She'll achieve anything in life, she has a great drive.				
5. He didn't have the right experience and was turned away for the job.				
6. I was delighted when my boss rose my salary.				
7. Having to meet deadlines is quite stressful.				
8. He works antisocial hours but the salary is good.				
9. It's difficult not to talk shop at work.				
10. The colleague I get on best with is my opposite member in Madrid.				
11. When I had the night shift all I could think of was the moment when I could knock out.				
12. Most unskilled physical jobs are low paid.				
13. I'm not motivated because I usually get passed up for promotion.				
14. I can't stand the sight of blood, I'm not really cut out for nursing.				
15. I miss a little bit of social life because I get random weekends off.				
16. What do you think are the advantages of setting forward your own business?				
17. If you have no job experiences your job will be more demanding at first.				
18. When I ran my own business I was really overwhelmed by problems.				
19. Would you prefer to work a flexible schedule or set hours?				
20. I felt a little out of my deep in my first job. I was inexperienced and very young.				

21. I started an apprenticeship in hairdressing. You get paid and gain lots of practical experience.				
22. I've never wanted to do a run-of-the-track job.				
23. My job involves lots of travelling, which sometimes gets me under.				
24. I was working very large hours and became burnt out.				
25. If you continue putting off writing the report, you'll have to work overtime to finish it.				
26. Sally is currently working as a P.R officer for a large international firm. She's a real people person.				
27. For the new advertising campaign we need somebody who's able to think outside the packet.				
28. Most of the employees were kept in the dark about the merger until the last minute.				
29. Tom was brainhunted by his company's main competitor.				
30. Having children can be an obstacle if you want to climb to the top of the career ladder.				
31. Some companies have a glass roof that prevents women from ascending to high positions.				
32. Due to the project I'm working on, I'll be tied on until next week.				
33. Many employees do a work-share to be able to cope with family life.				
34. With the economic crisis the number of families who live on benefits has increased.				
35. He always manages to wriggle out of any extra work we get.				
36. Making contacts can help you get your foot in the entrance.				
37. Many small and medium-sized farmers find themselves slaving away for pittance.				
38. My sister's schedule is really tight. She finds it impossible to squeeze in outdoor time.				
39. If you take time off work due to illness, you're entitled to sick wage.				
40. She'll make herself ill if she doesn't ease down at work.				
41. The crisis has put many young people off establishing their own business				
42. Bob has never pushed his weight, and we all have to work harder to make up for his laziness.				
43. I think she heard about the job by word of mouth.				
44. My actual job doesn't provide me with a regular income.				
45. Some people don't even consider a career change because they believe it would mean starting from scratch again.				

## ANSWERS

1. He didn't **FIT** in his first job and looked for another one
2. This job **STIFLES** my creativity.
3. Working freelance means you're not accountable to anyone.
4. She'll achieve anything in life, she has a great drive.
5. He didn't have the right experience and was turned **DOWN** for the job.
6. I was delighted when my boss **RAISED** my salary.
7. Having to meet **DEADLINES** is quite stressful.
8. He works antisocial hours but the salary is good.
9. It's difficult not to talk shop at work.
10. The colleague I get on best with is my opposite **NUMBER** in Madrid.
11. When I had the night shift all I could think of was the moment when I could knock **OFF**.
12. Most unskilled physical jobs are low paid.
13. I'm not motivated because I usually get passed **OVER** for promotion.
14. I can't stand the sight of blood, I'm not really cut out for nursing.
15. I miss a little bit of social life because I get random weekends off.
16. What do you think are the advantages of setting **UP** your own business?
17. If you have no job **EXPERIENCE** your job will be more demanding at first.
18. When I ran my own business I was really overwhelmed by problems.
19. Would you prefer to work a flexible schedule or set hours?
20. I felt a little out of my **DEPTH** in my first job. I was inexperienced and very young.

21. I started an apprenticeship in hairdressing. You get paid and gain lots of practical experience.
22. I've never wanted to do a **RUN-OF-THE-MILL** job.
23. My job involves lots of travelling, which sometimes gets me **DOWN**.
24. I was working very **LONG** hours and became burnt out.
25. If you continue putting off writing the report, you'll have to work overtime to finish it.
26. Sally is currently working as a P.R officer for a large international firm. She's a real people person.
27. For the new advertising campaign we need somebody who's able to think outside the **BOX**.
28. Most of the employees were kept in the dark about the merger until the last minute.
29. Tom was **HEADHUNTED** by his company's main competitor.
30. Having children can be an obstacle if you want to climb to the top of the career ladder.
31. Some companies have a glass **CEILING** that prevents women from ascending to high positions.
32. Due to the project I'm working on, I'll be tied **UP** until next week.
33. Many employees do a **JOB-SHARE** to be able to cope with family life.
34. With the economic crisis the number of families who live on benefits has increased.
35. He always manages to wriggle out of any extra work we get.
36. Making contacts can help you get your foot in the **DOOR**.
37. Many small and medium-sized farmers find themselves slaving away for pittance.
38. My sister's schedule is really tight. She finds it impossible to squeeze in outdoor time.
39. If you take time off work due to illness, you're entitled to sick **PAY**.
40. She'll make herself ill if she doesn't ease **UP** at work.
41. The crisis has put many young people off establishing their own business.
42. Bob has never **PULLED** his weight, and we all have to work harder to make up for his laziness.
43. I think she heard about the job by word of mouth.
44. My **CURRENT** job doesn't provide me with a regular income.
45. Some people don't even consider a career change because they believe it would mean starting from scratch again.

