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People at work

Vocabulary

Jobs

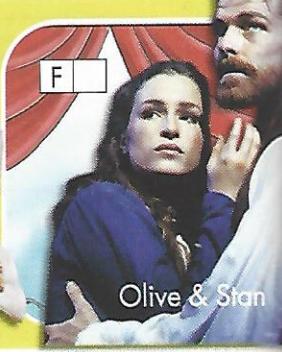
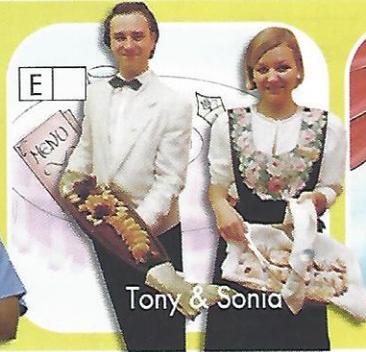
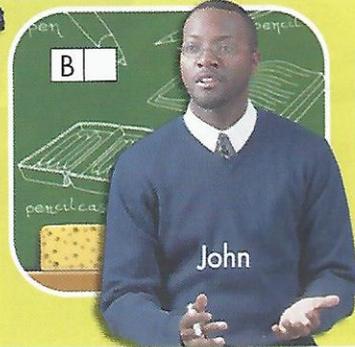
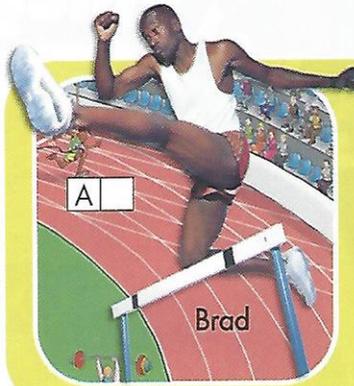
1 a) Match the pictures to the jobs.

🔊 Listen and check.

- 1 nurse
- 2 actor/actress
- 3 athlete
- 4 teacher
- 5 singer
- 6 pilot
- 7 waiter/waitress
- 8 student
- 9 doctor

b) Write sentences, as in the example.

Jane's a nurse.



Singular

a + noun that starts with a consonant sound

He is a doctor.

an + noun that starts with a vowel sound

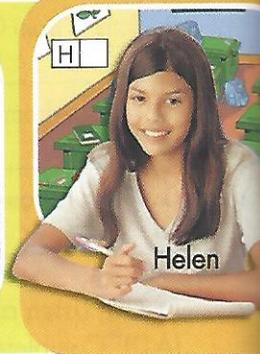
He is an athlete.

Plural: noun + s

We are teachers.

A, an, or -?

- 1 Sally is _____ actress.
- 2 Jeff is _____ singer.
- 3 They are _____ pilots.
- 4 You are _____ student.



Grammar

The verb *to be* (negative)

2 a) Study the table.

| NEGATIVE | |
|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Full Form | Short Form |
| I am not a nurse. | I'm not a nurse. |
| You are not a doctor. | You aren't a doctor. |
| He is not 12 years old. | He isn't 12 years old. |
| She is not 12 years old. | She isn't 12 years old. |
| It is not 12 years old. | It isn't 12 years old. |
| We are not students. | We aren't students. |
| You are not students. | You aren't students. |
| They are not students. | They aren't students. |

b) Look at pictures A-H. Fill in the blanks with *is/isn't, are/aren't*.

- 1 Mark _____ a doctor.
- 2 Claire _____ a student.
- 3 Tony and Sonia _____ singers.
- 4 John _____ a pilot.
- 5 Stan and Olive _____ nurses. Stan _____ an actor and Olive is _____ an actress.

c) Make the sentences true for you.

- 1 I _____ from Mexico.
- 2 My teacher _____ 30 years old.
- 3 I _____ American.
- 4 My friends _____ 15 years old.
- 5 I _____ a student.

Reading & Writing

- 3 a) What do you know about the people in the pictures? What do they do?
- b) Read and match the texts (1-3) to the people (A-C).  Listen and check.

Check these words

famous for, nickname, inches, mean, pretty, gold, jersey



Neymar da Silva
Santos Junior

A



B
Angelina
Jolie



C
Beyoncé
Knowles

1 She is from Los Angeles, California, USA. She is an actress. She is famous for playing Lara Croft. Her nickname is AJ or Catwoman. She is 5 ft* 8 inches tall. Her surname means 'pretty' in French. Her favorite color is black.

2 She is from Houston, Texas, USA. She is a singer. She is 5 ft 6 inches tall. Her nickname is Juju. Her favorite color is gold.

3 He is from Mogi das Cruzes, Brazil. He is a soccer player. He is 6 ft tall. His nickname is Juninho. His favorite color is white. His jersey number is 11.

*1 ft = 30.48 centimeters = 12 inches

4 Correct the statements.

- 1 Angelina Jolie and Beyoncé are Brazilian.
- 2 Angelina's nickname is Rono.
- 3 Beyoncé and Angelina Jolie are 6 ft tall.
- 4 Beyoncé's favorite color is black.
- 5 Neymar's nickname is Juju.
- 6 Neymar is Spanish.

5 **Portfolio:** Think of famous people from your country. Write short texts about them and glue pictures. Present the people to the class.