

Use of English Part 3

- 1 Quickly read the exam task text, ignoring the gaps for now. What is it about?
- 2 Look at the example (0) and answer these questions.
 - 1 Is the answer a countable, or uncountable, noun?
 - 2 Is it singular or plural?
 - 3 What has been added to the word in capitals?
- 3 Do the exam task. Where necessary, add suffixes to form words that describe what people do, e.g. *build* → *builder*, and decide whether any nouns you form are countable or uncountable, singular or plural.

Exam task

For questions 1–10, read the text below. Use the word given in capitals at the end of some of the lines to form a word that fits in the gap in the same line. There is an example at the beginning (0).

Example: 0 INFORMATION

Which job shall I do?

I think I will get some (0) from the University Careers Office, as I have my (1) ceremony next month but still have no idea what kind of work I am going to do in the future.

I think I need to get some (2) because although I have really enjoyed studying history, there seem to be very few jobs available for (3), and nowadays most (4) seem to be looking for people with more technical skills.

One (5) would be to study for a further degree then stay in the academic world, perhaps as a (6) I am sure I would find that kind of work (7), but the problem is I wouldn't be earning anything. One alternative would be to become a (8), although teaching has never really appealed to me.

Since I was a child I have always loved books, so another option might be to become a (9) To do so I would need to spend a year or two learning about the work as a (10), but it may be possible to do that here at this university. That might be the ideal solution.

INFORM

GRADUATE

ADVISE

HISTORY

EMPLOY

POSSIBLE

RESEARCH

FASCINATE

LECTURE

LIBRARY

TRAIN

Listening Part 2

- 1 Look at the exam task instructions and quickly through the questions. What kind of recording will you hear? What is it about?
- 2 Look at each of questions 1–10. What kind of word, e.g. place, adjective, do you need?

1.07 Now listen and do the exam task.

Exam task

You will hear an interview with fashion photographer Aldo Lombardi. For questions 1–10, complete the sentences.

Aldo decided to become a professional photographer when he was at a 1 .

Aldo studied photography at 2 for a year.

After he finished the course, it took Aldo 3 to find a job.

Aldo first worked for a 4 as a trainee photographer.

What Aldo most enjoys about the work is the amount of 5 it provides.

Aldo says he needs to have good 6 skills as well as the ability to take good pictures.

The city Aldo would most like to work in is 7 .

Aldo believes that 8 will offer an increasing amount of work in the future.

According to Aldo, specialist schools are good places to make 9 in the world of photography.

Aldo advises people to include a maximum of 10 photographs with job applications.

