



KATHY'S JOB

Listen to Kathy talking about her job. For questions 1 to 6, choose the correct answer.

1. What is Katherine's job?
 - a. computer technician
 - b. nurse
 - c. receptionist
2. What time does she start work?
 - a. 7.30
 - b. 8.30
 - c. 9.00
3. What time does she usually get home after work?
 - a. 5.00
 - b. 5.30
 - c. 6.30
4. How does she get to work?
 - a. bike
 - b. bus
 - c. car
5. Katherine thinks her job is...
 - a. tiring.
 - b. easy.
 - c. boring.
6. What does she dislike about her job?
 - a. her colleagues
 - b. her office
 - c. her pay



TRANSCRIPTION

I work at a hospital. I'm not a doctor or a nurse. I'm a technician. I look after the computers. Everyone uses them in the hospital – Nurses, doctors, receptionists too. It's important that they all work properly, so that's my job.

I start work at half-past eight in the morning. When I arrive, I find out if there are any problems. Sometimes problems happen in the night! The night workers always go home at nine o'clock in the morning, so I have half an hour to talk to them about any problems before they go home

I finish work at five o'clock, but usually, I'm too busy to go home then. I can't leave when I am halfway through a job. Usually, I don't leave work until half-past five. Then the roads are really busy, and it takes me one hour to get home, so I get home at about half-past six.

Lots of people at the hospital cycle to work because parking a car is expensive there. I tried cycling to work, but I didn't like it. I get too tired and I hate cycling in bad weather. So I take the bus. That way, I can relax and read emails or listen to music on the way.

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ANSWER KEY

1. a.
2. b.
3. c.
4. b.
5. b.
6. b.