



Accountant

What do they do?

An accountant helps people and businesses manage their money. They help people with their taxes and budgeting, so they can make smart decisions about their finances. They keep records of how much a business earns, from sales or investments, and how much it spends, on office rent or workers' wages.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use computers and special software, like digital money counters, to keep track of money. They also use calculators and spreadsheets to do maths and organise financial information to make sure everything is correct.

Where do they work?

Accountants can work in different places like offices, banks, or even from home on their computers.

What are they good at?

They definitely have to be good at maths! They're also good at using computers and special software to help them with their work. They're great at keeping track of numbers and at organising information so they can spot even small mistakes.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy working with numbers and solving puzzles.
- Like keeping things organised and paying attention to detail.
- Are good at using computers and learning new software.



Aged and Disabled Carer

What do they do?

A carer helps people who have trouble taking care of themselves. These include people experiencing an illness or injury, as well as individuals with disability and older adults who may need extra support with everyday tasks. Carers can help with things like taking a shower, getting dressed, cooking meals, or going to appointments. Carers also take people on social outings, like going to lunch, or spend time with people reading or chatting to make sure they are not lonely.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They help people to move around safely with wheelchairs, walkers, or lifting devices. There are special tools to help people eat more easily if they have trouble using their hands, as well as dressing sticks which help people get dressed. Sometimes, carers use technology, like alarms and sensors, to let them know if someone has fallen or needs more medication.

Where do they work?

Carers often work in the homes of the people they care for, helping them with everyday tasks and providing companionship. They might even live with the person so there is somebody with them all day and night. Sometimes, they work in special places called aged care or nursing homes, where they help many people who need extra support.

What are they good at?

Carers are kind and patient with people who need help. They're great at listening and talking to people, and they can always be counted on to be there when someone needs them. They need to be good at managing their time so they can get to each person who needs them no matter how far apart they are.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy talking and listening to people.
- Are patient and understanding.
- Can be counted on to help when people need you.

Chef



What do they do?

A chef is trained in creating delicious meals for people to enjoy. They plan what dishes to make, work out how much everything will cost, and order all the ingredients they need. They check as the food is being made to make sure it tastes just right and looks good on the plate. Chefs hire and train others to work with them in the kitchen, and they make sure everyone follows the safety rules.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

For preparing and cooking food, chefs use very sharp knives, tongs, spatulas and whisks as well as frying pans, saucepans and ovens. They have pastry brushes, piping bags and even blowtorches! For food safety, they use fridges and freezers to store food, and thermometers to check the temperature. They keep their kitchens clean using sponges, scrubbing brushes, and disinfectant wipes.

Where do they work?

Chefs work in restaurants, cafes, and hotels, hospitals, schools, and nursing homes, as well as mobile kitchens for festivals, weddings, or conferences. Some chefs work for catering companies and others have their own restaurants. Some chefs write cookbooks and some work for food manufacturers creating new products.

What are they good at?

They are good at knowing how to mix ingredients and flavours together to make tasty dishes and they can follow complicated recipes. Chefs are good at handling pressure and working quickly to make delicious meals that look beautiful on the plate. They are creative with food and often invent delicious new recipes. They're good at organising and planning, paying attention to detail and working with a team.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Love cooking and trying out new recipes.
- Are good at following instructions.
- Like working as part of a team.



Construction Worker

What do they do?

Construction workers are experts who work on large buildings, roads like highways, bridges, and even playgrounds, whether it's constructing new ones or fixing up the ones we already have. They follow plans and regulations made by architects and engineers to make sure everything is built safely and correctly.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use big machines like cranes and bulldozers to move heavy stuff as well as forklifts and excavators. They wear protective gear like hard hats, gloves, and safety goggles to stay safe while they work and operate the large machinery.

Where do they work?

You'll find them in big noisy cities and quiet country towns. They are usually outdoors, on construction sites for projects like skyscrapers and stadiums or creating new bridges and highways. But they may spend time indoors when they're building or renovating structures like houses or offices, especially during the finishing stages.

What are they good at?

Construction workers can operate machinery to lift heavy materials and move large rocks and obstacles. They have learned how to operate equipment and use tools safely to get the job done. They have a keen eye for detail and are good at working out the best way to tackle any problems that come up. They're able to work in all kinds of weather, and they are good at working with others.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy working with your hands and using tools.
- Like being part of a team and working together to solve problems.
- Are okay with working outdoors in different weather conditions.



Counsellor

What do they do?

Some counsellors work with children and grown-ups to understand their feelings so they can give guidance to help fix problems and overcome challenges in their life. They listen carefully and make suggestions about what they can do, provide information or run assessments. Others help people find the right job or study course, or work with teachers and parents to improve student behaviour and learning. It's like having a trusted friend who is trained to help people make positive choices through understanding themselves better or help guide them on the right path.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

Counsellors mostly talk and listen to help people, but they also draw pictures or show diagrams to help explain feelings. Sometimes they play games or do art and music sessions to make people feel comfortable. They often use computers to find helpful information and take notes.

Where do they work?

They usually work in offices or counselling rooms, which can be found in places like schools, hospitals or even prisons. Many of them have their own offices where people come for sessions and sometimes they travel to people's homes to work with them there. Some counsellors do online sessions with people.

What are they good at?

Counsellors are really good at listening carefully to what people have to say and helping them feel better. They need to care about people's feelings and want to help them feel happier. Understanding how people think and feel is an important skill.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy talking and listening to others.
- Like helping people feel better.
- Are curious about why people behave the way they do.



Data Analyst

What do they do?

Data is information such as numbers, words, or pictures that is collected to help businesses and organisations make better decisions. Data analysts get information from places like surveys, websites, sales figures and customer reviews, then examine it for interesting things, such as, which online games are more popular, predicting weather patterns, or the number of babies that might be born in the future.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use computers and spreadsheets as well as special number-crunching software to organise data. They also use graphs and charts to show what they learn, through written reports or presentations.

Where do they work?

Data analysts can work in offices or at home. They work for banks, schools, hospitals, government agencies, and even for shops. Some sports teams have data analysts as well as TV and radio stations who use the information to find out more about their audiences.

What are they good at?

Data analysts are good at understanding numbers and patterns, but they're also great at explaining what they find. They can take a lot of information and organise it so that it makes sense to people.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy solving puzzles.
- Like working with numbers.
- Are good at explaining things to others.
- Love learning new things.

Doctor



What do they do?

Doctors spend a long time learning about how our bodies work and how to keep them healthy. When someone is sick or has a problem with their body, doctors use their knowledge and special tools to fix it or help them feel better. They give advice and prescribe medicine if needed, and sometimes they will do operations to mend things like broken bones.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use stethoscopes to listen to the heart and lungs, and thermometers to check our temperature. In surgery, they use scalpels to make cuts and forceps which are like big tweezers and hold onto things inside the body while the doctor works. They also use X-ray machines, MRI scanners, and ultrasound devices to see inside our bodies and identify any problems.

Where do they work?

Doctors work in hospitals, clinics, schools and remote communities. Some have their own offices for check-ups and appointments. Others work on ships or in country areas, looking after people who are a long way from hospital. They work in places that teach people about good health such as government departments. And some doctors work at NASA, helping astronauts stay healthy during space missions!

What are they good at?

Doctors are good at finding out what's wrong when someone is sick or hurt and using their knowledge and special equipment to help them. They're good at explaining things so patients understand what's happening. Doctors are calm and focused, especially in stressful situations like emergencies or surgeries. They're quick thinkers and problem solvers, able to make decisions that can save lives. Plus, they're always learning and staying up-to-date with the latest medical knowledge.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy helping people feel better.
- Are curious about how the human body works.
- Can stay calm in emergencies.



Drone Pilot

What do they do?

Drones are like very small planes with the pilot on the ground not in the plane! The pilots use remote controls or computers to operate them, sometimes from very far away. On farms they plant seeds, spray weeds, check water levels, and look after animals. In mining and building industries, drone pilots check power lines and bridges, and are sometimes involved in rescuing people. Drone pilots take photos and videos for movies and TV and put on amazing light shows for us to watch.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

Their main equipment is a drone, which is like a robot with propellers to make it fly. Some could fit in your hand, but others are the size of a small car. Pilots use remote controls to operate them, sometimes using a smartphone app. Some pilots even use virtual reality goggles to see what the drone sees while it's flying high in the sky.

Where do they work?

Drone pilots work in country areas, on farms, mine sites and big properties. They are in very remote places like national parks and deserts, where their drones can go places that people can't reach. They also work in cities and towns, keeping an eye on traffic, taking photos and even delivering parcels. Some drone pilots are used to study sea creatures way out in the ocean.

What are they good at?

They're good at using their hands to steer the drone and keeping a close eye on it to make sure it flies properly. They are good at problem-solving because sometimes things don't go as planned, and they have to work out solutions. They are able to focus for a long time because it can be tricky getting the drone to fly in windy or tight spaces, like between trees or around buildings.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Love remote control toys or video games.
- Enjoy exploring different places.
- Can stay focused on tasks for a long time.



Engineer

What do they do?

Think of an engineer like a chef – just as chefs use different ingredients, recipes, and skills to make delicious food, an engineer uses science, maths, and creativity to solve problems and invent new things. They design and build all sorts of things from bridges and buildings to robots and video games. Some work on products, like computers, cars and planes, while others invent new tools. Some engineers help search for important resources like oil and metals.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

Depending on their work, engineers might use tools like drones to map out the land for building bridges, or special drawing programs to create plans for things like play equipment in parks. They use computers to design new things or improve ones we already have, like smartphones. They make sure their ideas work by testing them with special machines and tools to find problems.

Where do they work?

You can find engineers in big city offices, and in farming paddocks, on construction sites, in factories, and getting their hands dirty in underground mines. They work in laboratories, doing research, and out in the bush.

What are they good at?

Engineers are good at maths and science, at figuring out how things work and how to solve problems. They're also great at being organised and sticking to a plan, making sure projects stay on track and within budget. Plus, they know how to work well with others to build amazing things together.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy designing and building things.
- Like to solve tricky puzzles.
- Like to use maths and science to find solutions.



Farmer

What do they do?

A farmer grows plants and raises animals to provide food and other things we need. They grow crops like fruits and vegetables, raise animals such as cows and chickens, and even farm fish and other seafood. They also grow and harvest crops that are made into materials for clothing, shelter, and even renewable energy like biofuels. They work hard to make sure everything gets enough water, food, and protection from bad weather and pests. Farmers are careful to take care of the land and waterways, like rivers and lakes, so they can stay healthy and productive.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

It depends on what sort of farming they do. They might use tractors, combine harvesters, hay balers to plough fields and harvest crops as well as drones to look at the field from up high and monitor the weather. Their tools can be shovels, forks and rakes, irrigation systems for watering crops and posts and wire for fencing. Dairy farmers use milking machines and in beekeeping, farmers use smokers to calm the bees so they can collect honey.

Where do they work?

Farmers work with plants and animals on land and in the water. Some farms cover thousands of kilometres, such as cattle and sheep properties in the outback. Others are smaller, such as vineyards, greenhouses, or fish farms and aquaculture farms. Some farmers work in schools and colleges, teaching what they know, or in government departments where they help make rules for farming.

What are they good at?

Farmers are good at caring for the land and water, knowing how to plant seeds, nurture crops, and raise animals to be healthy and strong. They are problem-solvers who can fix many things, including their equipment. They know what to do in a drought or flood, and when pests are ruining their crops. Farmers are good at learning new technology to be more productive and they're good neighbours who help in their community!



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy spending time outdoors, working with plants or animals.
- Like learning new things and solving problems.
- Don't mind hard work and getting your hands dirty.



Firefighter

What do they do?

Firefighters are trained to put out fires and to save people from dangerous situations. They help with search and rescue missions and give first aid if people are hurt. They also check buildings for things that could cause fires or make them worse, such as unsafe electrical wiring or not having enough exits. They also teach kids and grown-ups how to stay safe from fires, especially planning to survive bush fires.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

Firefighters use hoses, extinguishers, and fire trucks equipped with water pumps. They wear helmets and coats for protection and use thermal imaging cameras to find people in smoke-filled buildings. They use axes and other tools to break through doors or walls. They carry medical kits to help injured people until ambulances get there.

Where do they work?

They are based at fire and rescue stations with their trucks and special equipment. From there, they go wherever they're needed, like homes, schools, or businesses, to help put out fire and rescue people. They also spend time at the fire station learning and doing exercise, so they are always ready for emergencies.

What are they good at?

Firefighters are good at using their training to work as a team to put out fires and rescue people from dangerous situations. They're also great at staying calm and thinking quickly to find a way around problems in tough situations. They are good at learning, and always improving their fitness and strength so they can be ready for anything.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy being part of a team.
- Can stay calm in emergencies.
- Want a job where every day is different and rewarding.



Game and Multimedia Developer

What do they do?

People in this job create amazing and exciting content you can enjoy on computers, smartphones and other devices. They design video games, cartoons, and other interactive experiences. This involves writing code, designing graphics and sound, and then testing the game to make sure it is good to play or watch. They bring imagination to life on the screen.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use computers and special software to invent and create video games and animations. They also use devices like graphics tablets for drawing, and virtual reality headsets for testing to make sure everything works on different devices.

Where do they work?

Game and multimedia developers work in places like game studios or animation studios. Some work from home, while others might work in big companies that make movies or ads. They can also work with other people from different parts of the world using the internet.

What are they good at?

They're creative and come up with cool ideas for games and animations. They're also good at using computers and software to bring those ideas to life, whether it's drawing characters or writing code. Plus, they're great at problem-solving, figuring out how to make everything work in the right way.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Are patient and don't give up easily.
- Like learning new things, especially using technology.
- Would love to bring your ideas to a screen as a game, movie, or animation.



Lawyer

What do they do?

A lawyer helps people if they break the law or if they have a disagreement with someone, such as if they want their neighbour to pay for breaking the fence between their gardens. The lawyer knows all the rules and can help sort it out. They give advice and represent people in court, as well as doing paperwork such as sales contracts and wills. Some lawyers are known as solicitors or barristers.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They have law books to help them remember all the rules and how to use them. They use computers to do research and write, as well as voice recorders, notepads, and pens for important meetings. Lawyers usually wear professional clothes, like suits or dresses, but when they go to court, some of them wear special black robes.

Where do they work?

Lawyers can work in offices called law firms or even on their own. Some might work in courthouses, where they argue cases in front of judges, as well as for the government helping to make the laws. They work for businesses, charities and even universities, where they teach student lawyers.

What are they good at?

They are good at understanding complicated rules and laws, and at finding solutions to problems. They know how to speak and write clearly to explain things to others, like judges or clients, so everyone understands what's going on. And they're good at coming up with strong arguments to support their clients' cases.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy reading and learning about rules and laws.
- Are good at talking to others and explaining things clearly.
- Can think fast and come up with good ideas.



Media Content Creator

What do they do?

A media content creator makes videos, creates podcasts, writes articles, or creates images for social media platforms and websites. They come up with ideas, film or write their content, edit it to make it better and then share it online. Media content creators are storytellers who love to share their creativity and knowledge with people from all around the world. Their content can also be used to promote products like a pair of sneakers on social media, to increase online followers, this all helps businesses make more money.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use microphones, cameras, smartphones or tablets and lighting so people can see them clearly. They use editing software on computers to put everything together and make it look professional. They also need chargers for keeping everything ready to go, and storage cases if they do a lot of travelling for the job.

Where do they work?

Media content creators can work from anywhere with an internet connection! Some have their own studios at home, while others might work in co-working spaces or even outdoors. They work in offices if they're part of a team for a business, government organisation, or media company. These offices often have special areas for filming or recording, along with editing stations where creators can work on their content.

What are they good at?

They are good at using their creativity to share interesting information and fun stories with others. They're also good with technology like cameras and computers and using them to bring their ideas to life in videos, podcasts, articles, or images. Some are good at writing and others are better at speaking. They're also good at learning new things fast so they can stay up to date in a job where everything is always changing.

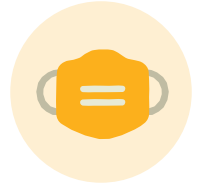


Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy being creative and telling stories.
- Like using cameras or computers to make things.
- Have fun trying new things and learning new skills.

Nurse



What do they do?

Nurses do a lot of different jobs to help people when they're sick or injured. They work with doctors to find out what is wrong with a patient and what should be done to help them get better. Some nurses give medicine, check people's temperature and heart rate, keep records of how they are going, and work with other medical people like physiotherapists to make a treatment plan. Nurses also teach people how to stay healthy and take care of themselves.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use a lot of different things to care for patients including stethoscopes and thermometers, syringes, bandages, and gloves. Sometimes they use special machines like oxygen masks to help patients breathe better and intravenous (IV) pumps to give fluids. Nurses use computers to record information, special cameras to look inside the body and machines to help if the heart stops.

Where do they work?

Nurses work in places like hospitals, clinics, and doctor's offices, where they help take care of people who are sick or hurt. They also work in nursing homes, where older people need extra help with their health. Some nurses go to people's homes to look after them.

What are they good at?

They are good at helping doctors and other medical people to work out what is wrong when someone is sick or hurt by checking their symptoms and talking to them. They're also great at treating people by doing things like taking care of wounds so they heal faster. Nurses are also good at listening to patients and making sure they feel comfortable and safe.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Like to help people when they are sick or hurt.
- Are good at paying attention to details.
- Can listen carefully and take action.



Police Officer

What do they do?

Police officers patrol neighbourhoods to prevent crime and arrest people who break the law. They investigate crime and accidents, helping people who have been hurt or had something stolen. They also patrol roads and highways to keep people safe and to catch drivers who have been speeding or drinking too much alcohol. They write reports to keep track of everything and sometimes go to court to give evidence about crimes.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use police cars and motorcycles, as well as patrol boats at sea and helicopters for spotting crime from the air. Some police ride pushbikes or horses in their job as well. Most have special radios, handcuffs and torches for night-time work. Some police carry weapons and wear cameras on their clothing to video what happens. They also use dogs that are trained to chase suspects, help find missing people, or sniff out explosives.

Where do they work?

Police work outside, patrolling busy streets, driving on country highways, or flying around in helicopters. They work in offices writing up reports and making phone calls to investigate crimes or accidents. They visit people at home or work to ask questions about what happened, and they go to the law courts to give evidence. Some police also go to schools or community centres to teach people what they can do to stay safe.

What are they good at?

Police officers are good at helping people when they're in trouble, like if they have been in a car accident or had something stolen from them. They are really good at listening and asking questions to find out more. They are good at using their eyes and ears to pay attention to what is happening. They can stay calm in dangerous situations and are good at solving problems.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Are good at solving mysteries and puzzles.
- Like talking to people and helping them.
- Enjoy being on the move rather than sitting at a desk all day.



Receptionist

What do they do?

A receptionist is the helpful person who greets people when they walk into an office like a doctor's surgery, hotel, or company. They welcome visitors and make sure they know where to go. They also answer questions, set up appointments, and help with phone calls. If there's a problem, they try to fix it or find someone who can. They keep the front area neat and tidy and might help with other office jobs like typing or filing.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use phones to answer calls and computers to set up appointments and send emails. They use printers and scanners to copy and save paperwork, headsets for hands-free phone operation, and software programs to manage all the information about visitors and callers.

Where do they work?

Receptionists work wherever they're needed to greet and help people. This includes offices, hotels, hospitals, schools, businesses, and government buildings. They are usually at the front desk or reception area, ready to help visitors, patients, or guests. They make sure everyone feels welcome and gives them directions on where they need to go.

What are they good at?

Receptionists are good at being friendly and helpful to people. They're great at talking on the phone and listening carefully to what people need. They're good at staying organised and keeping track of appointments and important information.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy talking to people.
- Are good at remembering information.
- Can stay calm in busy situations.



Salesperson

What do they do?

Salespeople help us buy all sorts of things, from new clothes, toys and furniture to airline tickets and event tickets for concerts or sporting matches. They use what they know to help people find the right thing for them, answering questions and explaining special features like how to use a new smart TV. Then they help buyers make payments and organise delivery if needed.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use computers, tablets, and smartphones to show products to customers and process payments. They also use brochures, catalogues, and samples to help explain what they're selling. Sometimes, they even use virtual reality or augmented reality to give customers a cool way to experience products before buying them.

Where do they work?

Some work in shops and agencies, like a travel agent, and others work for online shopping companies in offices and call centres. Some salespeople are at events like concerts, selling tickets or souvenirs and some have stalls at markets. There are also salespeople in different industries such as real estate and insurance.

What are they good at?

Salespeople are good at listening so they understand what customers want and how they can help. They are good at talking as well, explaining things clearly and answering questions. They can remember details about different products or services, and they are good at staying positive if someone decides not to buy from them.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy talking to different people.
- Like helping others find what they need.
- Are good at explaining things clearly.



Scientist

What do scientists do?

Scientists help us understand more about our incredible world. They spend a lot of time researching how things work, experimenting and using special tools to measure and record their discoveries. They let people know what they've found out through writing and speaking about it. This new information can lead to inventions like mobile phones and solar panels, but it also helps us know and understand more about our world.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

Scientists use all sorts of special equipment and tools. They have microscopes that can see something as small as the wings of a fly and telescopes big enough to see into outer space. They have really fast computers capable of working on huge amounts of information, and machines that can take a tiny piece of a living thing, like a leaf, and show what's inside its cells. And other scientists use more everyday equipment, like binoculars for watching wildlife, or a snorkel and mask so they can do research underwater.

Where do they work?

You'll find scientists in lots of different places, from towns near you, to the outback and even faraway places like Antarctica. It depends on the research they are doing. Some are in laboratories using microscopes and test tubes to solve puzzles about how things work. Others will be outdoors, studying changes in the weather, in national parks learning about the plants and animals, or on farms finding out how to grow better crops.

What are they good at?

Scientists need to be really good at watching things carefully, using special tools to measure, and then telling others all about what they have discovered. They also need to be good at asking lots of questions, working in a team, solving problems and being patient because discovering new things can take a long time!



Would you like to be a scientist?

You would be great if you:

- Are curious and always asking questions.
- Can work things out on your own, as well as with others.
- Like to use your imagination and dream up amazing new ideas.



Sports Coach

What do they do?

A sports coach helps kids and adults get better at playing sports so they can win games and events. They teach skills like passing the ball or making a shot, as well as how to work together as a team. They run training sessions and guide players in sporting competitions, as well as finding new players and other coaching staff to help them.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

In training sessions, they use things like, wearables to monitor athletes' performance and health, cones for obstacle courses, balls for practising kicks and throws, and hurdles for running and jumping drills. They use stopwatches to time races, cameras to video the players, and some use whiteboards to draw what players should do. They usually have a first aid kit to treat any injuries.

Where do they work?

Sports coaches work where people play sports. They might teach soccer at your school or basketball at a local club. Some are volunteers at community clubs and there are professional coaches who get paid for training big sports teams, like in cricket and football.

What are they good at?

They are good at the sport they're coaching, and good at teaching people how to get better. For example, they can see what somebody can do to improve their swing in tennis or their tumble-turn in the pool. They're great at encouraging players to try their best, even when the game gets tricky. They are good at promoting their sport so other people want to play or watch it.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Love sport and cheering on your teammates.
- Are patient even when things get tough.
- Like coming up with fun games to make practice exciting.



Teacher

What do they do?

Teachers are like guides who help students learn new things. They create fun and interesting lessons to teach reading and writing as well as subjects like maths, science, history, art, music and more. They give tests to see how well students understand, and work with them to improve. Teachers care about their students and want to help them succeed in school and in life.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use whiteboards, projectors, and computers to show exciting things like videos and slideshows. They have books, pencils, and educational games to help students learn in different ways. In their classrooms, as well as desks and chairs, they could have paint if they teach art, or microscopes for science, and some have ovens for teaching cooking!

Where do they work?

Teachers work in a lot of different kinds of schools. Some are in cities and towns, but others work in the country with one classroom, and only a few students. Some teachers have students on farms and stations, thousands of kilometres away, and teach classes through the School of the Air, by radio and the internet. Some teachers work in libraries, and some teach classes that are only online.

What are they good at?

They are good at explaining difficult ideas in a way that makes sense, and being supportive when students need extra help or have questions. They know how to plan activities and games that make learning fun and at creating tests to see how well students understand what they've learned. Teachers are great at giving helpful feedback to help students improve.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Like explaining things and helping people to understand.
- Enjoy being organised and planning activities.
- Love to learn new things yourself.



Tradesperson

What do they do?

A tradesperson is someone who has a specific skill in making or fixing things. For example, a carpenter specialises in woodwork, while a plumber fixes pipes and water systems. They use their hands and tools to build or repair different things, like houses, cars, or furniture. Tradespeople usually learn on the job, through an apprenticeship or work experience, as well as going to classes through TAFE or vocational education and training (VET) programs.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use different tools depending on their job. Some common tools include hammers, screwdrivers, wrenches, saws, drills, and measuring tapes. They also use safety gear like helmets and gloves to protect themselves while working. Some use tools like post hole diggers to help build fences or wrenches when they are repairing machinery.

Where do they work?

Tradespeople can be found indoors and outdoors. They work on construction sites, remote mines, and offshore oil rigs. You'll find them outdoors in national parks, research stations in the Antarctic, and indoors in workshops, factories, auto repair shops, plumbing companies – even in people's homes doing repairs or renovations.

What are they good at?

They are skilled at using their hands and tools to build, fix, and maintain things. They know how things work and how to solve problems. They can understand plans and diagrams and know how to do each job safely. Tradespeople pay attention to details because they know that even small mistakes could be costly and dangerous.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy working with your hands and using tools.
- Pay attention to details and follow instructions carefully.
- Aren't afraid to learn new skills and work hard to get the job done right.



Truck Driver

What do they do?

Truck drivers are like the heroes of the road because they transport everything we need from food and medical supplies to building materials and retail products around the country. They drive big vehicles called trucks to transport goods from one place to another. They carefully load and unload the truck using special equipment to make sure everything stays safe. Before they leave, they check to make sure the truck is in good shape and the load is balanced correctly. They also make sure the goods are packed securely. Safety is their number one priority, so they follow all the rules and regulations to keep everyone safe.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They can use forklifts to lift heavy items onto their truck, and straps or ropes to tie everything down. They often rely on maps or GPS devices to find their way, and they carry torches, gloves and wrenches to fix any problems along the way. Plus, they might have a clipboard for important documents, like delivery schedules and invoices.

Where do they work?

You'll find them all over the place, driving big trucks and road trains on highways that stretch across cities, towns, and even between states! They start off at warehouses or factories to load up, then head off through busy streets and long quiet roads until they eventually get to the shops and other places where they make their deliveries. Sometimes they use smaller trucks and travel shorter distances to deliver things too.

What are they good at?

Truck drivers are skilled at driving big transport vehicles such as oil tankers, furniture trucks and livestock trailers. They're good at managing their time, making sure deliveries arrive when they should, and staying alert during long hours of driving. They know how to do minor repairs on their truck, and they are good at driving carefully, so everyone stays safe.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Are good at following rules and safety regulations.
- Stay calm when there are traffic jams or bad weather.
- Can focus for long periods of time.



Urban and Regional Planner

What do they do?

Urban and regional planners are like expert organisers for towns and cities. They design the spaces where different things should go to make sure everything works smoothly and safely, so people are happy living there. They choose where buildings, parks, roads, and other important places should go.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They use maps, computers, and special software to create designs and make plans. They might use cardboard, paper, or even Lego to build small models of buildings, roads, and parks to see how everything will fit together. Sometimes they use drones to take pictures from above to see the whole area they're planning.

Where do they work?

They spend most of their time in offices, where they create plans and have meetings. They also go out to visit the towns and cities they're planning for. This helps them understand what is needed to make them better for everyone.

What are they good at?

Urban and regional planners are good at solving puzzles and thinking about how things fit together. They're great at using maps and computers to come up with ideas for making places better. They're also good listeners, because they need to understand what people need in the places where they live and work.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Enjoy exploring different places.
- Like working with others to make plans.
- Are interested in making the world a better place for everyone.



Veterinarian

What do they do?

Vets are doctors for animals. They take care of pets like dogs, cats, and birds, as well as farm animals like cows, horses, and chickens. Some vets look after wildlife like crocodiles and emus, and others work in zoos looking after lions and elephants. Vets make sure animals are healthy by giving them check-ups, vaccinations, and treating them when they're sick or hurt. They also perform surgeries and teach owners how to keep their pets happy and healthy.

What sort of tools and equipment do they use?

They have stethoscopes to listen to heartbeats, thermometers to check temperatures, and syringes to give medicine or vaccinations. They use X-ray machines, microscopes and special dental tools to clean animals teeth. And they have really big clippers to trim the hooves of horses and cows.

Where do they work?

Some work in vet clinics and animal hospitals, and some travel out to farms and properties to treat livestock like cows and pigs. Others work in zoos, wildlife parks and even aquariums. There are vets working in universities, teaching student vets and some who work for the government to help make the rules for their profession.

What are they good at?

Vets are good at caring for all sorts of different animals from a budgie to a buffalo, a dog to a dolphin. They know how to use their hands, eyes, and equipment to find the clues about what is wrong, and what the treatment should be. They are good at talking to owners and asking questions because the animal can't tell them what's wrong! They are kind and patient, and good at making scared animals feel safe.



Would you like to do this job?

You would be great if you:

- Are patient and gentle with animals.
- Are good at noticing when something isn't quite right.
- Like to work hard to learn new things.