



EPISODE 2 - THE SONG CIRCLE SURPRISE

Before the episode

A. Work together with a friend. Write an explanation of the word in English.

Word	Explanation
<i>rejected</i>	<i>when you have applied for a job but you don't get it</i>
convince	
CEO (chief executive officer)	
deliver	
job posting	
skills	
business	
hire	
honest	
colleague	

B. Practise the words with a friend. One of you can read the explanation and the other can guess the right word. Take turns!



After the episode

A. True or false. Tick the box.

	Statement	True	False
1.	Robbie's mum is CEO of his company.		
2.	Robbie hires his friend to work for his company.		
3.	The police want to shut Robbie's business down because he doesn't sell the right jam flavours.		
4.	Holly's dad doesn't like the food in Nashville.		
5.	Holly gives her new guitar away.		
6.	Holly's songwriting camp is cancelled because she isn't able to write any good songs.		
7.	Holly inspires Justin to be more vulnerable as an artist.		
8.	Justin wants Holly to write songs for his new album.		

B. Pick two of the false statements. First you write the number of the statement that is false and then you rewrite it correctly.

Statement number _____ is false.

The correct answer is:

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The correct answer is:



C. Match the skills with the jobs. What skills do you think are good to have for the different jobs? Choose one skill for each job.

Skills:

- patience
- ability to handle conflicts
- ability to solve problems
- creativity
- honesty
- ability to cooperate
- strength
- ability to stay calm under stress
- ability to convince
- ability to care

Job	Skills
teacher	
police officer	
fire fighter	
doctor	
broker	
programmer	
song artist	
restaurant chef	

D. Work with a friend. Compare and discuss your answers. Did you choose different skills? Give arguments for why your chosen skill is good to have.



E. You are going away to summer camp in August and your parents say you can only go if you pay for it yourself. You need a summer job!

1. Pick a job from the job postings that you want to apply for.
2. Write an application letter: write about yourself, your skills and why you would be right for the job.
3. Don't forget to write a greeting in the beginning and at the end of your letter.

Job postings:

Babysitting	Dog lovers look here!	Do you have green fingers?
<p><i>We need a responsible person to babysit and play with our daughter (5 years old) for three weeks this summer.</i></p> <p><i>Work hours: Mon-Fri, 8AM-5PM</i></p> <p><i>Yours sincerely</i></p> <p><i>Mrs. Smith</i></p>	<p><i>If you love dogs this is the job for you! We are looking for a person to join our dog walking team for four weeks this summer.</i></p> <p><i>Work hours: Mon-Fri, 8AM-5PM</i></p> <p><i>Looking forward to reading your application.</i></p> <p><i>Kind regards</i></p> <p><i>Johnny at "Walk your dog"</i></p>	<p><i>If you do, then this is the job for you. We are looking for someone to join our gardening team. Your job will be to do different garden work in our clients' gardens, such as cutting grass, trimming hedges, weeding and planting.</i></p> <p><i>Write your application letter to Sarah Connor at "Green fingers".</i></p>



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A. Words and explanations

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<i>rejected</i>	<i>when you have applied for a job but you don't get it</i>
convince	talk someone into doing something
CEO (Chief executive officer)	the top leader of the company
deliver	give someone a product that they have ordered and paid for
job posting	a description of a job you want someone to apply for, job ad
skills	experience or knowledge you have that can be good for a job
business	a company
hire	give someone a job in exchange for a salary
honest	to tell the truth
colleague	someone you work with

After the episode

F. True or false

	Statement	True	False
1.	Robbie's mum is CEO of his company.		X
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4.	Holly's dad doesn't like the food in Nashville.		X
5.	Holly gives her new guitar away.	X	



6.	Holly's songwriting camp is cancelled because she doesn't write any good songs.		X
7.	Holly inspires Justin to be more vulnerable as an artist.	X	
8.	Justin wants Holly to write songs for his new album.	X	