

تمرینات قبل از گوش دادن

وقتی افراد برای اولین بار با دیگران دیدار می کنند، چه نوع سوال هایی از یکدیگر می پرسند؟ به عنوان مثال ، ممکن است آنها قبل از اینکه نام خود را بپرسند ، در رابطه با شغل سوال کنند به عنوان مثال:

"So, where do you work? How do you like your job"?

اصطلاحات

"a balancing act" = وضعیتی دشوار که در آن سعی می کنید چندین کار مختلف را همزمان انجام دهید

"Working and studying at the same time is a real balancing act."

"high-and-mighty" = کسی که خود را مهم و باعث افتخار میدانند

"Sarah always acts high-and-mighty, and she thinks she is better than everyone else because she is a well-known movie star."

تمرین

لطفا با دقت به پادکست زیر گوش دهید و به همراه آن گفتگو را بخوانید. در نهایت، واژگان کلیدی و جملات نمونه را مرور کنید.

News Reporter: Hello. This is James Goodfellow from Channel 4 news. Today, we are interviewing Sarah Roberts, the star of the new movie, *Zombies on Mars Part 4*. Sarah, uh, thanks for joining us.

Sarah: You're welcome, Jimmy.

News Reporter: It's, uh, James.

Sarah: Whatever . . .

News Reporter: Well, let's start off the interview with a few basic questions. First of all, where are you from?

Sarah: Well, I'm originally from Miami, but we moved to New York when I was three years old. [Oh.] I lived there until I was 17, and then I moved to Los Angeles to be an actress.

News Reporter: Okay, and where did you go to college?

Sarah: I attended Fernando's School of Acting, and all of my teachers LOVED my acting.

News Reporter: And, did you have a part-time job while you were in school?

Sarah: Yeah. I worked at a movie theater, and everyone LOVED the way I made the popcorn.

News Reporter: Really. Okay, and how old are you now?

Sarah: Well, I'm only 20, but everyone I know says I look at LEAST 22.

News Reporter: Oh, right. Okay. And, what are your hobbies outside of acting?

Sarah: Oh, I love shopping for clothes and makeup and, and . . . Did I say I love shopping for clothes?

News Reporter: Well, you DID say clothes . . .

Sarah: Oh, yeah. Well, do you want to take some pictures of me . . . you know, for your homepage or your blog and you can even use them on your Facebook fan page.

News Reporter: Uh, I think we'll be okay.

Sarah: Okay, well, um . . . Oh, oh look, all of my fans. Hey, gotta go, honey. Hi everyone.

جملات و واژگان نمونه

- start off (*verb*): شروع کردن
- Ashley started off her acting career in New York City.
- basic (*adjective*): ساده
- We lived in a very basic house when I was little.
- originally (*adverb*): در ابتدا ، در آغاز
- My mother is originally from Mexico, but she grew up in the United States.
- gotta go (*informal expression*): باید برم
- Hey, I (I've) gotta go to work now. See you later.
- My brother's gotta study more if he wants to pass the class.
- honey (*adjective*): عزیزم ، عزیز ، عشق
- Hi, honey! Will you make me lunch, please?