

Culture Clips	
Culture Clip	“Career Changes”
Handout #1	Vocabulary

Name _____ Date _____

Match a word from column 2 with a word in column 1.

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| 1. _____ profession | a. overwhelmed, feels very bad |
| 2. _____ layoff | b. manufacturing, business |
| 3. _____ devastated | c. stress |
| 4. _____ industry | d. a person that takes part in |
| 5. _____ aerospace | e. occupation |
| 6. _____ retraining | f. have faith in, believe |
| 7. _____ redeployment | g. the act of dismissing employees |
| 8. _____ participate | h. reeducate |
| 9. _____ pressure | i. the aviation industry |
| 10. _____ trust | j. to transfer to a different occupation |



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Handout #1A	Vocabulary

Name _____ Date _____

1. profession – occupation
2. layoff – act of dismissing employees
3. devastated – overwhelmed, feels very bad
4. industry – manufacturing, business
5. aerospace – the aviation industry
6. retraining – reeducate
7. redeployment – to transfer a different occupation
8. participate – a person who takes part in
9. pressure – stress
10. trust – have faith in



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Handout #2	Idioms

Name _____ Date _____

1. step by step _____

- a. one big leap
- b. move forward a little at a time
- c. to buy new shoes

2. to have a dream _____

- a. to have a goal
- b. to have no purpose
- c. give up

3. kids _____

- a. puppies
- b. kittens
- c. children

4. caught in the layoffs _____

- a. have a job you don't like
- b. lost your job
- c. arrested



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Answer Key

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1. step by step _____ b

- a. one big leap
- b. move forward a little at a time
- c. to buy new shoes

2. to have a dream _____ a

- a. to have a goal
- b. to have no purpose
- c. give up

3. kids _____ c

- a. puppies
- b. kittens
- c. children

4. caught in the layoffs _____ b

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Handout #3	Partner Workout

Name _____ Date _____

Partner _____

Pretend you work in the personnel office at Henderson’s Department Store. You are interviewing your partner for a position in:

(circle one) men’s clothing appliances
 women’s clothing home furnishings
 shoes cosmetics
 electronics jewelry

Ask them the following questions:

1. Have you ever worked in this department before? _____

2. Do you enjoy working with people? _____

3. Can you work flexible hours? _____

4. Do you have reliable transportation? _____

5. Why would you like to work for Henderson’s?

6. How soon can you start? _____

Interviewer’s recommendation: Would you hire this person? _____



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Handout #4	Whole Group Activity

Name _____ Date _____

Ask you classmates:

1. What is your name?
2. How do you spell it?
3. Which do you think is more important:
 - a. making a lot of money?
 - b. having a job you enjoy?



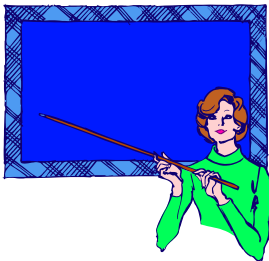
NAME	A LOT OF MONEY	JOB YOU ENJOY

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Handout #5	Individual Activity

Name _____ Date _____

If you could have any job in the world, what would it be?

Why?



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Handout #5A	Individual Activity

Name _____ Date _____

Which of these jobs would you like to have the most?

teacher



doctor



engineer



chef



computer technician



factory worker



postal carrier



farmer



artist

