



## 10 Best Part-Time Jobs for Teens : VOCAB WORKSHEET (ANSWERS)

**Introduction** : What do the following words mean ? Underline the right answer.

1. **soul** = sort of music - bank account - **inner body**
2. **path** = pathos - **a road** - a patch
3. **way** = **a means** - a question - a process
4. **boredom** = **lassitude** - borderline - interest
5. **never fear** = be frightened - **don't worry** - always care
6. **pick** = trick - **choose** - work
7. **rewarding** = uninteresting - **satisfying** - unpleasant

### Paragraph 1 : Landscaper

1. What is the meaning of “**pros**” and “**cons**” ? **Advantages & disadvantages**
2. Find a word to match with its **definition** :
  - ❖ piece of land at the front or back of a house : **yard**
  - ❖ proprietor of a house : **homeowner**
  - ❖ very tiring : **exhausting**
  - ❖ clearing away the snow : **shovelling**
  - ❖ cutting the grass : **lawn mowing**
  - ❖ the autumn : **the fall**
  - ❖ costly : **expensive**
  - ❖ removing leaves : **raking**
  - ❖ salary : **pay**
3. Can you find the **names of these tools** hidden in the verbs ?  
 This is a **shovel**       And this is a **rake**
4. “**hood**” is short for which word ? **neighbourhood**. It means **voisinage** in French.

### Paragraph 2 : Animal Caretaker

1. “**Wanna make**” is short for “Do you **want to make**”
2. Match the job with its definition :
  - Someone who comes to look after an animal at home : **pet sitter**
  - Someone who cleans and brushes an animal's fur : **groomer**
  - Someone who takes dogs for a walk : **dog walker**
3. What is the “less-than-adorable thing” that pets do that an animal caretaker would have to deal with? (You can explain in French.) **You have to clean up their mess (excrement), and change the litter tray (for indoor pets).**


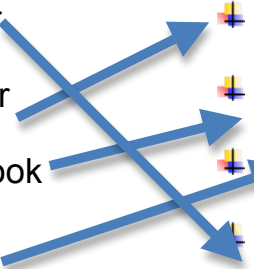







### Paragraph 3 : Tutor

Suggest a French word for :

- guidance counselor : **C.O.P.**
- library : **C.D.I.** ou **bibliothèque**
- huge : **énorme**
- accomplishment : **réussite**
- stuck : **coincé**

### Paragraph 4 : Restaurant Employee

1. Match the job with its definition :

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|  server    |  |  someone who clears tables, takes dirty dishes to the dishwasher, and sets tables |
|  busser    |   |  someone who prepares food in one section of the kitchen for the chef             |
|  line cook |   |  someone who greets customers in a restaurant and escorts them to their table.    |
|  host      |   |  someone who brings the food to the tables for the customers                      |

2. Suggest a translation for :

- through word of mouth : **par le bouche à l'oreille**
- your favourite joints **vos restos préférés**
- a tip : **un pourboire**
- make a sweep : **visiter, voir**
- a fussy customer **un client pointilleux**

## Paragraph 5 : Camp Counselor

1. What time of year do you do this job? **summer**
2. "prep" is short for **preparation**
3. "college" is a false friend. (It's not *collège* in French !) It means : **university**
4. Find a synonym in the text for :
  - ❖ talking with people for pleasure **socializing**
  - ❖ in the open air : **outdoors**
  - ❖ ill and hurt : **sick and injured**

## Paragraph 6 : Office Intern

Find the English equivalents for these French words :

- stagiaire (dans un bureau, aux Etats Unis) **office intern**
- centre commercial **mall**
- stage (en entreprise) **internship**
- travailler dur (to) **toil away**
- non rémunéré **unpaid**
- travail ingrat **grunt work**

## Paragraph 7 : Movie Theater Employee

Find the English equivalents for these French words :

- cinéaste en herbe **budding filmmaker**
- film (2 mots différents en plus de 'film' ) **flick** et **movie**
- cinéphiles **film buffs**
- traîner avec **hang out with**
- popcorn à volonté **all the popcorn you can eat**
- employé de cinema **movie theatre employee**
- gagner le smic **minimum wage**
- liberté / temps pour se reposer **downtime.**

## Paragraph 8 : Etsy Seller

1. What does **crafty** mean here ? clever - devious - **artistic**
2. What is a **craft** ? a vehicle - **an artistic creation** - recreation
3. Find a French word for :
  - ❖ homemade : **fait maison**
  - ❖ jewelry : **bijoux**
  - ❖ greeting cards : **cartes de voeux**
  - ❖ knitwear : **tricot**
4. Can you suggest other things you could make to sell ? **key rings, Christmas decorations, tie 'n' die t-shirts, ...**
5. Explain : "will set you back 20 cents" **will cost you 20 cents**

## Paragraph 9 : Park Employee

1. Find a French expression for "a wide range of work to be done" : **un large éventail de travaux à effectuer...**
2. Match the job with its description:
  - ✚ guest services : **doing manual work outside**
  - ✚ concessions : **welcoming and helping customers in a hotel (or a shop, or a museum ...)**
  - ✚ getting down and dirty in the wilderness : **selling snacks, ice cream, hotdogs, candy, sodas, popcorn, sandwiches and pizza.**

## Paragraph 10 : Volunteer

1. When you do volunteer work, how much cash do you earn? **None !!**
2. What is "a warm fuzzy feeling"?  
**avoir chaud - avoir une bouffée de chaleur - avoir chaud au coeur**
3. Find words in English for :
  - disponible : **available**
  - inscriptions : **applications**
  - ajout : **addition**
  - pour conclure : **at the end of the day**
  - outre : **besides**

