

**(two friends talking)**

**Angie: Congratulations on your new job, Chris!**

**Chris: Thanks, Angie. To tell you the truth, I'm not so sure I like working.**

**Angie: Why do you say that? Last year you wanted to get out of university!**

**Chris: I know, but that was last year. Now, it's just work, work, work. I work hard all day, every day.**

**Angie: Oh, come on. Don't complain. You're making a good salary now. Last year, you didn't make anything.**

**Chris: Right. Now, I have money, a nice apartment and a car. But I don't have any time at all.**

**Angie: It can't be all that bad.**

**Chris: No, of course it isn't. I still have my weekends.**

**Angie: So tell me, what do you miss about university?**

**Chris: I used to go to parties, I stayed up late talking with friends...**

**Angie: You can go to parties now, and you can stay up late.**

**Chris: Right, but then I'm tired at work. I can't do that. I have to be serious about things.**

**Angie: I think you are TOO serious about everything.**

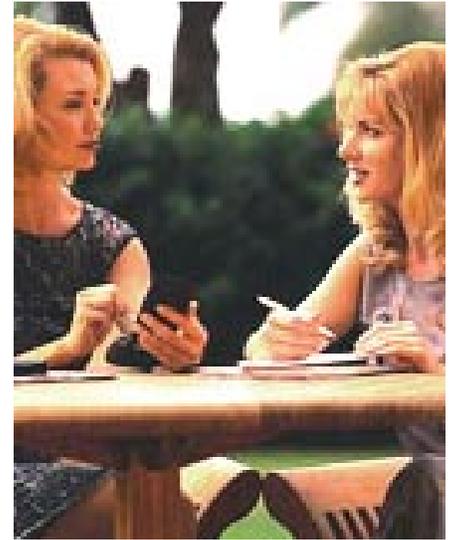
**Chris: That's easy for you to say, you are still at university.**

**Angie: Yes, but I don't have a job.**

**Chris: Would you like to change places with me?**

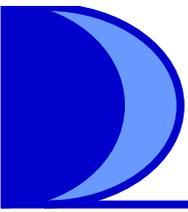
**Angie: Oh, come on Chris. It isn't all that bad.**

**Chris: Hmm...**



**LET'S TALK**

- 1) How many hours do you work?
- 2) Do you sometimes complain about working?
- 3) What are the advantages and disadvantages of working too much?



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