

Your notes in class

- The profession is an **integral part** of our personality
- Through our occupation we serve a double role:
a)we earn a living and b)we manifest our creativity
- Our employment allows us **make ends meet** and so we can **support our family**
- Our job makes us feel **useful** in the society
- Our profession can **earn a good reputation** and as a result make us feel **proud** of ourselves
- The social recognition is an invaluable source of self-validation
- When our work becomes a **chore** our whole life **plunges into misery**
- The lack of job satisfaction **leads to** depression, increased stress levels and **eventually** health problems
- Money can not **buy happiness**
- If you have a high **salary** but you do something that you detest then you **waste your life**
- If you have the **privilege** of a high **income** but you lack free time is like being locked in a golden cage
- **Traditional crafts** are very creative.
- Manufacturing items with you **bare hands** makes you feel very **innovative**
- Computer engineering is a **promising profession** but it extremely time-consuming. You need to work **very long hours**
- In multinational companies the employees often have to **work overtime**
- Turning you hobby into a profession is the key to **personal fulfillment**
- **Financial insecurity** generates misery even when you exercise a job that you like
- **Financial stability** allows you to make a family, to organize your life and **allocate some time** to exercise your hobbies
- It's crucial to **gain some life experience** before you **launch a career**
- Manual workers vs Office workers
- Blue collar vs White collar workers