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English for Libya

Secondary 3 Course Book

Scientific Section
(القسم العلمي)

الاسبوع السادس

Garnet
EDUCATION



Unit 3 Lesson 3: Choosing a Career

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Listen and read, then answer the questions.

1 What is Maryam going to study?

2 What career would she prefer to have?

Cathy: If you could have any career in the world, what would you choose?

Maryam: I'd like to be a **pilot**.

Cathy: Do you think that dream is ever going to come true?

Maryam: No, I don't. It's just a dream. My parents wouldn't approve of it. They want me to train as a doctor.

Cathy: What if you refused?

Maryam: Are you joking? They'd be really upset if I refused.

Cathy: But it's your dream.

Maryam: I know. But I could never be a successful **pilot**, anyway.

Cathy: What do you mean?

Maryam: If I was a **pilot**, nobody would **fly with me**.

Cathy: Why not?

Maryam: Because I'm **a bit scared of heights!**

Cathy: If I were you, I'd train as a doctor and **have flying lessons in my free time**.

Maryam: What free time? Medical students don't have any free time!

B Now do Exercise A on page 45 of the Workbook.

C Read the Functional Grammar box. Then underline examples of the second conditional in the above conversation.



Talking about unreal situations: Second conditional

• We use the second conditional to talk about unreal situations.

*If he **was** organised, he **wouldn't lose** his things.*

*If I **had** enough money, I **would go** to Britain to study.*

*If she **studied** harder, she **would pass** her exams.*

*If I **were** you, I'd **apply** to two or three colleges.*

Can you think of more conditional situations that are not real?

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D Now do Exercises B to D on pages 45, 46 and 47 of the Workbook.

Lesson 4: Career Icons

A Read the interview, then cover your books. Write down three facts you can remember about the surgeon. Take turns telling the class.

MEET ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR PHYSICIANS IN LIBYA!

This week **Latifa Ahmed** interviews a famous surgeon.



When did you decide to become a physician?
It has been my dream since childhood.

Why?
I did very well at school and was interested in making a difference to other people's lives. I wanted a career that I would enjoy and that would be useful.

Can you tell me more about your background?
I was born in Libya and studied medicine at Benghazi University. I began my career as a surgeon in 1979 at Tripoli Central Hospital. After many different medical and academic jobs, I started working on organ transplantation in 2003, as the Director of the National Transplant programme.

What kind of organ transplants are you famous for?

I have performed over 350 organ transplants, many of which were kidney and liver transplants.

What is the success rate of these transplants?

We have had a high success rate of 95%.

How many publications do you have on organ transplantation?

I have written many books on surgery and organ transplantation, some of which are used to teach medical students.

What advice would you give to younger medical students?

Anyone can make a difference in life with hard work and patience.



B Write the interviewer's questions in reported speech.

She asked him when he had decided to become a physician.

C Now do Exercises A to D on pages 47, 48 and 49 of the Workbook.