



Developing Skills

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Select Readings

The Double Life of Alfred Bloggs

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Vocabulary	Synonym	Meaning in Arabic
These days(NP.)	Nowadays	هذه الأيام
Manual(adj.)	Done with the hands	يدوي
Clerk	employee	موظف
Receive(v.)	Earn=get=take	يستلم, يحصل على
Frequently(adv.)	Often	غالباً ما
Referred to as	Called=known as	يشار الى
Sacrifice(v.)	Give up something valuable	يضحى
Privilege (n.)	Advantage	امتياز
Give rise to(v.)	Lead to=result in	يؤدي
Curious(adj.)	Unusual=nosy=weird	فضولي
Dustman(n.)	Binman=gabrage collector= cleaner	منظف
Corporation(n.)	Large company	شركة
Embarrassed(adj.)	Shy= to be ashamed of	محرج
Dressed in	wear	يرتدي
Overalls(n.)	Coveralls=work clothes	ملابس العمل



Return(v.)	Go back	يرجع
Take a shower(VP.)	Wash oneself	يستحم
Discover(v.)	Find out	يكشف
Soon(adv.)	In a short time	قريباً
Junior(adj.)	Of a low rank	مبتدئ , جديد
Rise(n.)	Improvement=promotion	زيادة, ارتفاع
Status(n.)	Social position=rank	مكانة اجتماعية
From now on(adv.)	hereafter	من الآن فصاعداً
Wear(v.)	Put on	يرتدي

The Use of Worth قيمة , أهمية , ذو قيمة

عادة يأتي قبل هذه الكلمة أفعال الكينونة او يمكن ان يسبقها عبارة فيها

Worth+ ing

Worth+ to be (is, are, am)

Worthy of +ing

Exercise

Choose the correct words in the following:

- 1- (is) (does) it worth five pounds?
- 2- Is this worth (buying) (to buy) ?
- 3- Your car (does) (is) not worth 500\$.
- 4- I don't think it is worth (to go) (going) to all that trouble.