Week 5 · Work and Earning

Learner worksheet · Ages 8–10 · Explorers

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

My mission

Match work to earnings and practise safe, responsible choices.

Words to know

work · wage · salary · skill — write one in a sentence:

Story challenge

Zany helps sort picture cards in a supervised classroom game. The pretend reward is R10 per pack. Zany sorts three packs. What is earned? A stranger offers more for going away alone. What should Zany do?

Let’s practise

Draw lines to match each worker to the useful work.
Teacher fixes a leaking tap
Plumber teaches a class
Baker makes bread
Wage = pay for work, often by time or task. Salary = regular fixed pay.
Zany’s three packs: R10 + R10 + R10 = R___.

Mini mission

Draw a worker and a tool they use safely. Tell a partner what skill helps them. Circle the safe choice: trusted adult supervises / go alone with a stranger.

Quick quiz

1. What is a wage?

2. Explain one smart choice from today’s case.

3. Name one situation where you would use this skill.

4. Challenge: Make up one new example and explain the best decision.

Exit ticket

Today I learned _____.

Next time I will try _____.