

Super English

Unit 9 - Lesson 3 Dangerous Jobs



vt-zhər /vɪˈzɪər/ Muslim countries
vo-cabu-lary /vəˈkʌləri/

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Dangerous Jobs - Vocabulary



construction: the building of something, typically a large structure (n)



The family is waiting for the **construction** of their house to be finished.

Dangerous Jobs - Vocabulary



chainsaw: a portable power saw that has teeth linked together to form an endless chain (n)



The logger used a **chainsaw** to cut down the tree.

Dangerous Jobs - Vocabulary



isolated: far away from other places, buildings, or people; remote (adj)



The town was **isolated** far away from other towns and cities.

Dangerous Jobs - Vocabulary



hazard: something that is dangerous and likely to cause damage (n)



The bricks are a **hazard** because someone could trip over them and get hurt.

Let's do Grammar!



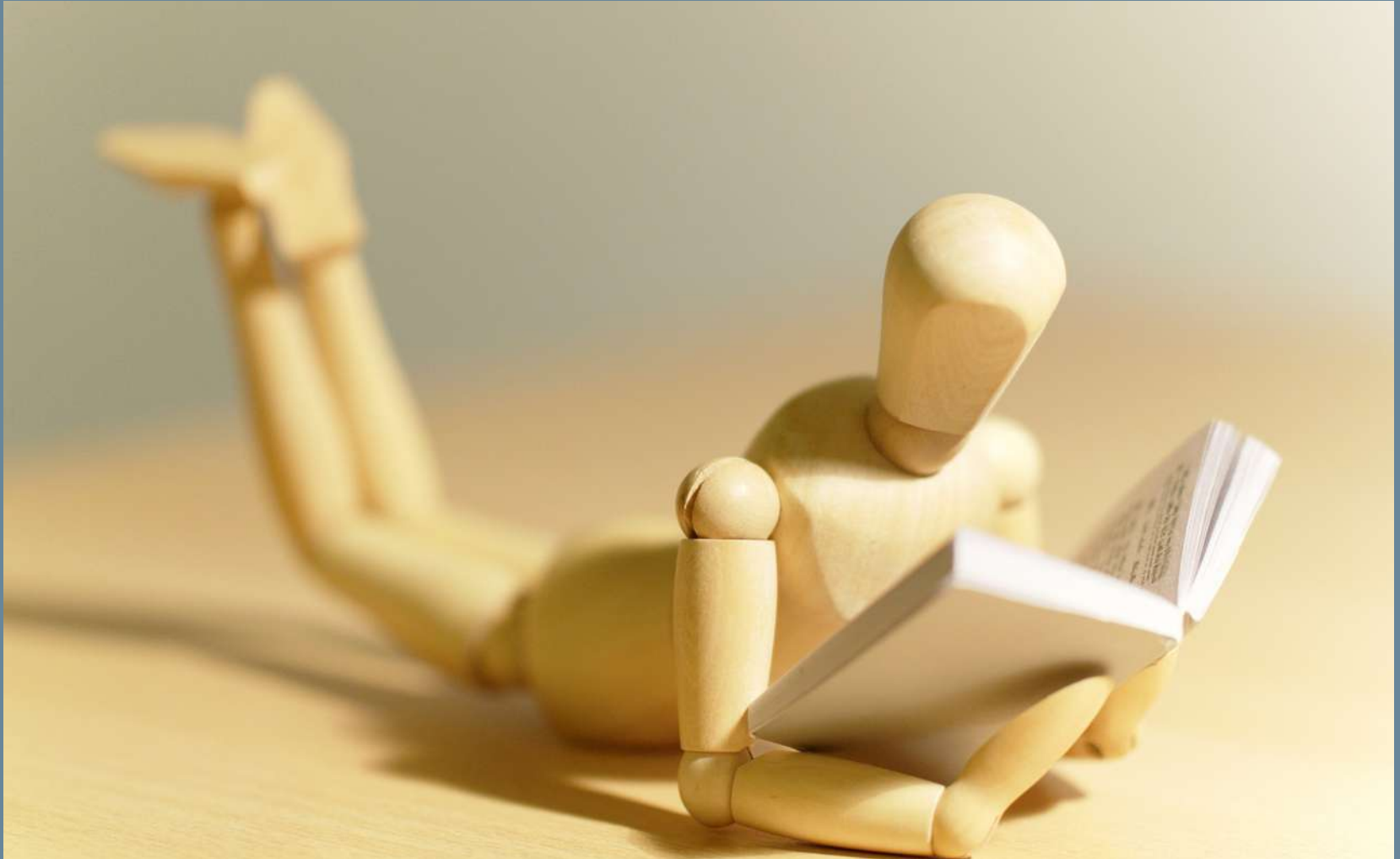
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We also commonly use **of** as a preposition after different adjectives (afraid **of**, generous **of**, proud **of**) and verbs (approve **of**, dream **of**, think **of**)

- I am **afraid of** snakes.
- I am very **proud of** my country.
- I can't **think of** the answer.
- My mother will never **approve of** me going on vacation alone?



Let's Read!



Loggers



Loggers harvest forests to provide wood to mills and manufacturers. Wood is used worldwide to make products for housing, construction, energy, and paper products. Logging is a very dangerous job. In the USA, over 100 fatalities happen each year from logging. 90% of deaths are caused by being struck with a log, usually in the head. The other fatalities are from contact with equipment or various other reasons. Workers must be careful and use proper safety equipment.



A logger cutting down a tree.

Loggers



Loggers cut down trees with handheld **chainsaws**. After the trees fall, the loggers trim the tops and branches off and cut the logs to specific lengths. Then, they fastened cables or chains, known as chokers, to the logs and use a tractor or other equipment to drag them to the deck area. Here they use powerful equipment to trim the logs even more and load them onto logging trucks to be transported. There are usually 5-10 loggers on a logging crew.



Loggers using heavy equipment to move logs on the deck area

Loggers



Workers spend all their time outdoors, sometimes in poor weather and often in **isolated** areas. The increased use of enclosed machines has decreased some of the discomforts caused by bad weather and has generally made logging much safer. Most logging work involves lifting, climbing, and other strenuous activities, although machinery has eliminated some heavy labor. There are constant **hazards**, so staying alert is crucial to remain safe.



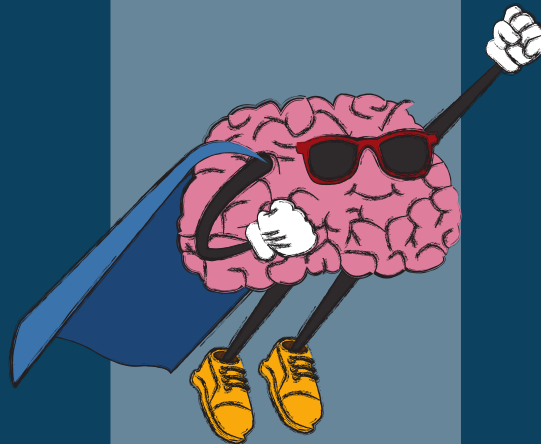
Loggers need to wear safety equipment and stay alert



silent w

In some words, "w" doesn't make a sound. We call it a "silent w."
Most of the time in the letter combination "wr", the "w" is silent.

wrap
wrath
wreath
wreck
wren
wrench
wrestle



ans**w**er
a**w**ry
play**w**right
s**w**ord
two
whole
wrinkle

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See you
Next time!

