Review 1

Corporate culture

Make expressions about internships by matching each verb to a phrase a-f below.

- 1 Incorporate ...
- 2 Enhance ...
- 3 Relate ...
- 4 Be assessed ...
- 5 Be supervised ...
- 6 Offer ...
- a) ... your academic study to the workplace.
- b) ... work experience into a university degree.
- c) ... by your institution through reports, appraisals, etc.
- d) closely by someone from the workplace and a university staff member.
- e) ... your career prospects by doing an internship.
- f) ... permanent employment to a student after graduation.

2 Match each word in the box to its definition below. Then translate the words into your language.

appraisal commitment deadline etiquette insight outcome overview predecessor threaten workload

- A date by which you have to do something: _____
- 2 An ability to understand something clearly: _
- 3 An opinion about how successful someone is: _
- 4 The amount of work that a person has to do: _____
- 5 Enthusiasm, determination and loyalty:
- 6 A set of rules for behaving correctly: _____
- 7 A description of the main features of something:
- 8 The person who had a job before someone else:
- 9 The final result of a process, meeting, etc.; ____
- 10 To tell someone you might cause them harm: ____

Underline the correct preposition (in **bold**) in each expression.

- 1 Be in charge to / of / from a department or project.
- 2 Be involved on / in / for doing something.
- 3 Be responsible to / for / with an area of work.
- 4 Deal with / on / for an area of work.
- 5 Have somebody working of / under / on you.
- 6 Liaise for / to / with someone about an area of the business.
- 7 Look through / with / after an area of work.
- 8 Report directly to / for / under somebody.
- 9 Run the business from / with / on a day-to-day basis.
- 10 Take care with / of / for an area of work.

The sentences below all have the same meaning. Complete them using expressions from 3.



Mark these statements about work organization T (true) or F (false).

- 1 A task is bigger than an assignment.
- 2 A line manager has a higher position than a project leader.
- 3 A branch is bigger than a division.
- COO stands for Chief Organization Officer.
 The Public Relations officer will often work
- in the Marketing Department. 6 Personnel is one of the functions of Human Resources
- 7 R&D stands for Resources and Deployment.
- 8 A parent company owns several smaller
- companies called subsidies.
- 9 Purchasing is a more formal way of saying buying.
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In each sentence, put one verb in the past simple (did), one in the past continuous (was / were doing) and one in the past perfect (had done).

- While I _____ (work) in my father's business I ______ (start) to understand the importance of marketing - I ______ (never / think) about it before.
- 2 I ______ (already / be) in the job for two months when 1 first ______ (speak) to the big boss, the CEO: I nearly hit his car as I ______ (park) mine!

Complete the expressions for giving diplomatic advice (in **bold**) by filling in the missing letters.

- 1 A_____, I think there's a better way to do this.
- 2 It s____ to me that there has been a misunderstanding.
- 3 You m____ want to ask Sue for her opinion.
- 4 You c____ maybe try a different approach.
- 5 D__'_ you think that making personal calls at work creates an unprofessional atmosphere?
- 6 W_____ you agree that it's important to meet all our deadlines?

B Match these words relating to report writing to their definitions below.

description observation evaluation suggestion analysis

- 1 Examining something in order to understand it:
- 2 A statement about what something is like:
- 3 Considering something in order to discover how good or bad it is: ______
- 4 A comment about something you have seen, heard or felt: ______
- 5 An idea or plan that you offer for someone to consider:

