

Conversation 1

- Hello...
- Hello, er, I saw your ad at the supermarket for a dog-walker. Are you still looking for someone?
- Oh! Yes! Yes I am.
- Brilliant! That would be great. How often would you need me?
- Erm... Well the best would be erm... one afternoon a week... erm... after school... and then probably Saturday afternoon.
- Er... Yeah, I mean, that would be fine with me. How long would you need me for?
- Well, erm... I think probably about, about an hour or... erm... 45 minutes sort of thing for a walk to the park... erm... do you think you could feed him after the walk as well?
- Yeah, of course, no problem.
- Erm... Well, I usually pay £5 an hour... does that sound OK to you?
- Yeah, yeah, that's fine. Erm... Oh, er... by the way, what kind of dog is he?
- Well, he's a poodle, and, and he's quite young, he's only two years old so he's pretty lively. I mean, have you ever taken care of a dog before?
- Oh yeah, of course... we've always had dogs at home, you see!
- Oh! Oh, Good... Well! Would you like to come over and meet him? He's called Custer...

Conversation 2

- Oh er... yes, good morning!
- Hello, my name's Michael, I live down the road from you. I was just going door to door to see if anyone needs any odd jobs you know, washing the car, gardening, that kind of thing.
- Yes, well, you're looking for some pocket money, are you?
- Yes... I'm actually saving up for a scooter...
- Really! Let me see... Well, er... Oh! Well, I suppose you could wash the car over there, but really I'd only need that doing, well, once a month at most...
- I could also do a little bit of gardening...
- Gardening! Oh, er, well actually I do need somebody to rake up all those leaves on the lawn!
- Sure... I'm a master at raking leaves!
- Well, er... Let me see... how much do you think I should give you for that? How long do you think it'll take you to rake all of those leaves over there?
- Erm... I don't know... half an hour I guess...
- Right! Well, look... Why don't you come next Saturday, around 10 o'clock in the morning... You can rake up the leaves and wash the car and I'll give you er... £8? Does that sound reasonable to you?
- Sounds perfect! Thank you so much. That's very kind. See you on Saturday morning!
- Yes, till Saturday, goodbye, then!