

Hello, Mark!

Thank you for asking me about my future job. Well, when I was a child I dreamt of being a photographer because I used to like taking photos of friends and editing them. Then everything has changed since I visited a children hospital in my city. From that point, I decided to become a doctor to help people and stop their suffering.

As for now, I am concentrating my attention on finishing my studies at secondary school. Soon I will take the first important exam of my life - the baccalaureate exam. I won't stop working hard until I pass. As you know, I'm good at English, math, biology and physics. So, if I get it with distinction, I'll study at the Medical University and my dreams may come true. I will try to get more information about that from my teachers and career counselors at my school who are very supportive, gentle and helpful.

It is very hard to choose a career before you finish high school, but always keep in mind that it is important to follow your dream and be good at what you choose.

Best regards,  
Paul

*Adapted from: www.studymore.com/my-dream-job-*

**Part One:**

**Reading Comprehension:** (7pts)

**Activity One:** Read the text and put a tick (✓) in the right box. (2pts)

Statements	T	F	N
- Mark is seventeen years old.			
- He wants to be a photographer.			
- He will take the baccalaureate exam soon.			
- His teachers are helpful.			

**Activity Two:** Read the text again and answer the following questions. (3pts)

1. Did Mark dream of being a photographer when he was small? .....
2. When did he choose to be a doctor? .....
3. In what subjects is he good? .....

**Activity four:** Match the words with their opposites. (2pts)

Words	opposites
important	easy
hard	unnecessary
gentle	last
first	cruel

