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Teamwork On The Job

Directions: Read the passage about teamwork in different careers. Then answer the questions that follow.

Teamwork is a key skill in nearly every career. In emergency response jobs, such as firefighting or paramedics, working as a team can save lives. Each person has a specific task, like handling equipment, giving first aid, or directing others to safety. When everyone communicates clearly and trusts one another, they can solve problems quickly under pressure.

In a restaurant, teamwork looks different but is just as important. Cooks, servers, and hosts must communicate to make sure food arrives correctly and on time. If one person doesn't do their part, the whole team can fall behind. Successful restaurant teams rely on respect, cooperation, and quick thinking.

Even in office jobs, teamwork plays a major role. Employees might work together to plan events, manage projects, or solve customer issues. Listening, staying organized, and helping coworkers are all teamwork traits that lead to success. No matter what the job is, being a dependable team member makes a big difference.

1. In emergency response jobs, what helps the team solve problems quickly?
 - A. Working alone
 - B. Clear communication and trust
 - C. Doing extra tasks secretly
 - D. Ignoring directions
2. Why is teamwork important in a restaurant?
 - A. So customers can see who is in charge
 - B. It helps workers avoid talking to each other
 - C. It allows one person to do all the work
 - D. Because it helps food arrive correctly and on time
3. What happens if one restaurant worker doesn't do their part?
 - A. The team can fall behind
4. Which trait helps office workers succeed as a team?
 - A. Competing to be the boss
 - B. Working silently all day
 - C. Listening and helping coworkers
 - D. Doing projects alone
5. What is the main idea of the passage?
 - A. Teamwork looks different in every job, but it is always important.
 - B. Only emergency workers need teamwork.
 - C. Teamwork is not needed in most careers.
 - D. Teamwork is only about following orders.