

Working from Home - Part 2



Vocabulary

Scam: a dishonest scheme; a fraud.

To-do list: a list of tasks that need to be done.

Job hunt: an instance or period of seeking employment.

On-site: taking place or available on a particular site or premises.

Commute: to travel some distance between one's home and place of work on a regular basis.

Within arm's reach: near enough to reach by extending one's arm.

Out of sight and out of mind: means that you soon forget people or things that are no longer visible or present.

Cakewalk: an absurdly or surprisingly easy task.

A whole new ball game: a particular situation that is completely different from the previous situation.

Allure: the quality of being powerfully and mysteriously attractive or fascinating.

Working from Home: Myths and Misconceptions

'Work-from-home opportunities are almost always scams'. While it's true that there are a few people out there who will take advantage of those wishing to work from home with **scams** and illegitimate job postings, that doesn't mean there aren't plenty of real remote jobs available — you just have to approach your **job hunt** with a critical eye.

'I won't have to work as much or as hard if I'm remote'. While there may not be anybody there physically to monitor how you're using your time, working remotely doesn't mean that you'll be putting in less effort or working fewer hours — in fact, it often means the opposite. Most remote employees are surprised to find themselves working more when compared to when they were in **on-site** positions. After all, remote employees don't have to **commute** and the work is always **within arm's reach**.