# awesome job time

Doing something you love is an incredible way to be living your version of an awesome life. Wouldn’t we all want to wake up every day and feel happy, inspired and ready to go – knowing that we are doing the one thing that doesn’t feel like work and getting paid to do it?

I am a realist, I know that we often take a job that suits us at the time, that pays the bills and keeps us fed and clothed, I know that at times in my life and for many it feels there isn’t much of a ‘choice’ when it comes to taking on a job, we do it out of necessity. It may be that we are in a role that we once loved but that has now become stagnant, unfulfilling and just pretty un-awesome.

PAL’s are here to make the most of their lives and that means at some point you have to stop settling and making do, you have to at least look at what other path you could take that might just have you start living that awesome life.

Dive in and don’t hold back, its one thing to pay the bills but it’s a completely other thing to give up on a life you love.

When working through this form really take your time, mull over it, research on line, ask your friends and family, dig deep for the answers.

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| WHAT DID YOU WANT TO BE WHEN YOU WERE GROWING UP?  (Don’t worry if it sounds crazy or feels unachievable – I wanted to be an archaeologist, a blue peter presenter or a journalist!) |
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| WHAT DID PEOPLE CLOSE TO YOU THINK YOU WERE GOING TO BE?  (My mom thought I was going to be a teacher) |
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| WHAT DID YOU LOVE TO DO AS A CHILD THAT YOU COULD DO FOR HOURS?  (I used to love making up shows) |
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| WHAT DO YOU LOVE TO DO NOW THAT YOU COULD DO FOR HOURS?  (Mine is reading) |
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| WHAT CHARITY WOULD YOU DONATE MONEY TO IF YOU COULD AFFORD TO?  (Mine would be something that gives people less well off a chance to help themselves) |
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| WHAT ON THE TV OR IN THE NEWS INSPIRES YOU? |
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| WHAT ON THE TV OR IN THE NEWS UPSETS YOU? |
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| WHAT DO YOU THINK YOU ARE GOOD AT? |
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| WHAT DO OTHER PEOPLE SAY YOU ARE GOOD AT? |
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| WHO INSPIRES YOU? |
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| WHY DO THEY INSPIRE YOU? WHAT DO THEY DO OR HOW DO THEY BEHAVE THAT INSPIRES YOU? WHAT DO YOU LIKE ABOUT THEM? |
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| IF YOU COULD DO ANY JOB IN THE WORLD AND GET PAID AS MUCH AS YOU WANT/NEED WHAT WOULD YOU DO? |
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| WHAT EXCITES YOU ABOUT THAT PARTICULAR JOB? |
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| WHAT SCARES YOU ABOUT DOING THAT PARTICULAR JOB? |
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| IMAGINE YOU HAD FREEDOM, ENDLESS TIME AND MONEY WHAT STEPS WOULD BE NEEDED TO LAND THAT AWESOME JOB? |
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| WHAT SKILLS DO YOU HAVE NOW THAT ARE NEEDED FOR THAT AWESOME JOB? |
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| WHAT SKILLS WOULD YOU NEED TO OBTAIN IN ORDER TO DO THAT AWESOME JOB? |
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| IF YOU COULD RUN A BUSINESS DOING ANYTHING AND COULD BE ASSURED YOU WOULD EARN ENOUGH TO SURVIVE AND THRIVE WHAT WOULD IT BE? |
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| NOW WHAT? |
| PHEW! There is a lot to take in here so now take some time to ponder on what you have written, perhaps mull it over in the bath or take a walk and think of some of the elements you wrote down.  If you feel it would help go through the sheet and circle or highlight the things that jump out at you, that give you a tingle, that make you feel inspired, the ones that energise you, the ones that scare you.  Once you have highlighted what appeals start thinking about what you love about it, how it would feel to be doing ‘that’ for a living, research, investigate and see if it still makes you feel giddy. Read books, listen to podcasts and explore the areas that are of interest, take your time, start a journal, make notes.  Dive deep, if it’s a business idea – what would you call it? If it’s a job in a company which would be the companies you could imagine yourself at?  Most of all ENJOY this. Try not to take it all too seriously, your life, your career, can all be filled with fun and joy if you just let yourself look at in that way.  Make any notes you like here: |
| Want more? Go and have a go at the MY AWESOME DAY sheet @ WWW.PROJECTAWESOMELIFE.COM |

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