

Table 1. Six Types of Work Settings with Examples

1. SAMPLE MAGAZINES	2. SAMPLE TELEVISION SHOWS	3. DESCRIPTION	4. WORK SETTING
Popular Mechanics, Field and Stream, Sports Illustrated, Hunting, Runner's World, Muscle and Fitness, Outside, Backpacker, Bass Master, Gear Solutions, Birder's World, Sporting News, Ring Magazine, ESPN The Magazine	Ice Road Truckers, This Old House, Deadliest Catch, World Extreme Cagefighting, Deer City USA, Top Truck Challenge, Animal Cops, Dog the Bounty Hunter, Cops, Blue Collar Comedy Tour, Swamp Loggers, Dirty Jobs	<i>Mechanical</i> and <i>outdoor</i> places where practical, physical, and athletic people use machines, tools, physical coordination, and common sense to solve concrete problems involving repair, building, transport, plants and animals, and athletics.	"R" Realistic
National Geographic, Science, Smithsonian, Discover, Natural History, Scientific American, Astronomy, National Wildlife Magazine, Sky and Telescope, True Detective, Crime	Star Trek: The Next Generation, Nature, Planet Earth, NOVA, How It's Made, Man vs. Wild, V, House, Biography, Journey to the Edge of the Universe, CSI, Criminal Minds, Frontline, Big Bang Theory, Vampire Diaries, Bones, Blue Bloods, Forensic Files, Dexter, Law and Order	<i>Scientific</i> and <i>analytical</i> places where logical and curious people use reason, math, and research methods to solve problems involving discovery, exploration, investigation, observation, and evaluation.	"I" Investigative
Rolling Stone, Fashion, GQ, Guitar World, Architectural Digest, Billboard, SPIN, Vegetarian Times, Entertainment Weekly, The Artist's Magazine, Bon Appetit, Gourmet, National Lampoon, American Photo, MAD	Man v. Food, Tosh.O., Independent Lens, Sons of Anarchy, South Park, Daily Show, Bizarre Foods, No Reservations, Fashion Police, What Not to Wear, Project Runway	<i>Creative</i> and <i>aesthetic</i> places where imaginative and expressive people use art, theater, music, and originality to solve artistic problems involving creativity, invention, performance, and writing.	"A" Artistic
People, Us Weekly, National Enquirer, Star, Woman's Day, Psychology Today, Family Circle, American Baby, Instructor, Education Week, Teacher Magazine	Parenthood, All My Children, America's Funniest Home Videos, Brothers and Sisters, Desperate Housewives, The Family Crews, Gossip Girl, True Life, Oprah, Supernanny, E! News, Friends, Scrubs, The Simpsons, Family Guy, 16 and Pregnant	<i>Caring</i> and <i>educational</i> places where helpful and sociable people use dialogue, instruction, understanding, teamwork, and nurturance to solve social problems involving education, caretaking, support, community service, and relationships.	"S" Social
Fortune, Money, Forbes, Travel and Leisure, The Atlantic, Time, The New Republic, The Nation, Cosmopolitan, Barron's, Black Enterprise, BusinessWeek, Self, National Review	The Sopranos, Hardball, Private Chefs of Beverly Hills, O'Reilly Factor, Golf Central, Sports Center, Mad Money, How I Made My Millions, Hell's Kitchen, Reba, 30 Rock, House Hunters, Income Property, Entourage, American Greed, High Stakes Poker, Undercover Boss	<i>Managerial</i> and <i>political</i> places where persuasive and powerful people use leadership, strategy, influence, and wit to solve business, legal, and government problems involving economic gain, opinion, risk, and competition.	"E" Enterprising
Reader's Digest, TV Guide, PC Magazine, SmartComputing, PC World, Packaging Digest, Consumer Reports, The Collector's Guide, Ladies' Home Journal, Beckett Sports Card Monthly, Railroad Modeler, Martha Stewart Living, Christian Parenting Today, Better Homes and Gardens	Antiques Roadshow, Golden Girls, Little House on the Prairie, 19 Kids and Counting, The 700 Club, World's Strictest Parents, WorldRadio Online	<i>Office</i> and <i>uniform</i> places where orderly and organized people use precision, conscientiousness, detail, accuracy, and caution to solve clerical and procedural problems involving organization, record-keeping, data management, and scheduling.	"C" Conventional

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