



Unit 3 Lesson 5 – My job is both satisfying and rewarding.



Underline the relative clause in each sentence. Insert commas if it is a non-defining relative clause. If it is a defining clause leave it as is.

1. Jack who is my cousin lives abroad.
2. This is the officer that arrested the burglar.
3. I passed him a bottle of juice which he drank quickly.
4. My sister who is five years younger than me is a lawyer.
5. These are the keys that you were looking for.



Introduce today's sentences.

Grammar Focus

- Present Participial Adjectives
- Past Participial Adjectives

Key Expressions

- My job is both satisfying and rewarding.
- I am distressed and exhausted because of the deadlines.



Listen to the teacher and repeat.



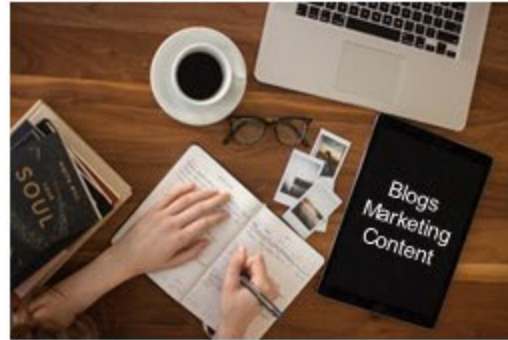
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Lina called Aya to her office to ask some questions about her promotion request.

Lina: I have called you here to discuss your promotion request that you submitted to my secretary. So, how does your work experience qualify you for this new position?


Aya: Well, it is an honor for me to be able to work in this prestigious company. **My job is both satisfying and rewarding.** Sometimes, **I am distressed and exhausted because of the deadlines.** However, I have learned a lot from my work on planning and devising strategies to achieve customers' satisfaction.

Lina: That is good to hear, Aya. Since you applied for the position of senior graphic designer, what do you think you'll like most about this job?

Aya: To put it simply, I will be working on a wider range of design projects, working collaboratively with colleagues such as creative directors and copywriters.

Lina: That's right! As you may have known, Steve and I will be evaluating your performance in recent months.

Aya: Okay, Lina. I am eager to receive your feedback.



Learn the grammar structures.



Participial Adjectives

Present Participle (-ing)

- describes someone, something, or a situation

My job is both **satisfying** and **rewarding**.

Working together with creative directors is **thrilling**.

His pictures for the photography contest are **captivating**.


Past Participle (-ed)

- describes how someone feels

I am **distressed** and **exhausted** because of the deadlines.

Being able to work on a range of projects, she felt **bewildered**.

Jill was **surprised** to be promoted so early in her job.



Learn more examples.

CAUSE

Present Participle

Your performance was **amazing**.

(The amazing performance causes you to feel amazed.)

The lesson is **confusing** for the students.

(The confusing lesson causes the students to feel confused.)

FEELING

Past Participle

I am **amazed** by your performance.

The students are **confused** by the lesson.

Note:

✗ The lesson is ~~confused~~ for the students.

Lessons (objects) cannot have feelings.

Only the students (people) can feel.



Change the words in the parenthesis into the correct participial adjectives.

1. Riding on the roller coaster is _____ (**thrill**).
2. My nephew was _____ (**amuse**) by the clown.
3. We were all _____ (**worry**) when he didn't come.
4. Working as a graphic designer is _____ (**fascinate**).
5. I get really _____ (**frustrate**) when I can't speak well.
6. The manager was _____ (**depress**) about the project.

Answer the questions using participial adjectives.

1

How would you describe the most recent movie that you watched?

2


You and a friend are meeting up for coffee. How would you feel if your friend arrived an hour late?

3

Describe the feeling when the first time you took an airplane.

4

What do you think about your current job?



Make new sentences by converting the present participial adjectives to past participial adjectives and vice versa.

Present Participial (-ing)

Ex. The big dog is **terrifying** for my son.

Past Participial (-ed)

My son is **terrified** of the big dog.

1. My office job is really tiring.

2. Failing the job interview was horrifying for Sean.

3. The result of the evaluation is alarming.

4.

I am confused with all these documents.

5.

She was entertained after watching the play.

6.

I was tired of waiting for the speaker for three hours.



Situation: Your company just had a grand anniversary party. Talk to your colleague about how you felt and what you think of the party. Use the grammar you learned today.
(Present and Past Participial Adjectives)

Read what we learned today.

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