



Hazel is reading a magazine article about some jobs.

## UNIQUE JOBS

Some people are doing jobs that you can hardly imagine. Take a look at these interesting occupations!

### Metro Pusher

Professional metro pushers are necessary during rush hour on the platforms of Japan's subways because they are full of people. Their job is to shove passengers onto the crowded trains and ensure the train doors are closed properly.

### Lollipop Man / Lady

They are uncommon in Hong Kong but they do exist. Lollipop men and ladies help school children **cross** the road before and after school. They wear fluorescent uniforms and carry signs on poles so that drivers can see them clearly and stop.



### Island Caretaker

Being an island caretaker is a great job for nature lovers. Tourism and Events Queensland often hires caretakers to look after the islands of the Great Barrier Reef. It may sound relaxing as a job but in fact it is not. Island caretakers have a lot of work to do, including cleaning the beaches and feeding the fish.

Choose the best answers by blackening the circles.

1. A metro pusher may need to be \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. brave  
 B. patient  
 C. strong  
 D. funny



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Think about the job duties of a metro pusher.

3. Hazel may **NOT** find being an island caretaker relaxing because \_\_\_\_\_.

- A. she is not a nature lover  
 B. she does not know how to feed the fish  
 C. it is a busy job  
 D. she will face a lot of problems



2. In the magazine article, what does the word '**cross**' (v.) mean?

- A. to mark something with a cross  
 B. to annoy someone  
 C. to go beyond something  
 D. to go across from one side of something to the other

Write 'T' (True) or 'F' (False) in each box.

4. (a) A metro pusher closes the train doors.   
 (b) There aren't any lollipop men or ladies in Hong Kong.   
 (c) An island caretaker needs to work outdoors.