CAREER PATHS

LAW (Book 3)

ENGLISH FOR LAW

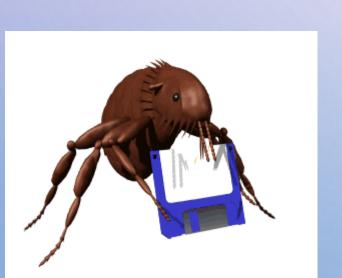
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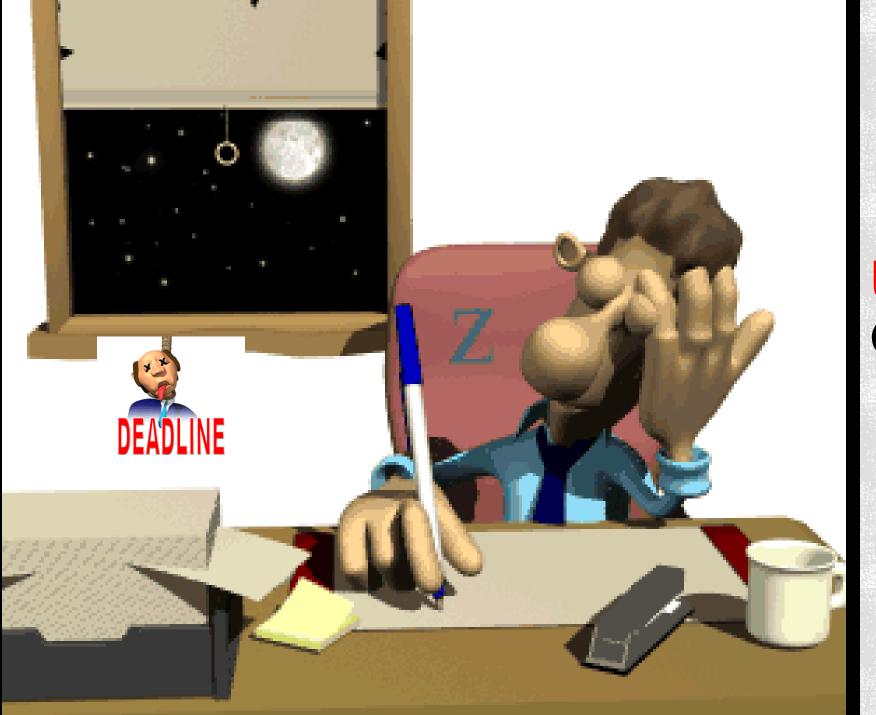
UNIT 1 TIME MANAGEMENT

You are a lawyer. Use the reading passage to write a memo to your assistant delegating some of your work (100-120 words).

Consider the following questions:



What do you need to accomplish today? Which tasks do you want your assistant to do? Which tasks in the list are most urgent and why?



UNIT 2. CALENDARS





• You are a legal secretary in a *law firm*. Use the reading passage to write an email (100-120 words) to the boss suggesting why calendar software would be beneficial

Writing

Consider:

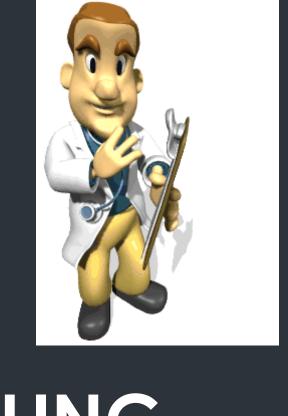
- How you currently track employees' appointments
- The problems with the current system
- The advantages of using calendar software

UNIT 3. DOCUMENT RETENTION

WRITING

You work in a law firm. Use the reading passage to write a memo to the staff outlining why it is important to keep documents (100-120 words).





UNIT 4 LEGAL BILLING

You work in a law firm. Use the reading passage to write a letter confirming the rates of a senior partner.

Consider:

- What is the senior partner's hourly rate & retainer fee?
- Is the retainer fee refunded?
- What option is available for paying contingency fees?