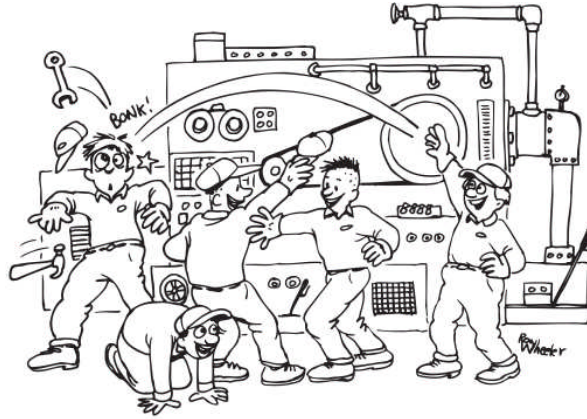


PROBLEMS AT WORK



A. Reading

Ernesto works in a toy factory to support his wife and two children. He works the night shift from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m. He usually arrives fifteen minutes early and hangs out with his co-workers Sam, Joaquin, Billy, and Antonio. The guys like to play around and have fun before their shift starts. They throw things at each other and take each other's hats. Last Friday, their supervisor told them to stop playing around. He told them that someone might get hurt. Ernesto likes hanging out with his co-workers, but he doesn't want to have problems at work.

B. True or False

1. _____ Ernesto works from 11:00 p.m. to 7:00 a.m.
2. _____ He arrives to work early.
3. _____ Sam, Joaquin, Billy, and Antonio like to take each other's wallets.
4. _____ The factory makes toys.
5. _____ Ernesto is single.

C. Yes or No – Share Your Opinion

1. _____ Ernesto is a responsible person.
2. _____ Ernesto should relax and stop worrying so much.

D. Writing – What should Ernesto say to his co-workers?
