

# Becoming a Doctor

Read the reading & use the worksheet below to study the structure of the text.

**I. Introduction**

Becoming a doctor is a long, difficult, expensive process that requires years of hard work.

**II. Study and Training Requirements**

Before you decide to study medicine, you must think carefully about the time it takes to become a doctor.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Internship & residency**

3. \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Are you the Right Kind of Person?**

In addition to the years of study and hard work, you must also:

A. \_\_\_\_\_

1. **want to improve their knowledge of general medicine and specialties**

2. \_\_\_\_\_

B. **want to help people**

Doctors must also be:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. **good listeners**

**IV. Doctor, Teacher, Researcher**

A. \_\_\_\_\_

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. **Caring for children**

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. **Doing operations**

B. **Teacher**

C. \_\_\_\_\_

**V. Money**

**VI. Conclusion**

To sum up, if the long work hours, the years of preparation and the responsibility are not an issue (problem),

and if you enjoy \_\_\_\_\_ and helping people, then medicine can be an exciting and

rewarding \_\_\_\_\_ for you.

