

Mursal Plans Ahead

Mursal is a single mother of two beautiful twin girls. She is starting her new job today as a sous chef and is very excited. She'll be working at a popular restaurant downtown. This is the first time Mursal is taking public transit to her new job. She realizes she must plan ahead just in case she gets lost or misses the train.

It's 7:15 a.m. Mursal gets her girls ready for daycare. She packs them a healthy lunch. First, Mursal walks the girls to daycare. Then she hurries to the nearest transit ticket office to purchase a monthly transit pass and check the train schedule.

When Mursal checks the train schedule, she notices that there's a delay in service. She'll be late for her first day on the job if she doesn't catch the 8:45 a.m. train. Mursal decides to take a taxi to the train station so she won't be late. The taxi is expensive, but she doesn't want to be late, especially on her first day of work. She quickly pays the taxi fare, catches her first train and then Mursal transfers to another train.

Mursal arrives at the restaurant on time. Her boss is there to welcome her and show her around. Mursal's job is fast-paced and complicated. When the day is finished, she's exhausted but happy. She knows that planning ahead was a wise



decision because she was able to get to work on time. She made a good impression on her new boss.

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