

# Do It Yourself ?

Look at the following tasks. Make sure you understand the **BOLD** words  
Mark them as follows:

1. I can do it with my eyes closed
2. I have limited experience
3. it's a bit of a challenge
4. it's best left to the professionals
5. I wouldn't know where to start

Difficulty	Task
	<b>minor electrical repairs</b> (e.g. replacing a toaster's <b>heating element</b> )
	<b>servicing</b> a kitchen air extractor unit
	<b>refurbishing</b> household paintwork (interior and exterior)
	<b>wall-papering</b> a room (including the ceiling)
	<b>laying fitted carpet</b> / replacing floor-covering
	<b>installing</b> extra RAM chips in your personal computer
	moving heavy <b>items of furniture</b> (e.g. a piano)
	<b>setting up</b> a TV satellite dish
	removing a <b>mangled video cassette</b> from a VCR
	<b>re-upholstering</b> chairs / sofas
	<b>replacing</b> damaged <b>roofing tiles</b>
	<b>stitching up</b> tears in clothing

Which of these tasks can you **turn your hand to**?

What tools do you need for each task? Write them in the space below each task.

Do you know anybody who might attempt all of them?