

Side Hustle vs Main Job (vsdiff.com)

Criteria	Side Hustle	Main Job
Flexibility	High - Work on your own schedule.	Low - Typically follows a strict schedule.
Income Stability	Variable - Income can fluctuate.	Stable - Regular paycheck, often with benefits.
Job Security	Low - Can be uncertain and inconsistent.	High - More secure within a permanent position.
Work-Life Balance	Potentially better - Can adjust workload.	Often worse - Fixed hours can limit personal time.
Skill Development	Varied - Depends on personal initiative.	Structured - Often includes training and advancement opportunities.
Social Interaction	Limited - Mostly independent work.	High - Regular interaction with colleagues.
Tax Implications	Self-reporting - Must manage own taxes.	Employer-managed - Taxes deducted from paycheck.

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