English for landscapers

1. Greet her and say what you will do today

Oh, good morning! Are you from the lawn crew?	Yes, I am. Good morning!
The grass is a little long this week.	I'll mow it first. Then I'll trim the hedge.

Good morning! I'm from the lawn crew.

Today I'll mow the lawn and trim the hedge.

We'll be here until noon.

I'll start in the front yard.

2. Ask what she wants done

Could you cut the hedge lower than usual? I want to see the street from my kitchen window.	Sure. How low? Up to the window?
Yes, about to the window. Thank you.	No problem.

What would you like me to do today?

Do you want me to cut the hedge as usual?

How low do you want it?

Do you want me to weed the flower bed too?

3. Say you can plant her flowers and ask where they go

I bought some flowers yesterday. Could you plant them too?	Yes, I can. Where do you want them?
By the front steps, please. The yellow ones on the left.	The yellow ones on the left. Okay.

Yes, I can plant them.

Where do you want the flowers?

Do you want them in a row or together?

I'll water them after I plant them.

4. Tell her a sprinkler is broken and what the extra work costs

Hi again! How is it going?	Good, but I found a problem. There is a broken sprinkler by the fence.
Oh dear. How much would that be?	The sprinkler is sixty dollars with the work.
That sounds fair. And the flowers?	Planting the flowers is forty dollars extra.

I found a problem. There is a broken sprinkler by the fence.

One plant is dead. Do you want me to take it out?

Fixing the sprinkler takes about an hour.

That's extra. It's sixty dollars with the work.

Is that okay with you?

5. Say you are finished and when you are back

It looks lovely! When are you back?	We'll be back next Tuesday.

We're finished. How does it look?

Call us if you have any questions.

We'll be back next Tuesday.