



English Level  
A2

### Activity 2: What invention is that?

**Competencia:** Lee diversos tipos de textos en inglés como lengua extranjera

**Capacidades:** *Obtiene información del texto escrito,*

*Infiere e interpreta información del texto escrito,*

*Reflexiona y evalúa la forma, el contenido y el contexto del texto escrito*

**Criterios de evaluación:** • Obtiene información relevante de textos sobre la vida personal de inventores peruanos, su invento y sus motivaciones. • Infiere e interpreta información de textos sobre la vida personal de inventores peruanos, su invento y sus motivaciones.

**Propósito:** Comprender textos breves en inglés identificando palabras, frases y estructuras simples, a fin de elaborar, en este idioma, una entrevista -real o ficticia con preguntas y respuestas (en caso de ser ficticia)- a una inventora o a un inventor para dar a conocer su invento a todo el mundo.

### Activity 2: What Invention is That? LEAD IN:

Match the questions with the correct answers.

1. What problem does your invention solve?

2. Where do you keep your inventions?

3. How do you start to create an invention?

A. All my inventions are in my house in the garage.

B. Cell phones are very fragile and they break easily.

C. I think of a problem in my community or in my house.

Hello again! It is me, Sayri.

### LET'S PRACTISE!

#### LISTENING COMPREHENSION

#### PRACTISE-EXERCISE 1

Listen to the interview to Shubam Banerjee and answer the questions.

Example:

How old is Shubam Banerjee?

- a. Fifteen years old
- b. Thirteen years old
- c. Fourteen years old

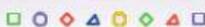


Escucha el audio de la actividad 1.

And I am Nantu. Welcome to Activity 2!



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1. What is Shubam's invention?
  - a. A 3D printer
  - b. The braille system
  - c. A braille printer that is affordable.
2. What is braille?
  - a. A writing system for the blind.
  - b. A reading and writing system for the blind.
  - c. A reading system for the blind.
3. What is the problem that his invention solves?
  - a. Braille printers are too expensive.
  - b. Braille is too difficult to understand.
  - c. They don't teach braille at school.
4. What material did Shubam need to make his invention?
  - a. A robotics' kit and some electronic components.
  - b. A robotics' laboratory.
  - c. A robotics' laboratory and some electronic components.
5. Where was Shubam invited after his invention became popular?
  - a. A science fair.
  - b. The White House and a TV show.
  - c. A famous laboratory.

**PRACTISE-EXERCISE 2**

**Part A. Classify** the questions. Are they questions about personal information, the invention or motivation and dreams?

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| 1. What is your name?                              | 5. What is your occupation?            |
| 2. What is the problem that your invention solves? | 6. What is your dream?                 |
| 3. What is your invention?                         | 7. How old are you?                    |
| 4. Where are you from?                             | 8. What are your plans for the future? |

Questions about personal information	Questions about the invention	Questions about motivation or dreams
Example: What is your name?		
• _____	• _____	• _____
• _____	• _____	• _____
• _____		



**Part B. Match** the questions with the correct answers.

**Example:**

What is your name?



a. My name is Elif Bilgin

1. What is the problem that your invention solves?

b. I'm from Turkey.

2. What is your invention?

c. I want to invent more things!

3. Where are you from?

d. There is too much plastic waste.

4. What is your occupation?

e. My dream is to save the planet.

5. What is your dream?

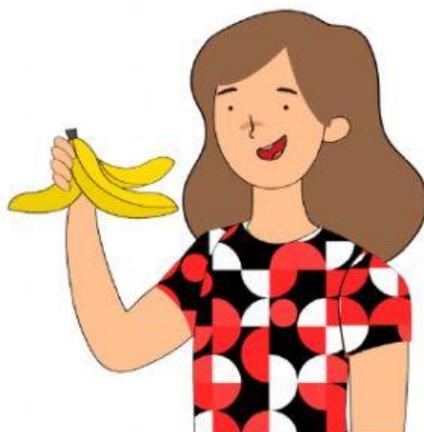
f. I'm a student and an inventor.

6. How old are you?

g. I invented plastic made from banana peels.

7. What are your plans for the future?

h. I'm 16 years old.



**¡NOTEMOS ALGO!**

Observa estas preguntas:

- What is your name?
- How old are you?
- What is your occupation?

Responde a la siguientes pregunta:

1. Cuando la pregunta empieza con una Wh-word, ¿qué tipo de respuestas tienen?

- a. Si o no
- b. Información



Sigue revisando lo que puedes hacer con el inglés según estándares internacionales. Aquí algunas preguntas más. ¿Los puedes hacer?



1. ¿Puedo comprender un diálogo breve y simple que escucho en inglés, si es claro y pausado? **SÍ - NO**
2. ¿Puedo comprender instrucciones breves y sencillas en inglés? **SÍ - NO**

# GLOSSARY

## INGLÉS

## CASTELLANO

1. banana peel	cáscara de plátano
2. braille printer	impresora braille
3. carry out activities	realizar actividades
4. clean and slice the fish	limpiar y rebanar (filetear) el pescado
5. contests and prizes	concursos y premios
6. employ people	generar empleos a personas
7. fields	campos
8. fishing engineer	ingeniería pesquera
9. fishing nets	redes para pescar
10. giant grass	pasto gigante
11. I learned his craft	aprendí su oficio
12. light, eco-friendly and not expensive	ligero, ecológico y menos costoso (no caro)
13. science fair	feria de ciencias
14. make a living	ganarse la vida (ganar dinero)
15. abundant	abundante
16. spawn	desovar (poner huevos)
17. to do research	realizar una investigación

This is the end of Activity 2. Bye- bye!

Continue with Activity 3.



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