

1. Make phrases and connect with the correct definition

resounding	experience	small deviation
prevailing	changes	current tendency
rewarding	damage	very important modifications
irreversible	factor	a fulfilling experience
tangible	difference	an added element necessary to have a certain outcome
contributing	difficulties	great achievement
fundamental	success	a noticeable outcome
substantial	results	considerable hardship
subtle	trend	unchangeable destruction

2. Choose the correct word to fill the gaps.

Innovation over-consumption irreversible detrimental
 subtle compelling fundamental

- “Change is as good as holiday” the old saying goes but is this always true? _____ modifications to our appearance make us feel better about ourselves and more confident which makes the saying true to its word, however, does the same apply in changes that prove to be _____?
- He made a _____ argument to encourage us to make _____ changes to our lifestyles regarding our consumer habits. _____ has led to _____ damage to the environment, mostly due to the fast pace of technological _____ which make appliances redundant very soon after they are created.

3. Find Positive and Negative effects of technological developments and put them in the correct column

	Positive	Negative
Education	1	2
Consumerism	3	4
Politics	5	6
Energy	7	8
Communication	9	10
Societal Change	11	12

- a) sense of community
- b) spreading of misinformation
- c) sustainable living
- d) ease and efficiency
- e) over-consumption
- f) increased citizen participation
- g) affordability and accessibility
- h) increased environmental pollution
- i) availability of forums promoting fanaticism
- j) informed choices
- k) social networking overload
- l) globalisation