



UNIT 3: TECHNOLOGY

(resource: unit 5 Solutions Intermediate Third Edition)

✓ LET'S PRACTISE:

PART 1 👉 MODAL VERBS FOR DEDUCTION AND SPECULATION ! ! !

1 Circle the correct modals to complete the sentences.

- 1 She **can't have** / might have / must have left her phone at school. Or perhaps she left it on the bus.
- 2 There's no pizza left. They **can't have** / could have / must have eaten it all.
- 3 Juliet **can't have** / may have / must have gone on holiday. She was at school yesterday!
- 4 I didn't get your email. Do you think you **can't have** / could have / must have sent it to my old email address?
- 5 Your smartwatch probably isn't broken. It **can't have** / could have / must have run out of charge.
- 6 The school show is on YouTube. Our teacher **can't have** / might have / must have uploaded it.
- 7 You went 130 km in less than an hour? You **can't have** / could have / must have driven very fast!
- 8 Max isn't replying to my texts. He **can't have** / might have / must have taken his phone with him.

2 Complete the sentences with *must have* or *can't have* and the verb in brackets.

- 1 Jack is usually here by now. He _____ (miss) his bus.
- 2 Madison didn't know about the party. She _____ (get) your email.
- 3 Sam _____ (take) his phone with him; he isn't answering my text messages.
- 4 There's no bread. We _____ (eat) it all at breakfast.
- 5 They've left school already. Their lessons _____ (finish) early today.
- 6 He _____ (injure) his leg really badly. He cycled home!

3 Write the correct reply (a–f) after sentences 1–6. Use *should* / *shouldn't have* and the past participle form of the verb in brackets.

- 1 'My camcorder screen is damaged.'
'_____'
 - 2 'I think we're driving in the wrong direction.'
'_____'
 - 3 'I've spent a fortune on my phone this month!'
'_____'
 - 4 'My email account has been hacked again.'
'_____'
 - 5 'Mason is really angry with me.'
'_____'
 - 6 'My tablet is completely dead.'
'_____'
- a We (bring) the satnav.
b You (choose) a better password.
c You (charge) it overnight.
d You (drop) it on the pavement.
e You (make) those comments on Twitter.
f You (call) your friend when you were abroad.

PART 2 ➡ ADJECTIVES + PREPOSITIONS ! ! !

1 Circle the correct prepositions.

- 1 His eyes are very sensitive **at** / **to** bright lights.
- 2 Are you excited **about** / **for** your holiday?
- 3 She wasn't very pleased **in** / **with** her present.
- 4 Don't worry, nobody is angry **about** / **with** you.
- 5 I want 90%, but I'd be satisfied **for** / **with** 75%.
- 6 Who is responsible **about** / **for** all this mess?
- 7 I'm not familiar **to** / **with** this part of town, so it's easy to get lost.
- 8 If you were dissatisfied **from** / **with** your hotel room, you should have complained.

2 Complete the text with *about, at, in, of, on, to, or with*.



Scientists have been aware ¹ _____ technology addictions for many years, but now there is a new kind: recently a man needed treatment after becoming addicted ² _____ Google Glass.

The 31-year-old American man visited a clinic in the USA because he was worried ³ _____ an alcohol addiction. He had to take off his Google Glass when he arrived – and doctors were shocked ⁴ _____ his reaction. He suffered withdrawal symptoms which were very similar ⁵ _____ drug or alcohol withdrawal.

Originally, the man had become keen ⁶ _____ Google Glass because it helped him to become better ⁷ _____ his job. He gradually became more and more obsessed ⁸ _____ the device. However, he also began to feel unhappy ⁹ _____ the effect that it was having on his mood: he became bad-tempered and forgetful when he was not wearing it. The device was helping him to be successful ¹⁰ _____ his job, but it was harmful ¹¹ _____ the rest of his life.

At first, the doctors at the clinic were curious ¹² _____ one symptom: the man kept tapping the right side of his head with his finger. The man later explained that this was how you changed the view on Google Glass.

PART 3 ➡ VOCABULARY ! !

1 Complete the verb–noun collocations in the sentences with the words below.

an answer break competition conversation
exchanged pass website won

- 1 Who can **come up with** _____ to this question?
- 2 Did you _____ **the test** or fail it?
- 3 Ed **entered** a singing _____ and _____ **first prize**.
- 4 Mathematicians tried to _____ **the enemy code**.
- 5 I **searched** the Amazon _____, but I couldn't find the book I was looking for.
- 6 My cousin and I _____ a few **text messages**, then **had** an interesting _____ on the phone.

2 Complete the instructions with the verbs below.

check click on create enter log on
print save scroll down

How to make an online purchase

- Go to the website of the online retailer and type the item you're looking for into the search bar.
- ¹ _____ the list of results until you find it.
- ² _____ the item you want.
- Go to the checkout. If you are an existing customer, ³ _____ to the website. If you aren't an existing customer, ⁴ _____ a new account.
- Read the terms and conditions and ⁵ _____ the box.
- ⁶ _____ your credit card details and pay for the item.
- ⁷ _____ the confirmation document on your computer.
- ⁸ _____ the document for future reference.