

Unit 3

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VOCABULARY

Information and research 2

1 Choose the correct answers (A, B or C) to complete the sentences.

- 1 A leading scientist has _____ a different view about the best way to deal with the virus.
A put forward B determined C uncovered
- 2 Some people have suggested that the best way to deal with the spread of _____ is to teach young children about fake news.
A sources B findings C misinformation
- 3 According to some _____, artificial intelligence will soon overtake human intelligence, although whether this will actually happen is up for debate.
A hypotheses B misinformation C compilations
- 4 Is it a journalist's role to simply report what is happening, or to _____ the truth about a situation?
A compile B uncover C prove
- 5 After a long look at all the available evidence, the suspect was _____, without a shadow of a doubt, to be innocent.
A put forward B proven C hypothesised
- 6 There have recently been some concerns about security and _____ in relation to the personal data that social media companies acquire.
A sources B findings C privacy

- 7 It took several months to _____ all the data in the form of an easy-to-read report.
A compile B determine C prove
- 8 Police are carefully investigating the scene of the accident to _____ what exactly might have caused it.
A prove B determine C source

LANGUAGE FOCUS

Present and future conditionals

2 Complete each sentence with the correct answers (A, B or C).

- 1 If you take a seat,
A you see the doctor soon.
B the doctor will see you soon.
C the doctor would see you.
- 2 If you will insist on going out without a coat,
A you often catch colds.
B you would probably catch a cold.
C it's no wonder you've caught a cold.
- 3 If he won't stop talking,
A I'll just have to interrupt him.
B I'd have to interrupt him.
C I've stopped listening to him.
- 4 I'll make you a cup of coffee
A if it'll help you feel more awake.
B if you were to feel more awake.
C if you're going to feel more awake.
- 5 You ought to go and buy the ingredients
A if you keep on making dinner tonight.
B if you had made dinner.
C if you're going to make dinner tonight.
- 6 If she would just help me around the house a bit more,
A I'm always feeling tired and overworked.
B I wouldn't feel so tired and overworked.
C I don't feel so tired all the time.

- 7 If you happen to go to the city centre,
A you'll see that there are a lot of new buildings.
B you'd see lots of new buildings.
C you would have seen all the new buildings.
- 8 If I were to ask you to come with me to the cinema tonight,
A would you have said 'yes'?
B you'll probably say 'yes'
C would you say 'yes'?

Wish/if only and alternatives

3 Complete each gap with the correct form of the word in brackets.

- 1 If only I _____ (not/have/use) the internet for all my research, I _____ (not/put) so much false data in my report.
- 2 I wish I _____ (start) studying English earlier, instead of starting when I was an adult.
- 3 I'd like _____ (stay) in touch with my friend who went to America, but he never uses the internet.
- 4 I'd sooner _____ (go) to the beach last weekend than stayed at home.
- 5 _____ (I/know) you were going to put up those photos of me, I _____ (stop) you.
- 6 If we _____ (not/be) at that party, we _____ (might/never/meet).
- 7 I wish you _____ (not/tell) the news. Now you've made me upset.
- 8 If I _____ (spoke) Spanish, I _____ (not/have) so many problems while on holiday last month.

WORD FORMATION

Adjectives

4 Complete each gap with the correct form of the word in brackets.

- 1 Social media companies are hugely _____ (influence) in terms of the way people consume news and information.
- 2 Some celebrities prefer to remain _____ (mystery) rather than share details of their private life with the public.

- 3 I'm not a naturally _____ (chat) person in real life, but I do enjoy having discussions with people online.
- 4 One of the big _____ (contradict) of modern life is that we have a huge amount of information at our fingertips, but it's difficult for many of us to decide what is really true.
- 5 Some TV shows prefer politicians to be _____ (argument) with each other rather than discuss things calmly.
- 6 There are some famous people who seem friendly on the screen but are probably quite _____ (approach) in real life.
- 7 I try not to discuss politics with my family. If I do, we just have _____ (end) disagreements.
- 8 Yesterday, a politician put an interesting comment online, but then she quickly deleted it. Its _____ (appear) is causing a lot of debate.
- 9 There has been a _____ (drama) increase in the number of smartphone users over the last 10 years.
- 10 Sorry, my shoes are so _____ (mud) – I've just been walking near the river.