2 Are you online?

READING

1 **Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.**

1. My friend is a **vlogger** / **vlog**. She makes weekly cooking videos.
2. I'm a **member** / **relation** of our school computer club.
3. There's an interesting **story** / **report** in the newspaper about the future of computers.
4. This is my favourite online **translator** / **vlog**. It's about fashion.
5. Our science **project** / **teacher** this month is about space.
6. My brother is twenty and goes to **high school** / **university** in London.

2 **Look at the pictures in the report. What do you think it is about? Read it quickly and check your answers.**

3 **Read the report again and answer the questions.**

1. How many days is Marcus doing his project?

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2. What is Marcus' project about?

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3. Where does Marcus write about his project every day?

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4. How many minutes can Marcus spend on the computer each day?

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5. Who is laughing at Marcus?

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6. Who misses talking to his/her friends?

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7. Who often spends the holiday without technology?

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8. Who doesn't use a computer on Saturdays?

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It's the start of our one-week school holiday in May. I'm getting ready for a holiday without technology! That means no mobile phones, no video games and no YouTube. I'm doing it as part of a school project. For the project, we're looking at lives of teenagers fifty years ago. So our homework is to spend the school holiday without technology and write a daily diary about it. We spend fifteen minutes writing about our opinions and feelings in our school diary every day and then we upload our diary entries to the school blog. That's the only time we can use technology!

It's only 4 p.m. on Saturday and I'm already missing my phone. It feels strange. My sister is sitting next to me on the sofa. She's texting her friends and laughing at me! My family think I can't live without technology. I want to show them they're wrong! How is everyone else doing?

Dan, 15 Add message | Report

I'm finding it easy at the moment. I play football every Saturday and so I don't usually play on my computer anyway.

Alexandra, 16 Add message | Report

I'm feeling a bit bored! I miss chatting to my friends online. I can't believe it's only day 1!

Sienna, 15 Add message | Report

It's easy for me because I'm staying with family in Wales for the holiday. We come every May on holiday. The house doesn't have wi-fi and my mobile has no signal here. I'm writing this in a café in the town. Our holidays here are always technology-free!

4 **Find words in the report that have these meanings.**

1. computers, mobile phones and the internet are examples of this: .....
2. what you think about something or someone: .....
3. a website where people write about their experiences, opinions and feelings: .....
4. unusual: .....
5. your mobile phone needs this to send and receive information: .....
6. a place where you can have lunch, coffee or tea: .....

LIVEWORKSHEETS