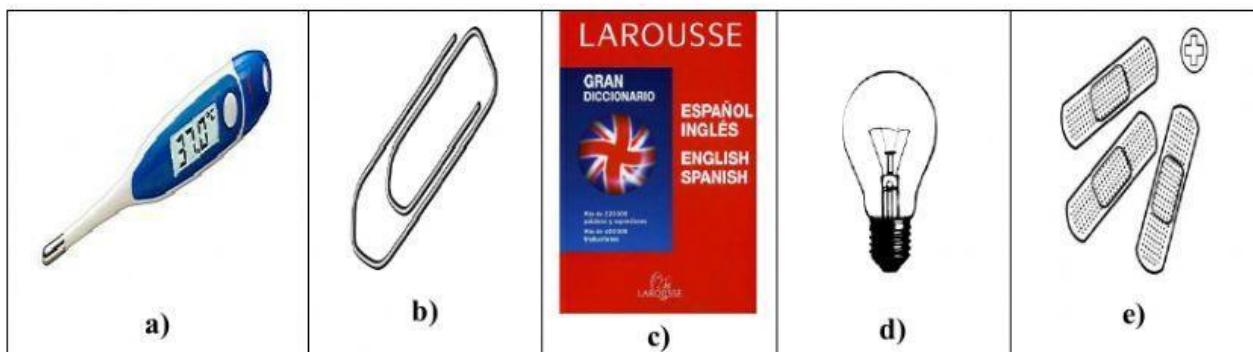


Listening and reading: Simple past.

1. Listen and match the children to the inventions. There is an invention you don't need to use.



1) Daisy: _____ 2) Jake: _____ 3) Carla: _____ 4) Philip: _____

2. Read and circle the correct option.

Last week, we had a very interesting science class because Mrs Graham visited our school to talk to us about inventions. When she was a girl, she wanted to be an inventor herself, but she decided to study history. She likes reading about inventions that we use every day. She talked about an inventor from the USA: Josephine Cochrane.

Josephine Cochrane was born in 1839. She was a very rich woman who liked having parties, but didn't like washing the dishes. Her servants did ^{the} ~~the~~ this for her, but she wasn't very happy because sometimes they broke the plates. She wanted a machine to wash her plates quickly and without breaking them. She invented the first dishwasher in 1886. In the beginning, it was used in hotels and restaurants, later it started to be used in people's houses.

- a) Last week they had and interesting science class about
- b) When Mrs Graham was young, she studied
- c) Josephine Cochrane was
- d) Josephine Cochrane invented a machine to wash
- e) At first, the dishwasher was used in

3. Read and complete the questions: What - who – where- when - did

- a) is the man in the picture? He is Leonardo da Vinci.
- b) did he born? He was born in 1452
- c) was he from? He was from Italy.
- d) did he do? He was a painter, a scientist and an inventor.
- e) he paint the Mona Lisa? Yes, he did.
- f) did he invent? He invented some musical instruments, a type of clock, ...
- g) did he die? He died in 1519

