BIG ENGLISH PLUS 6

Unit 4 – Lesson 4: Grammar

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Exercise 1: Read and Choose.

1. I **said/ say** that I would get up early.
2. She said that she **finished/ finish** her homework.
3. The scientist said **that/what** robots could be used in medicine.
4. He said that nanotechnology **will/would** revolutionise the world as we know it.
5. Futurist **say/said** we needed to prepare for the future.
6. We said we wanted to know more about virtual technology and how it **would/will** be used responsibility.

Exercise 2: Read and Match.

1. *"I studied Computer Technology at university."*
2. *"She works in an office in central London."*
3. *"I read the latest science magazine."*
4. *"We're going to Italy in the summer."*
5. *"They live in a small house with a big garden."*
6. *"We love learning about future technology."*

a. They said they were going to Italy in the summer.

b. Dan said that they lived in a small house with a big garden.

c. The students said they loved learning about future technology.

d. I said that I studied Computer Technology at university.

e. They said that she worked in an office in central London.

f. My friend said that he read the latest magazine.

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Exercise 3: Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

played	said	that	understood	would

1. My sister _____ that Maths and Science were her best subjects at school.
2. His mum said that he _____ virtual games on his computer all afternoon.
3. Frank said _____ architects made 3-D images of houses they were building.
4. We said no one _____ what scientist was talking about.
5. They said that they _____ like to learn more about virtual medicine.

Exercise 4: Unscramble and write the sentences

1. I needed to study/ said that/ Computer Technology/ my father/.

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2. watch tv/ for an hour/ she wanted to/ she said/ . /

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3. predicted that/ could assist/ doctors/ nanobots/ futurist / . /

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4. would revolutionise/ that/ she said/ it/ the future / . /

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Exercise 5: Write the sentences in reported speech. Use said or said that.

1. Ana:" Robots are used to help humans do new things."

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2. Josh: "The study of the future is very interesting."

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3. My grandfather: "So many things are different now."

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4. Leyla: "I'll read my book instead of playing a computer game."

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