UNIT 12-GLOBAL

3 Complete the following sentences, using the adjectives in the box.

fast | smart | useful | heavy | strong

1. My dad bought me a very _____ home robot last week. It helps me to do many household chores.
2. This is a very _____ car. It can travel at a speed of 300 km per hour.
3. He's very _____. He can move a big car!
4. They're making a very _____ robot. It can understand 30 languages.
5. The table is too _____ for me to move on my own.

2. Match the sentences 1-5 to the phrases a-e:

1. do	a. as a guard
2. repair	b. my toys away
3. iron	c. broken machines
4. work	d. the clothes
5. put	e. the dishes

3. Match the sentences 1-5 to the phrases a-e:

1. They can cook, make tea or coffee, and clean our houses.	a. doctor robots
2. They can teach children instead of human teachers.	b. space robots
3. They can build buildings, bridges and roads.	c. home robots
4. They can help us to find and repair problems in our bodies.	d. worker robots
5. They can build space stations on the Moon and other planets.	e. teacher robots

1: ..... 2: ..... 3: ..... 4: ..... 5: .....

4. Complete the following sentences with the correct form of the adjectives in brackets.

1. My sister thinks she's (smart) _____ than me but I don't agree.
2. What is the (wet) _____ month of the year in Viet Nam?
3. V100 is the (strong) _____ robot in our factory.
4. My mum's robot is not very fast. She wants a (fast) _____ one.
5. Venus (***Sao Kim***) is the (hot) _____ in the solar system.
6. Mary is the (nice) _____ person that I know.

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5. Complete the conversation with these phrases. Then practise the conversation with your friends.

e. I agree with **c. Do you agree with that** **d. What about you**
a. I'm sorry, I don't agree **b. No, definitely not**

Duy:	I don't think we should have robots in our lives.
Nick:	(1) _____. Robots are helping us a lot in industry, education, and even in our house. (2) _____, Duy?
Duy:	(3) _____. They're a complete waste of time and money. They're making everybody lazy. In the future robots will take over the world. I saw a film about that once. (4) _____, Phong?
Phong:	Oh, (5) _____ Nick. Robots are never smarter than humans. But in the future, they will be very useful because they will do almost everything instead of us.

6. Read the conversation between an interviewer and Dr Brown, a robot expert. Choose T (True) or F (False).

Interviewer:	Good morning, Dr Brown. Welcome to our programme.
Dr Brown:	Good morning.
Interviewer:	Could you tell us what robots can do now, please?
Dr Brown:	Well, they can do a lot of things in many fields now. But they can't understand our feelings or can't do quite a lot of complicated things.
Interviewer:	What can home robots do for us in our houses?
Dr Brown:	A lot. They can work as guards in your house and even look after your babies when you're away.
Interviewer:	Great! Can they do more complicated things like play football or drive a car?
Dr Brown:	They can't play football now but they can drive a car only in streets with few vehicles.
Interviewer:	Really? Can they talk to humans?
Dr Brown:	Yes. The smartest robots can understand and speak more than 30 languages.

1. Robots can understand our feelings.	T	F
2. Home robots can do a lot of things in our houses.	T	F
3. Robots cannot play football.	T	F
4. Robots can drive a car in every street.	T	F
5. Robots can talk to people.	T	F

7. Read the text and choose the correct answer (A, B, C, or D) for each of the questions from 1 to 5.

A robot cannot think or do things alone. People use a computer to control it. Today, robots are becoming useful in our lives. They can help us to save a lot of time and work. A robot

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can do the same work for 24 hours, and yet, **it** does not complain or get tired. In the US, people use robots as security guards in some important places. These robots can listen for certain noises and send signals for help if there's trouble or danger. In Japan, people use robots in factories to build cars. In the future, scientists will design many types of intelligent robots. Their robots will help us to do many more complicated things. However, some people do not like robots. They fear that one day robots will be too powerful.

1. Why do people use a computer to control a robot?

a. Because it is too expensive.

b. Because it cannot think or do things alone.

c. Because it can save time and work.

d. Because it is very useful.

2. Which of the following statements is NOT TRUE according to the text?

People use robots as security guards in some important places in the US.

Robots cannot do the same work for 24 hours.

Robots do not get tired of working.

People use computers to control robots.

3. The word "it" in the text refers to.

a robot a computer work the US

4. In Japan, people use robots in factories to_____.

a. guard important places b. build cars

c. listen to certain noises d. do many more complicated things

5. Some people fear that one day robots _____.

a. will be busier than humans b. will have too much power

c. will do complicated things d. will make too much noise

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