

## B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

### I. Match each word with its definition.

1. <b>houseboat</b>	a. a very large impressive house
2. <b>skyscraper</b>	b. a large vehicle with beds and equipment for cooking and washing
3. <b>UFO</b>	c. a boat that people can live in
4. <b>motor home</b>	d. a set of rooms for living in, usually on one floor of a building
5. <b>palace</b>	e. a strange object seen in the sky that is thought to be a spacecraft from another planet
6. <b>apartment</b>	f. a very tall modern building

### II. Complete the sentences with the appliances in the box.

wireless TV      automatic dishwasher      washing machine  
smart alarm clock      hi-tech fridge      robots      supercars

1. In the future, \_\_\_\_\_ will take care of the children and do all housework.
2. A \_\_\_\_\_ of the future will tell you what to have for dinner.
3. A \_\_\_\_\_ helps us watch TV programmes from space.
4. All you need to do is stick the dirty dishes in the rack; the \_\_\_\_\_ will automatically fill up and do its thing.
5. This \_\_\_\_\_ uses artificial intelligence to program your day.
6. The \_\_\_\_\_ of the future will wash, dry and fold your clothes.
7. Future \_\_\_\_\_ will be electric, self-repairing, but not self-driving.

### IV. Complete the sentence with **will** or **won't** and one of the verbs in the box.

be      pay      go      watch      cure      use      check      recognize

*According to technology experts the products below will be most successful by the year 2020.*

1. New medicines \_\_\_\_\_ diseases like Parkinson's and Alzheimer's.
2. A personal computer \_\_\_\_\_ your voice and follow your commands.
3. Cars \_\_\_\_\_ petrol or diesel, but other fuels like electricity, and natural gas.

4. We \_\_\_\_\_ TV on large, flat screen.
5. Computers \_\_\_\_\_ necessary because your TV will do everything,
6. We \_\_\_\_\_ for everything with an electronic card.
7. We \_\_\_\_\_ to the doctor so often.
8. Robots at home \_\_\_\_\_ our health and warn us of the problems.

**V. Make future simple questions.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_ (people/ live) on the Moon someday?
2. What \_\_\_\_\_ (the cars/ look) like in 20 years?
3. \_\_\_\_\_ (robots/ replace) humans?
4. Where \_\_\_\_\_ (you/ be) in 2040?
5. When \_\_\_\_\_ (humans/ live) on other planets?
6. \_\_\_\_\_ (houses/ be) more environmentally friendly in the future?
7. \_\_\_\_\_ (computers/ take) over the world?
8. How \_\_\_\_\_ (fashion/ change)?

**VI. Underline the correct answer.**

1. Don't leave your keys on the table. You will / won't forget it.
2. Susan will / won't be very happy if she passes the exam.
3. I'm afraid I will / won't be able to come tomorrow.
4. I'm told you are ill. I hope you will / won't feel better again.
5. I'm sure you will / won't like that film. It's very frightening. Let's choose another one.
6. Turn on your laptop tonight. We will / won't chat a little bit.
7. You needn't wear your cap. It will / won't be cold today.
8. I am really tired. I will / won't have a rest.

**VII. Complete the sentences with *might* or *might not*.**

1. The sky looks cloudy. ~ It \_\_\_\_\_ rain.
2. I \_\_\_\_\_ watch the football game on Sunday; I am too busy.
3. You should ask him. He \_\_\_\_\_ know Susan's telephone number.
4. Jenny \_\_\_\_\_ be in the office - I can't reach her at home.

5. I have a lot of homework to do, so I \_\_\_\_\_ go to her party this weekend.
6. Where will you travel next year? ~ We \_\_\_\_\_ go to Egypt, but we're not sure yet.
7. Don't go any closer - it \_\_\_\_\_ be safe.
8. You should introduce yourself; he \_\_\_\_\_ remember you.
9. We \_\_\_\_\_ visit my cousin in Australia next month but we don't know yet.
10. She \_\_\_\_\_ be on time for work because of the public transport strike.

#### **VIII. Choose the correct form.**

1. Our dog is amazing - it \_\_\_\_\_ sing!  
a. should      b. must      c. can      d. might
2. Bring your umbrella - it \_\_\_\_\_ rain later.  
a. can      b. might      c. must      d. should
3. All students \_\_\_\_\_ wear their uniforms to school.  
a. should      b. will      c. may      d. must
4. We \_\_\_\_\_ wash our hands before we have our meals.  
a. could      b. can      c. should      d. might
5. \_\_\_\_\_ we go to the beach today? ~ Great!  
a. Shall      b. Will      c. Might      d. Should
6. Students \_\_\_\_\_ use a dictionary during the test. It's forbidden.  
a. can't      b. mustn't      c. might not      d. won't
7. I \_\_\_\_\_ go to the football match but I don't know yet.  
a. can't      b. shouldn't      c. might not      d. mustn't
8. Ingrid \_\_\_\_\_ play the violin when she was six.  
a. can't      b. could      c. might      d. shouldn't
9. \_\_\_\_\_ you like something to drink?  
a. Could      b. Should      c. Will      d. Would
10. I'm afraid of water because I \_\_\_\_\_ swim.  
a. can't      b. may      c. couldn't      d. must

## IX. Complete the sentences with an appropriate preposition.

1. Cars of the future run \_\_\_\_\_ electricity.
2. Phong's dream house looks \_\_\_\_\_ a UFO.
3. We'll live \_\_\_\_\_ a hi-tech house \_\_\_\_\_ the moon.
4. Robots at home will help people \_\_\_\_\_ household chores.
5. Will your future house be \_\_\_\_\_ space?
6. Will robots take care \_\_\_\_\_ children?
7. \_\_\_\_\_ the future I will travel to the Moon \_\_\_\_\_ super car.
8. We might have flying cars \_\_\_\_\_ 2050.

## D. READING

### II. Read the text, then do the tasks.

#### The home of the future



When you're out of the house, is the fridge on the phone to the supermarket? Is the heating system having a word with the bath? And when you get back home, does the doorknob recognise you and say hello? Probably not, but in the house of the future all this - and more - is possible.

Researchers say that technology will transform your home in ways you can only dream about. Nanotechnology will play an important role. It will clean your windows. Intelligent spoons will check how hot or cold your soup is and the walls will sense if anyone is in your garden.

The next generation of fridges will use the Internet to make sure your food stays fresh and they'll get in touch with the supermarket to order some more and you'll never run out of milk again.

When you are on the way home and feel like a warm bath, all you have to do is sending a text message to the heating system. The heating system warms the water and even runs the bath so that as soon as you walk through the front door, you can jump in and relax.

Welcome to the smart home of the future!

- **nanotechnology** (n): công nghệ nano (*công nghệ chế tạo và sử dụng những thiết bị cực nhỏ*)

**A. Match the words with their meaning.**

1. heating system (n) \_\_\_\_\_ a. communicate with
2. doorknob (n) \_\_\_\_\_ b. discover or find out
3. transform (v) \_\_\_\_\_ c. a system for making a building warm
4. sense (v) \_\_\_\_\_ d. use up or finish all of something
5. get in touch with (idm) \_\_\_\_\_ e. a round handle that you turn to open a door
6. run out of (phr.v) \_\_\_\_\_ f. change completely

**B. Decide if the statements are true (T) or false (F).**

1. Houses in the future will be smarter than today's houses.
2. Nanotechnology will help protect your house.
3. The fridge will remind you when to go to the supermarket.
4. You can control your heating system by using text messages.
5. Researchers say a smart house is just a dream.