

Revision

Workbook page 56

- a Charles Dickens **was born/born** in 1812 in England. He **was died/died** in 1870.
- b The pyramids **were built/built** thousands of years ago.
- c Hurricane Katrina **destroyed/was destroyed** many buildings in New Orleans.
- d The film Titanic **made/was made** by a Hollywood film company.
- e The police **arrested/was arrested** the burglar last night.
- f Somebody **told/was told** me to wait here.

THEME 4 UNIT 4


Virtual Reality

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What is Virtual Reality?



Virtual Reality: an environment produced by a computer that looks and seems real to the person experiencing it, for example, in computer games.



Read the text in your course book page 56. Then, answers to the questions

a- What is virtual reality?

- Virtual reality is an _____ environment which is made using a computer

b- What is virtual reality used for?

- Virtual reality can be used for many purposes – e.g. _____, education and design, and computer games.

c- What limitations does virtual reality have?

- It is limited because it does not always seem _____. Computers and the Internet are _____ enough to provide a better experience than reality



Listen and choose the correct answer:

1 Can you tell us what virtual reality is?

a computer environment which looks like
a _____ environment

2 Do you know when virtual reality began?

in _____

3 Can you explain what the first virtual reality displays were?

4 Could you give some examples of how virtual reality is used?

computer games, education, training and _____ and cars
and many other things.

5 Would you explain some of the limitations of virtual reality?

The images are more like cartoons than real life.

The experience is limited to _____.

6 Do you have any idea what virtual reality will be like in the future?

The images will be more _____ and move faster.

There will probably also be a sense of _____

Adverbs of Frequency

In order of least to most frequent:

never

rarely

sometimes

often

always

Examples

I have **never** been to India.

She **sometimes** watches TV before bed.



She is a social media addict.

Addict (noun)

someone who cannot stop taking a drug or
doing something as a habit

Addiction (noun)

Addictive (adjective)



advice
addictive

games
school

unable
often

habits
reduce

Addictive Computer Use

Computers can cause major problems for some people. These problems happen when people spend too much time playing computer (1) _____ or engaged in other activities on the Internet. Some people find themselves (2) _____ to quit. Too much use of the computer can (3) _____ the amount of time that people spend with their families and friends. It can also cause problems at work and (4) _____. There can also be health problems due to poor eating and sleeping (5) _____. Because computers are (6) _____ used for work, school and entertainment, it can be difficult to decide what is normal and what is (7) _____ computer use.

