

2 ★★ Complete the text with an appropriate future form of the verbs given.

By 2030, it is likely that somewhere in the world people will (a) (travel) between major cities inside a big tube. The idea for the Hyperloop was first suggested in 2013 and the first prototypes were developed in 2015. So, by 2030, companies will (b) (work) on the idea for 15 years.

Originally, there were plans to build a Hyperloop between the American cities of Los Angeles and San Francisco. However, it is unlikely that anybody will (c) (develop) this project by 2030. It is more likely that people will (d) (use) a high-speed bullet train to travel between these two cities. Lots of other places have shown interest and it's almost certain that some of these projects will already (e) (happen) by the end of the 2020s.

Nowadays, more and more people are looking at alternatives to flying. So companies like Virgin, SpaceX and TransPod® will (f) (invest) billions to develop new ways of travelling. At the moment, there are some problems with the technology. However, most experts believe that, by 2030, they will (g) (solve) these problems, making innovations like Hyperloop a reality.

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