

LINKING WORDS

TASK: Choose a correct linking expression from the options.

Ada Lovelace: The Pioneer of Programming

Ada Lovelace, born in 1815, was the daughter of a famous English poet Lord Byron. (1) _____, Ada did not let her father's fame decide her future. (2) _____, she developed a passion for machines and numbers. (3) _____, she devoted her life to computing sciences. (4) _____, she faced many issues along her way because she was a woman in a man's world. (5) _____, Ada was very hardworking and extremely talented as well.

(6) _____, she started working with many famous scientists of that time. (7) _____, Charles Babbage, who is known as "the father of computers", who became her work partner and good friend. (8) _____, they worked together on project called Analytical engine (one of the first computers ever).

During her life, people didn't recognize how important her work was. (9) _____, today we see her as someone who helped start the computer age. (10) _____, she wrote the first computer programme. (11) _____, she became great inspiration for women in science. (12) _____, a programming language "ADA" was named in her honour in 1979.