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Things we can do

Vocabulary

Common abilities

1 Circle the correct verb to complete the phrases.

1 ride / play / drive a bike

2 talk / speak / say a language

3 write / make / paint a picture

4 go / climb / walk a mountain

5 cook / do / take a meal

6 do / bake / cook a cake

2 Label the photos with the phrases from Exercise 1.



1 _____



4 _____



2 _____



5 _____



3 ride a bike



6 _____

Reading

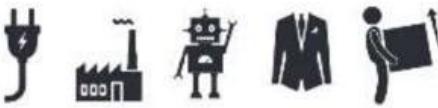
1 Read the article. What is it mainly about? Circle the correct answer.

a why robot suits are expensive

b how robot suits help workers

2 Scan the article on page 53 for these words. Match them to the correct pictures.

a robot b suit c factory d electricity e lift



1 d 2 _____ 3 _____ 4 _____ 5 _____

3 Find these pronouns in the text. Circle what they refer to.

1 it a the worker b the job

2 they a robot suits b people

3 them a the users b the robot suits

Look at the Learning to Learn box. Then do the task.

LEARNING TO LEARN: READING

Filling in gaps

A text doesn't always tell the reader everything.

Sometimes the reader needs to fill in the gaps.

Readers can use what they already know about the topic, or what they think about it. As you read, ask yourself questions like *How?* and *Why?*

Look at the article on page 53. Can you answer these questions? Make notes.

1 How can the suits help firefighters?

2 What other jobs can the suits be useful for?