The Future of Technology

Discussion – Technology in Daily Life

- *What piece of technology do you use the most? Why?*
- *Do you think people rely too much on technology? Why/why not?*
- *What's one invention you believe has changed the world the most?*
- *Which new technology are you excited about?*
- *What's one piece of technology you find completely unnecessary?*
- *What's a technology you wish existed but doesn't?*

Grammar Focus – Future Speculation

Explanation:
When we talk about the future, we use different structures depending on how certain or uncertain we are.

Structure	Example	Meaning
Will (+ base verb)	*Technology will keep evolving.*	High certainty
Might / Could (+ base verb)	*AI might replace some jobs.*	Possibility, 50/50 chance
Be likely to (+ base verb)	*Self-driving cars are likely to become common.*	Strong probability (70-90%)

💡 **Note:**

- *Might* and *could* are interchangeable for future possibilities.
- *Be likely to* is more formal than *might/could* and sounds slightly stronger.

Grammar Practice

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Exercise 1: Complete the Sentences

Fill in the blanks with **will**, **might**, **could**, or **be likely to**. More than one answer may be possible.

1. People _____ work from home more in the future.
2. In 50 years, humans _____ have colonies on Mars.
3. Robots _____ replace some jobs, but not all of them.
4. Scientists say that climate change _____ cause extreme weather events.
5. Virtual reality _____ become a normal way to socialize.
6. New energy sources _____ reduce our dependence on fossil fuels.
7. AI _____ replace teachers, but it will probably help them.

Make Predictions

Complete the sentences using **your own ideas** with *will*, *might*, *could*, or *be likely to.*

1. In the next 10 years, people _____.
2. By 2050, cars _____.
3. In the future, education _____.
4. Technology _____ our lives in surprising ways.
5. One day, people _____ to work on the moon.

Debate – The Pros and Cons of AI

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💡 **Statement:** *"AI will make the world a better place."*

- **Step 1:** You argue **for** AI (how it improves life).
- **Step 2:** I argue **against** AI (the dangers and downsides).
- **Step 3:** We'll discuss our real opinion on AI.

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