



4to Medio

Objective: Identify vocabulary about technology objects and understand short texts related to technology.

UNIT 2: HOW DOES TECHNOLOGY AFFECT US?

Exercise 1: Use the words from the wordbank to complete the sentences.

smartwatch | smartphone | screen | speakers | charger | printer | earphones | laptop | screen | computer

1. I always use my _____ to call my family and send messages.
2. My _____ is very big, so I can watch movies easily.
3. We need a _____ to print documents at school.
4. I listen to music quietly with my _____.
5. My dad uses his _____ to check emails and work at home.
6. The _____ on my phone is broken, so I can't see anything.
7. Please bring your _____ to class for the English project.
8. I can't find my phone _____! My battery is at 5%!
9. My brother bought new _____ for his party. They are very loud!
10. My mother wears a _____ to count her steps every day.

Exercise 2: Circle the correct word for each sentence.

1. I connect my (**smartphone / charger**) when my battery is low.
2. A (**printer / smartwatch**) helps you check your heart rate.
3. I write long essays on my (**speakers / computer**).
4. My (**laptop / earphones**) are small and easy to carry in my bag.
5. We listen to music loudly with (**speakers / headphones**).
6. I can't see the movie because the (**screen / printer**) is broken.
7. To listen privately, I use (**headphones / smartwatch**).
8. At school, we print our projects using a (**computer / printer**).
9. I take photos and use apps on my (**smartphone / charger**).
10. I wear my (**smartphone / smartwatch**) on my wrist every day.

Exercise 3: Read the text and circle the correct alternative.

Text: How Technology Affects Our Lives

Technology is everywhere today. We use technology at home, at school, and at work. Many people start their day by checking their smartphone. They read messages, look at the news, or post photos on social media.

Students often use a laptop or a tablet to study. They can do research, write homework, and connect with teachers. In class, many teachers use a computer, a screen, and sometimes a projector to show videos and lessons.

At home, families enjoy technology too. They watch movies on a smart TV and change the channel with a remote control. People listen to music with headphones or speakers. Some use a USB drive to save important documents. Technology also helps us stay healthy. A smartwatch can count steps, check heart rate, and send notifications.

People use apps on their phones to track their exercise, sleep, or diet.



But technology is not only about fun. We must protect our information. It is important to use a strong password and connect only to safe Wi-Fi networks. We should also save our files and back up information with a USB drive or on the cloud.

Technology makes life easier, but it is important to unplug sometimes. Going outside, talking with friends, and doing activities without screens are very important too.

Technology is a powerful tool — it is up to us to use it in a good way!

Glossary

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| save | <i>guardar</i> |
| back up | <i>hacer una copia de seguridad</i> |
| healthy | <i>saludable</i> |
| fun | <i>divertido</i> |
| strong | <i>fuerte</i> |
| safe | <i>seguro</i> |
| cloud | <i>la nube (almacenamiento en internet)</i> |
| protect | <i>proteger</i> |
| connect | <i>conectar</i> |
| unplug | <i>desconectarse / desenchufar</i> |
| important | <i>importante</i> |
| information | <i>información</i> |
| activities | <i>actividades</i> |
| tool | <i>herramienta</i> |

1. What do many people check first in the morning?

- a) *Their smartwatch*
- b) *Their smartphone*
- c) *Their TV*

2. What devices do students often use to study?

- a) *Remote control and speakers*
- b) *Laptop or tablet*
- c) *Smart TV*

3. How do teachers show videos in class?

- a) *With a smartphone*
- b) *With a projector and screen*
- c) *With a smartwatch*

4. What can a smartwatch do?

- a) *Make coffee*
- b) *Count steps and check heart rate*
- c) *Change the TV channel*

5. What is important to protect online?

- a) *Our passwords and Wi-Fi connections*
- b) *Our headphones*
- c) *Our smart TVs*

6. What is recommended besides using technology?

- a) *Sleeping all day*
- b) *Doing activities without screens*
- c) *Watching more TV*