

Unit 2: Technological Evolution

Complete the story with the correct past tense form of the verbs in brackets.



Sometimes I hate computers! Once, when I
1 _____ (try) to do my
English homework on my laptop, the battery
2 _____ (run out). I 3 _____

_____ (lie) on my bed and I was

listening to music on Spotify. It helps me to concentrate.

I 4 _____ also _____ (chat) to my friend Daniel on
Facebook. OK, so I 5 _____ (not concentrate) very hard on my
homework and I 6 _____ (forget) to plug in my laptop! I didn't
notice that the battery was getting low. I was just finishing the essay
when the screen 7 _____ (go) black. I 8 _____ (lose)
everything. I 9 _____ (scream)
in frustration. My dad 10 _____ (come) running into my
bedroom. I 11 _____ almost _____ (cry) so he
12 _____ (give) me his laptop. I 13 _____ (try)
to remember everything in my essay – it 14 _____ (be) quite
difficult especially because Daniel was sending me lots of funny
videos. Anyway, while I was watching one, the WiFi stopped
working. In the end it was probably better because I 15 _____
_____ (manage) to finish the essay.