

Listen to the audio as many times as you need to, and then fill in the blanks.

The year 2020 has been a tumultuous one for _____. Hundreds of _____ of teachers across the globe had to get to grips with _____ platforms to _____ their lessons. Millions of students were stuck at _____ doing their lessons via _____ like Zoom. This has created an unprecedented _____ in education as technology has taken centre _____. The quality of education differs _____ the world according to the quality of Internet _____, the level of preparedness of teachers and their competence in engaging with the _____. It also depended on what kind of _____ students had at home. Many students were deprived of _____ because they had no _____, tablet or _____.

The Education Ministry in Malaysia has rolled _____ a new initiative to _____ underprivileged children. Around 150,000 eligible pupils from 500 schools will receive a device to enable them to _____ in online lessons. The Education Minister _____ to build on the success of this initial rollout to _____ the programme. He said: "Apart from assisting pupils and schools in need, this pilot _____ is to find the best implementation _____ before it is proposed for expansion." The _____ include enhancing educational _____ programming for students with no Internet access, and employing sign _____ interpreters to help the _____ of hearing. A teacher said she was _____ her government was prioritizing students' _____.