Exercise 7

Choose the most logical phrases to complete the responses.

1. I think that TV is a very positive thing. And stuff like that/ Let me elaborate on that/ What I meant to say was . It allows us to know what is going on in the world and can provide children with a lot of educational information.
2. Children should be allowed to watch TV online unsupervised. By that I mean/ It is claimed that/ To illustrate what I am saying they should be allowed to watch it without their parents, as long as there is some security installed to prevent them going to inappropriate sites.
3. I don't like watching TV programmes that are too serious. I prefer watching comedies and cartoons and stuff like that/ briefly/ but I won't go into the details here .
4. Watching TV online is a much better experience than watching it on a conventional TV. By that I mean/ It tends to differ/ Such as it offers us the opportunity to choose what we want to watch and where we want to watch it.
5. As far as I'm concerned,/ It could be argued that/ It's an interesting question, watching TV is a complete waste of time. I'd much rather spend my time at home reading a book.
6. It has been reported that/ It's an interesting question/ So, for example , but I have never thought about the impact of TV on people's health before.
7. As far as I'm concerned,/ I tend to believe that/ To put that another way, people spend too much time on social media, but I don't have a strong opinion on it. It's up to them.
8. It could be argued that/ It has been estimated that/ It's an interesting question printing newspapers is a waste of time, as most people get their news online and it is a waste of natural resources.

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