

Robots

Vocabulary

1 Complete the gaps with the correct word.

benefit click familiar inventions navigate hybrid car

Hazem: I like this new website. Now I know exactly what I want to drive.

Samir: Oh, really? What type of ❶ hybrid car is it?

Hazem: It's this new electric car. Are you ❷ with it?

Samir: No, I haven't seen it before. What is the ❸ of having such an expensive car?

Hazem: Look! If you ❹ on this picture, you can see all the new ❺ it has.

Samir: What's that thing at the front?

Hazem: It's the GPS. The car can find the place you want to get to and then ❻ your journey to it.



Reading

2 Match the people to the inventions.

Marwan: I love riding on my bicycle but I don't have much time and I need to get to places quickly.

Nadia: I'm really busy and I love cooking, but I also have a terrible memory! I forgot to buy the things I need.

Manal: I love travelling and discovering new cultures and meeting new people.



- 1 The TL8 will help you communicate when you go abroad. Choose a language and when you speak, the translation will appear on your phone. Manal
- 2 The Direct1 is for people who like to travel on two wheels. It connects to your bicycle and gives you directions as you cycle around town. You will never get lost on your bike again!
- 3 Do you ever forget to buy things that you need? The FrigiNote goes in your fridge and sends a shopping list to your phone.

3 Choose the correct answer.

- 1 What **did you do** / would you do if you get lost in a big city?
- 2 If I were you, I **would consult** / **consulted** a doctor.
- 3 Ice **will melt** / **melts** if you heat it.
- 4 You will make mistakes if you **won't** / **don't** follow my advice.
- 5 If I were free, I'd go to the party. However, I **am** / **am not** free.
- 6 If I **have** / **had** a robot at home, it would clean my room.
- 7 I will travel to Alexandria if my car **checks** / **is checked**.
- 8 Hana would have that toy if she **had** / **had had** much money.

4 Read and choose the correct answer

The ❶ reason / **result** we use the internet is ❷ **this** / **that** we get information quickly. However, the internet has some ❸ **disadvantages** / **advantages**. The ❹ **cause** / **problem** with the internet is that it can ❺ **lead** / **result** to wasting our time. Therefore, we should use it properly.

1 Complete the sentences with zero conditional or first conditional.

- 1 If your phone breaks (break), it stops working.
- 2 Hani (discover) more mistakes if he reads his answer again.
- 3 If you drop a stone into the river, it (sink).
- 4 I will do more work if I (get) a new laptop.
- 5 Hana will waste her time if she (not work) to a plan.

2 Complete the sentences with the second conditional.

- 1 If I won a lot of money, I would buy (buy) an electric car.
- 2 If I (have) internet access at home, I would send my email.
- 3 What (we do) if we didn't have computers?
- 4 My brother would be happy if I (buy) him a new computer.

3 Read the text and replace the phrases in bold with the words in the box.

~~app~~ chat feedback quiz translation

Today many people like to study online. Students can download an **1 electronic program** app and start an online **2 communication** with their new teacher in a few minutes. When language is a problem, it's possible to see a **3 sentence in another language** by just pressing a button. Some courses don't have tests, but they do have a fun **4 collection of questions** to make sure you are learning. And most courses offer **5 information about how well or badly you did something** so you can understand the progress you make.

4 Match the phrases to complete the opinions.

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|---|---|
| 1 The reason we have mobile phones ... | a ... can lead to a lot of stress. |
| 2 Although it is good have mobile phones, ... | b ... some of the information on it isn't true. |
| 3 The problem with the internet is that ... | c ... you can lose interest in your real life. |
| 4 Having too many social network accounts ... | d ... is so that people can communicate quickly and easily. |
| 5 If you go online too often, ... | e ... they cause problems when people use them too much. |

Read the text and choose the correct answer.

- A** The writer thinks that new inventions always cause problems
- B** The article says that the advantages of inventions are more important than the disadvantages.
- C** The writer believes that it takes time to understand if a new invention is good or bad.

Is technology always a good thing?

This question has been asked for many years but has anyone found an answer?

On the one hand, there are always dangers with new technology. More than two thousand years ago, a Greek philosopher called Socrates was worried that writing things down would stop students using their memories. In the 16th century, following the invention of the printing press, a Swiss philosopher called Conrad Gessner thought that books would give people too much information. And in the 20th century, many people thought that the radio would make it difficult for students to think about their studies.

On the other hand, technology usually offers some advantages. Books and writing are seen as positive things today and most people think that their advantages are more important than any disadvantages.

In conclusion, perhaps it takes many years before we can see clearly whether new technology is good or bad.

Read the text again and answer the questions.

- 1** Do you think Socrates would like modern computers? Why/Why not?
- 2** What do you think Conrad Gessner would say about the internet?
- 3** Do you think that smartphones help students with their studies? Why/Why not?

Treasure Island

Chapter 8



1 Complete the sentences with these words.

anchor cry ~~noise~~ paddle rope
steer thick

- 1 The city is never quiet; there is always the noise of cars and people.
- 2 When we got near the beach, we could hear the of sea birds.
- 3 That is a very book. It will take a long time to read it!
- 4 Be careful when you around the corner because the road is very wet.
- 5 There was no wind to sail the boat, so we used a small to move us along.
- 6 The children used a to climb up and over the wall.
- 7 I knew that the ship was stopping when I heard them drop the into the water.

2 Match the characters to their positions on the fort during the fight.

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|---|-------------------------|
| 1 ☐ Dr Livesy | a the east of the fort |
| 2 ☐ Hunter | b near the door |
| 3 ☐ Joyce | c the west of the fort |
| 4 ☐ Gray and Trelawney | d the north of the fort |
| 5 ☐ the pirates | e outside the fort |

3 Are these sentences true (T) or false (F)? Correct the false sentences.

- 1 Captain Smollett did not want the pirates to get into the north side of the fort. ☐
.....
- 2 None of Captain Smollett's men were hurt when the pirates attacked the fort. ☐
.....
- 3 Dr Livesy told Captain Smollett that he would never walk again. ☐
.....
- 4 Dr Livesy left the fort with Jim. ☐
.....
- 5 Ben Gun's boat was made of animal skins. ☐
.....
- 6 Jim cut the rope to the *Hispaniola's* anchor. ☐
.....
- 7 When Jim woke up, his boat was on the beach in the Cape of Woods. ☐
.....
- 8 Jim uses a paddle to steer the boat. ☐
.....

4 Complete the sentences with these adverbs.

badly completely nearly ~~quickly~~ quietly suddenly weakly

- 1 Joyce quickly fired his gun when the pirates first attacked.
- 2 When Captain Smollett told him to go, Jim ran to the other side of the fort
- 3 After he was hurt, Captain Smollett spoke
- 4 Jim later left the fort
- 5 It was dark when Jim found Ben Gun's boat.
- 6 Ben Gun's boat was made.
- 7 Jim was soon wet.

5 Match to make phrases.

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|----------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1 ☐ climb | a a boat |
| 2 ☐ fire | b a fence |
| 3 ☐ put | c through the door |
| 4 ☐ run | d something in your pocket |
| 5 ☐ steer | e a gun |

6 Who says each of the following quotations? Who is the speaker talking to?

- 1 "If the pirates get inside the north of the fort, we're in trouble."
.....
- 2 "Did you hit anyone?"
.....
- 3 "Have the pirates gone?"
.....
- 4 "What is he doing? Is he crazy?"
.....

7 Read the quotation and answer the question.

The wind took my boat into large waves. I closed my eyes and waited for a terrible end, dreaming of my home and the Admiral Benbow. The next thing I knew, it was light and I found myself in the boat on the south-west end of Treasure Island.

What do you think happened to Jim and the boat in the night?

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