

Student A

In 1991, the inventor Trevor Baylis _____¹ (watch) television, when a programme _____² (come) on which was about the spread of AIDS in Africa. The programme explained that a way to stop the spread of AIDS was to use radio broadcasts to inform and educate people about the disease.

As he _____³ (listen) to the presenter of the programme, Trevor suddenly _____⁴ (think) of his idea. He _____⁵ (run) into his workshop before the programme _____⁶ (finish) and he _____⁷ (build) the first version of the wind-up radio. This wind-up radio was made of several different things: a small transistor radio, an electric motor from a toy car, and the clockwork mechanism from a music box.

He _____⁸ (try) to manufacture it, but everyone he asked for help _____⁹ (reject) him. Three years later, Trevor's invention appeared on a British television science programme, *Tomorrow's World*. Soon after that, Trevor's life _____¹⁰ (change) forever. People who _____¹¹ (refuse) to invest in his invention suddenly _____¹² (become) very interested.

