

8 Vocabulary consolidation

Developing products

- 1 Find eight words in the word snake and complete the phrases.



- _____ develop _____ the product
 1 _____ the design
 2 do market _____
 3 _____ a demonstration
 4 _____ the results
 5 develop a _____
 6 _____ characters
 7 _____ out the product



- 2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

design idea market prototype results test

- Before any new product can be sold, people have to _____ test _____ it out to make sure it is safe.
 1 The team of scientists analysed the _____ of their research.
 2 The inventor designed a _____ of the new product, so people could try using it.
 3 We did a lot of _____ research to find out what products people think are useful.
 4 The first step in developing a new product is researching an _____.
 5 After we tested the prototype, we decided that we had to improve the _____.

Reporting verbs

- 3 Complete the reporting verbs.

I w a r n e d her not to jump in the water.

- 1 The students c _____ I _____ n _____ that the homework was too difficult.
 2 I r _____ d to get in the car because he drives too fast.
 3 Rose a _____ t _____ that she had copied her homework from the internet.
 4 The coach e _____ a _____ d that the competition would be difficult.
 5 Our teacher s _____ e _____ e _____ that we could work in groups.
 6 I missed the bus, so my mum o _____ r _____ to take me in the car.
 7 My parents said I could go to the party, and I p _____ s _____ to be home by 11 pm.

- 4 Circle the correct words.

The headteacher **agreed** / **announced** the winner of the writing competition.

- 1 They **promised** / **offered** the customers that the service would get better in the future.
 2 I **refused** / **complained** when the waitress gave me a cold pizza at the new restaurant.
 3 Mum **told** / **offered** me to be home before 12.00.
 4 Mr Jones **admitted** / **explained** the homework very carefully at the end of the lesson.
 5 We **invited** / **suggested** our new neighbours for dinner – they're really nice.

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Reported speech

1 Tick (✓) the correct sentences.

'I love watching horror films.'

a) She say that she loved watching horror films.

b) She said that she loved watching horror films.

1 'We're spending the summer in France.'

a) He said that they were spending the summer in France.

b) He said that they was spending the summer in France.

2 'I can play the guitar really well,' said Ellie.

a) Ellie said that she can play the guitar really well.

b) Ellie said that she could play the guitar really well.

3 'We've been developing the design for several months,' said the inventors.

a) The inventors said that they had been developing the design for several months.

b) The inventors said that they have been developing the design for several months.

4 'The product sold well in the USA,' said the scientist.

a) The scientist said that the product did sell well in the USA.

b) The scientist said that the product had sold well in the USA.

5 'We have to conduct more market research,' the team agreed.

a) The team agreed that they have to conduct more market research.

b) The team agreed that they had to conduct more market research.

2 Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

been broken could going
had hated was would

Rosie said that she was going to take a gap year.

1 The journalist said that the product had been developed in a laboratory.

2 Dad said that we could borrow his camera if we were careful.

3 Olivia said that she had been running that morning.

4 I said that I was going to meet my friends at 8.00.

5 Paul said that he was be at the aquarium at 12.00.

6 My brother said that he had watching romantic comedies.

7 Mum said that the computer had been down the night before.

Reported questions

3 Order the words to make reported questions.

Mum / asked / I / when / coming / was / home

Mum asked when I was coming home.

1 the inventor / I / if / a / good / was / product / asked / it

2 They / me / if / I / liked / sport / playing / asked

3 asked / Tom / what / we / leaving / I / were / time

4 me / would / Sally / meet / if / I / her / town / in / asked

5 the girl / if / asked / I / knew / she / her parents / were / where

6 researcher / asked / The / if / us / liked / we / product / the

7 Becky / why / I / friends / me / asked / was / with / them