

Read the text. Then complete the task.

The internet has made our life easier, faster and cheaper. This technology has made it possible to communicate with people from different parts of the world in a very short time. Nowadays, it is easy to share our ideas with other people by using applications that require internet connection such as email, social media and chatting applications.

The internet is a great source of information. Internet users can find information and statistics about any topic they are interested in. In addition, there are many online services that are available on the internet. For example, we can easily buy air tickets, clothes, household items and spare parts . Moreover, people can watch movies, listen to music, play games and study online. It is easy to make new friends with common interests on social networks such as Facebook, Twitter and Instagram. Nowadays, about 2.1 billion people in the world have access to these social media applications. However, the internet has some disadvantages. First of all, users need to be careful when using the internet because some websites provide false information. In addition, the use of the internet can become a type of addiction. The sometimes spend a long time chatting and playing online games. They pay less attention to their work, families and health. Therefore, it is very important to learn how to use the internet wisely.

READING 2 (continued)

For each item, shade in the bubble **O** next to the correct option.

5. The internet has made people's life _____

shorter

smaller

easier

6. The internet is a rich source of _____

information

pollution

food

7. It is _____ to buy things online.

difficult

easy

awful

8. Facebook and twitter are examples of _____ applications.

shopping

news

social media

9. Nowadays, _____ of people use social media.

millions

billions

thousands

10. A negative side of using the internet is called the internet _____.

prevention

connection

addiction