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TEST- UNIT 7 BUSINESS PARTNER A2+

READING

1) Read an article about mobile phones. For sentences 1–6 choose RIGHT, WRONG or DOESN'T SAY.

How to reduce phone time



Smartphones are a great innovation, but how much time do you spend on your phone? Be honest! Perhaps everyone today uses their mobile phone too much. Most people spend over two hours a day on them. This is time we should spend with people or doing other things. So, what can we do about this?

Some big tech companies like Google LLC and Apple Inc. have recently promoted features to help people use their phones less. For example, apps that remind you to stop watching YouTube videos when you could be doing some exercise! This is good, but they haven't promoted them very much. Probably because they make money from people using phones!

Perhaps we have to do something about it ourselves. Here are some simple ideas to get you started. Firstly, put your phone on silent at night. It is difficult to stop looking at your phone when it is next to you in bed, making noises and lighting up. Try charging your phone at night in another room. If you use your phone as an alarm, don't! Buy an alarm clock. Secondly, switch off notifications. Do you need to know about every comment on Facebook or Instagram immediately? Probably not. Thirdly, try to give yourself a particular time of the day to look at your social media. For example, a half hour in the morning and in the evening. If you limit these times, you will feel less distracted in the real world. And lastly, if you are watching a film or socialising, put your phone away! This will help you focus on what you are really doing, and you'll also keep your friends!

1. All people with smartphones spend more than two hours a day on them.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY

2. Some big tech companies are trying to help people to use smartphones less.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY

3. There are many mobile apps that help you do exercise.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY

4. People should try to control how often they use their phone.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY

5. It's good to use your phone to time all your activities.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY

6. It's necessary to always stay up to date with social media sites.

RIGHT WRONG DOESN'T SAY



LISTENING

2) [BP_A2+_Test_07_02.mp3] You will hear eight short recordings twice. For questions 1–8 choose the correct answer.

1. What do all hotel guests need to do?

- a** hand in their passports
- b** get a reservation number
- c** book in advance

8. What is the problem with the presentation?

- a** The sound is cutting out.
- b** The slides aren't showing.
- c** There is background noise.

2. What is the new product?



3. What did they discover in their product feedback?

- a** People didn't like the design.
- b** It was difficult to use.
- c** It didn't always work well.

4. Why can't the woman attend the meeting?

- a** She's going to the doctor's.
- b** She must complete some work.
- c** She has another meeting.



5. What do people need to bring to the meeting?

- a** the budget details
- b** new ideas
- c** initial designs

6. What is the next stage of the project?

- a** make the final product
- b** test the product
- c** make more designs

7. What is the final stage of the payment process?

- a** email the recipient
- b** enter the amount
- c** save as a PDF document

GRAMMAR & VOCABULARY

3) RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT. Choose the correct option a, b, c or d.

1. Can you do a of the design on paper so we can see it clearly?

a prototype b sketch c function d brief

2. We're going to the new clothes designs in the Paris store.

a function b challenge c feedback d launch

3. It's important to read the It explains what the customer wants.

a brief b challenge c solution d prototype

4. Jon made some so the product is much better.

a sketches b feedback c briefs d improvements

5. The best to a problem is not always the cheapest one.

a launch b solution c purchase d designer

6. Maria made a of her design to show to customers.

a function b solution c prototype d brief

7. Can you read my ideas and give me some ?

a function b feedback c improvement d solution

8. The of designing good products is knowing what customers want and this isn't always easy.

a feedback b solution c challenge d function

9. Technology companies apps to make our lives easier.

a create b purchase c sketch d challenge

10. Some people products because of the design not the price.

a sketch b function c improve d purchase



4) MODAL VERBS : CAN/ CAN'T / HAVE TO / DON'T HAVE TO / NEED TO / DON'T NEED TO. Choose the correct option.

1. All customers **NEED TO / CAN** pay a 10 percent deposit to reserve the room. We cannot make reservations without a deposit.
2. My phone is old so I **DON'T NEED TO / CAN'T** install apps.
3. Really good designers **HAVE TO / CAN** be creative. It is a necessary skill nowadays.
4. You **CAN / HAVE** to pay by credit card if you want.
5. Nuria lives in the city centre so she **DOESN'T NEED TO / CAN'T** have a car.
6. You **DON'T HAVE TO / CAN'T** pay online, but it's easier.
7. My new TV gives me lots of options. I **CAN / HAVE TO** control it on with my voice, the remote control or my phone.

