Reading 1: The Popularity of Social Networks Worksheet

Main ideas

A. Read the statements. Choose T (true) or F (false).

_____ 1. On social networking sites, people can see what their friends are doing and thinking.
_____ 2. Social networking website are popular only in the United States.

_____ 3. Most people are not very social.

_____ 4. Today, people can express their own ideas online.

_____ 5. It is harder now for people to express themselves on the Internet.

_____ 6. Social networking sites are popular with people of all ages.

B. Read the sentence. Then number them in the order that the information appears in the article.

_____ a. Websites are por popular when people can share information about themselves.

_____ b. Social networking sites become more and more popular every day.

_____ c. Social networking sites first became popular with college students.

_____ d. People like to stay closely connected to their friends and family.

_____ e. The Internet keeps changing.

_____ f. Social networks let people see what their friends are doing.

_____ g. Today the internet is more interactive than it was in the past.

Details

Answer these questions.

1. What are two ways to communicate instantly online?

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2. What's the most popular social networking site in Japan? Latin America?

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3. When did Facebook start?

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4. What's the name of a popular site where users can post videos?

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5. Who can create their own website or blog?

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