

- 7 Read the text. Complete each gap by changing the form of one of the words in the box so the text is grammatically and logically correct. There is one extra word you do not need to use.

confront demand distract divide leave
statement

To say that my best friend was very keen on technology would be the ¹ ? of the year. She seemed totally addicted to it. She would while away the hours surfing the net on her mobile or entertaining herself with mindless and self-indulgent apps. Her eyes were forever glued to one kind of screen or another and I could never catch her ² ? attention. It got to the point that it was virtually impossible to get through to her – she was constantly ³ ? and even more absent-minded than before. When I approached the subject with her, she brushed it off and insisted on ⁴ ? alone. 'Not a very promising start', I thought, but I decided to stick to my guns. I literally forced her to time herself for one whole day while on social media or playing games. She was completely taken aback on discovering that she had spent almost seven hours online that day. This was enough for her to decide to wean herself off it starting there and then. I was convinced she would come round in the end, but didn't have a clue it would happen so instantly. Now I regret not ⁵ ? her with the issue earlier.



- 8 In your notebook, complete the second sentence so that it means the same as the first. Use between three and six words including the word in capitals. Do not change the word given.

- I'm not sure whether I should buy a new laptop or a tablet. **MINDS**
I'm ? as to whether I should buy a new laptop or a tablet.
- I make sure that I check my email every day. **BASIS**
I make sure that I check my email ? .
- The report stated that a great many people have lost confidence in Internet privacy. **REPORTED**
A great many people are ? confidence in Internet privacy.
- They say that increasing numbers of politicians are using blogs to gather support. **TO**
Increasing numbers of politicians ? blogs to gather support.
- My health is starting to suffer as a result of spending hours in front of a computer. **TOLL**
Spending hours in front of the computer ? on my health.
- The markets report that music streaming sites are doubling in value. **BE**
Music streaming sites ? in value.

LISTENING



Multiple choice

- 9 3.11 Listen to an interview about teenagers and social media. For questions 1–4, choose the best answer (A–D) and write it in your notebook.
- Which aspect of parents' concerns do Jenny and Charles agree is an issue?
 - That teenagers might meet in the streets.
 - That teenagers might stay in their rooms.
 - That teenagers might not spend time with their friends in the real world.
 - That teenagers might not want to get physical exercise.
 - In Charles' view, what is the most important thing to remember?
 - Our behaviour changes according to the situation.
 - Most parents suffer from some form of anxiety over their children.
 - Children find it difficult to accept their parents' behaviour.
 - Children can teach parents about Internet use.
 - According to Jenny, what is the one of the main reasons for teenagers using social media?
 - They don't want to spend time meeting in real life.
 - They can't socialise in any other way.
 - They don't want to go to parks.
 - Their parents think playing is a waste of time.
 - What do they both think about the ways in which social media will be used in future?
 - Children will spend more time in the real rather than the virtual world.
 - Adults will follow their children's lead.
 - Social media will offer more employment opportunities for adults.
 - Children's use of social media will alter significantly.

SPEAKING



10 Do the tasks in pairs.

Task 1

Wypowiedz się na temat podany poniżej. W swojej wypowiedzi musisz przytoczyć argumenty odnoszące się do wymienionych aspektów.
Czy uważasz, że młodzi ludzie nie potrafiliby żyć bez stałego dostępu do internetu?

- dostęp do informacji
- serwisy społecznościowe
- rozrywka

Task 2

- How important is it to spend time with friends face to face rather than on social media?
- How big a problem are online harassment and bullying?
- Tell us about a situation from your own experience when not having access to the Internet was beneficial.