

Third Term Test of English

Full name:.....

Read the text carefully and do the activities.

Science fiction shows us what the future might be like. The creators imagine worlds that are very different from ours today, filled with amazing technology.

As time passes and technology improves, some of the ideas from these futuristic worlds become real. Things **that** used to only exist in movies and TV are now everyday things.

In many cases, these technologies are actually inspired by science fiction. For example, Martin Cooper, **who** invented the first mobile phone, got the idea from a "Star Trek" episode where Captain Kirk uses a communicator to call for help. Also, movies like "iRobot" and "Total Recall" introduced the idea of driverless cars.

Moreover, Video calls made **their** appearance in science fiction very early. In 1927, a movie called "Metropolis" had a scene with a video phone on the wall. Since then, video calls have been shown in many science fiction movies like "2001: A Space Odyssey," "Blade Runner," "Back to The Future II" and many more.

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A/ Comprehension:

1- The text is: a- descriptive b- narrative c-expository (0.5pt)

2- Say whether the following statements are True or False. (2pts)

- a- Science fiction predicts the future.
- b- As technology advances, ideas from science fiction sometimes become reality.....
- c- The mobile phone technology was inspired from a sci-fi movie.
- d- Video calls have only been depicted in a few science fiction movies.

3-Answer the following questions according to the text (3p)

a- How does science fiction often depict future worlds?

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b- What inspired Martin Cooper to invent the first mobile phone?

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c- When was the concept of video calls first depicted in a movie, and which movie was it?

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4- Identify in which paragraph it is mentioned: (2pts)

- 1. "The impact of science fiction on inspiring real-life technology." →
- 2. "The concept of driverless cars being popularized by certain movies." →
- 3. "The early depiction of video calls in the movie "Metropolis" and subsequent appearances in other science fiction films." →
- 4. "How science fiction often presents worlds different from our present reality and filled with advanced technology." →

5-Identify who or what the underlined words refer to in the text: (1.5pt)

- **that** (§2) - **who** (§3)..... - **their** (§4).....

B/Text Exploration:

1-A/ Find in the text words that are closest in meaning with the following: (1.5pt)

- Imagination (§1) =..... -- advances(§2) =..... -created(§3) =.....

B/-Find in the text words that are opposite in meaning with the following: (1.5pt)

- Similar (§1)=/=..... - imaginary (§2)=/=..... -few(§1) =/=.....

2. Complete the chart: (2pts)

Verbs	Nouns	Adjectives
To create
.....	invaded

4-Put the verbs between brackets in the correct tense: (2pts)

- a) If I (**can**) be an actor, I would play the role of the Joker.
- b) If filmmakers (**not /to create**)fiction movies, we wouldn't have seen strange creatures.
- c) If I had a time machine, I (**to see**)..... how life will be like after 100 years.
- d) I don't have time to watch Star wars. If only I (**have**)

5-Classify the words according to their stressed syllables. (2 pts)

scientific – technology – technological – fiction

Penultimate syllable	Anti-penultimate syllable

6- Fill in the gaps with words from the list. (2 pts)

film-maker / films / generation / first /

The Star Wars movies are among the most successfulever made. The one was released in 1977 and was made by the George Lucas. The original Star Wars movie began a new of films that used a lot of special effects and high-energy action scenes.

**“A journey of a thousand miles
begins with a single step”**

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