

Young people like learning even more if they are presented with information in an interesting way. Today, I am going to give a talk about how you can use technology in Jordanian classrooms.

Here are some ideas: Many classrooms now use a whiteboard as a computer screen. As a consequence, teachers can show websites on the board in front of the class. Teachers can then use the Internet to show educational programs, play educational games, music, recordings of languages, and so on . In some countries, tablet computers are available for students to use in class to do tasks such as showing photographs, **researching information**, recording interviews and creating diagrams.

Teachers can perhaps ask their students to start writing a blog (an online diary), either about their own lives or as if they were someone famous. They can also create a website for the classroom. Students can contribute to the website, so for example they can post work, photos and messages.

We all like to send emails, don't we? Email exchanges are very useful in the classroom. Teachers can ask students to email what they have learnt to students of a similar age at another school. They could even email students in another country. As a result, students can then share information and help each other with tasks.

Another way of communicating with other schools is through talking to people over the computer . Most computers have cameras, so you can also see the people you are talking to. In this way, students who are studying English in Jordan can see what students in England are doing in the classroom while **they** are speaking to them. You can also use this system to invite guest speakers to give talks over a computer. For example, scientists or teachers from another country could give a lesson to the class.

Students can use social media on their computers to help them with their studies, including asking other students to check and compare their work, asking questions or sharing ideas. The teacher must be part of the group, too, to monitor what is happening. Thank you for listening. Does anyone have any questions?

1. Many computer technologies ( educational tools ) are very useful if implemented in the classroom . Write down two of them .
- ✓ 2. Using a whiteboard in the classroom has many benefits . Write down two of these benefits .
3. Two groups of people are invited to give talks over a computer . Write down them
4. According to the text , students use two ways to communicate with students in other schools . Write down them .
5. Quote the sentence which shows the people who can give talks over a computer
6. Quote the sentence which acts as an introduction .

7. What does the underlined phrase " **researching information** " mean ?
8. What does the underlined word " **they** " refer to ?
- ✓ 9. " Technology is just a tool . In terms of getting the kids working together and motivating them , the teacher is the most important . Think of this quotation , and , in two sentences , write your point of view .
10. Suggest three roles of teachers inside the classroom .

Question two : A: fill in the blank spaces with the suitable word from the box

access , connect to ,blog , monitor , filters

1. On Social media , you should only .....people that you know well .
2. Many computers have .....which stop people seeing certain websites .
3. Filters are very good at stopping .....to some websites .
4. Parents should ..... their children's activities .
5. A ..... is a website containing a diary or journal on a particular subject .

**B: Fill in the blank spaces with the correct form of the word .**

1. Despite the recent advances in technology , it is still not ..... ( rely )
2. It took 25 minutes to make one ..... ( calculate )

**C: Study the following sentence :**

She had no idea that anything was wrong until he announced a white elephant that he wanted a divorce .  
الطير الأبيض

Replace the underlined phrase with the correct color idiom .

**Question Three : A : Correct the verbs between brackets .**

1. Many cancer patients live far away from Amman , where the KHCC ..... ( locate )
2. Mobile phones used to be huge . Early models .....as big as bricks ! ( be )
3. Exotic mammals such as big cats .....by hunting . ( threaten )
4. If you .....well , you should describe your symptoms to the doctors . ( not , feel )
5. Patients from other countries from the region .....by the excellent reputation of the King Hussein Cancer Centre . ( attract )

B: Choose the suitable item

1. We are going to Aqaba again .....the summer . ( in , on , at )
2. The computer had stopped ..... . ( work , working , works )
3. In the past , most letters .....by hand . ( were written , wrote , written )
4. It was raining heavily , so he .....have got very wet . ( must , can't , might )
5. Look at the black sky ! It .....soon .  
( is going to rain , will rain , is raining ) .
6. Experts say that one day soon we .....smartphones to our skin !  
( will attach , are going to attach , are attach )
7. If I .....you , I would send a message . ( was , were , am )
8. You don't have to switch off the screen . The function of this sentence is  
..... . ( it is not necessary to switch off the screen, you are not  
allowed to switch off the screen , it is necessary to switch off the screen )

C: Correct the verbs between brackets

1. People \_\_\_\_\_ (use) smartphones since they \_\_\_\_\_ (invent) in the early 2000s . During the early 2000s, people \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) photos in difference colours and different designs. In 2010 CE, the first tablet computer \_\_\_\_\_ (produce) . Experts say there \_\_\_\_\_ (be) a growth in the number of older people buying smartphones in the future .
2. By the end of 2010 CE, companies \_\_\_\_\_ (sell) more smartphones than PCs for the first time . Now, about one billion smartphones \_\_\_\_\_ (sell) around the world each year. In the near future, it \_\_\_\_\_ (estimate) that over 40% of the population in Jordan will have a smartphone . It is probable that this market \_\_\_\_\_ (expand) in the future . At the moment , people aged 16-30 \_\_\_\_\_ (buy) the most smartphones .

Question Four : Study the following sentence

Our mobile phones will take care of us .

What is the rhetorical device used in the above sentence

Question Five : FREE WRITING:

موضوع

1. Imagine yourself and your city in 2050 CE . Write an essay about things that you think will have happened . These words can help you ( education , transport , technology , healthcare , family )
2. What would life be like without computers ?

السؤال السادس : Literature Spot الأدب

I remember , I remember ,  
Where I was used to swing ,  
And thought the air must rush as fresh  
To swallows on the wing ;  
My spirit flew in feathers then ,  
That is so heavy now ,  
And summer pools could hardly cool  
The fever on my brow !

1. The poet **misses** doing two things as he grows up . What are they ?
2. Find an example of **onomatopoeia** .
3. What rhetorical device did he poet use when he used the underlined word ( **swing** )
- ④ How does the poet **contrast** his memories of the past with the present day?
5. How can you tell that 'swallows' are **birds** ?
6. Find a line which shows the poet was enjoying the **breeze** . **النسيم**
7. What kind of **feelings** did the poet convey by " My spirit flew in feathers then " ?
8. Find a line which shows **personification** .
9. The poet is sick . What was he suffering from ?
10. Two parts birds have are mentioned in the stanza . What are they ?

السؤال السابع : Rewrite

1. " if they share information on social media with their friends , it might be accessed by other people , too ."  
He said.....
2. Firas checked his emails , and then he started work .  
.....before .....
3. Press that button to make the picture move .  
If you .....
4. You are not allowed to touch this machine .  
You must .....
5. Firas intends to finish his project tonight .  
Firas is .....

Everyone knows that the internet connects people , but now it does more than that – it connects objects, too . These days, computers often communicate with each other, for example , your TV automatically downloads your favourite TV show, or your 'sat nav' system tells you where you are . This is known as the 'Internet of Things', and there's a lot more to come .

In just a few years' time, experts say that billions of machines, will be connected to each other and to the Internet . As a consequence , computers will increasingly run our lives for us . For example , your fridge will know when you need more milk and add it to your online shopping list ; your windows will close if it is likely to rain .Your watch will record your heart rate and email your doctor .Your sofa will tell you when you need to stand up and get some exercise!

Many people are excited about the 'Internet of Things'. For them, a dream is coming true. They say that our lives will be easier and more comfortable . However, others are not so sure. They want to keep control of their own lives and their own things. In addition, they wonder what would happen if criminals managed to access their passwords and security settings . The dream could easily become a nightmare .

1. The article states that computers will increasingly run our lives for us . Write down two examples which will show this .
2. Some people are worried about the future / ( the 'Internet of Things' ) because of two reasons . Write down them .
3. There are many ways through which the “ Internet of Things “ will help you to keep fit .Write down two of them .
4. What does the underlined word ( that ) refer to ?
5. Find a word which means ( find information on the computer )
6. Suggest three ways to protect your password .
7. Computer criminals should be severely punished .Think of this statement , and in two sentences , write your point of view .

السؤال الأول: - العقيمة

1.
  1. the Internet
  2. tablet computers
  3. Email exchanges
  4. social media
2.
  1. teachers can show websites on the board in front of the class
  2. teachers can then use the Internet to show educational programs, ... and so on.
3.
  1. scientists
  2. teachers from another country
4.
  1. email exchanges
  2. through talking to people over the computer
5. " For example, scientists or teachers from another country could give a lesson to the class. "
6. " Young people like learning even more if they are presented with information in an interesting way. "

7. using a variety of sources to find the information you need
8. students who are studying English in Jordan
9. I think this quotation is true because the teacher helps students to use this technology in a good way. Also, the teacher motivates and encourages students
10.
  1. helper مساعد
  2. guide دليل / مرشد
  3. timer منايط وقت
  4. monitor مراقب
  5. instructor معلم / تعليمات
  6. motivator محفز

السؤال الثاني: - فرج A: - صندوق الكلمات

1. connect to
2. filters
3. access
4. monitor
5. blog

السؤال الثاني فرع B

1. reliable
2. calculation

السؤال الثاني فرع C

out of the blue

السؤال الثالث فرع C رقم 1

1. have been using
2. were invented
3. bought
4. was produced
5. will be

السؤال الثالث فرع A

1. is located
2. were
3. are threatened (مبتليجيد) مُصَدِّدَم بِالانْتِزَاعِ
4. don't feel
5. are attracted (مبتليجهد) (مبتليجهد)

السؤال الثالث فرع B

1. in
2. working
3. were written
4. must
5. is going to rain
6. will attach
7. were
8. It is not necessary to switch off the screen

الفرع C رقم 5

1. had sold
2. are sold
3. is estimated
4. will expand
5. are buying

السؤال الرابع

Personification

السؤال السادس : الأدب

1. 1. swing  
2. play in summer pools
2. rush / fresh / swing
3. Onomatopoeia
4. In the past he was happy and well (My spirit flew in feathers then). Now she is not happy and sick with fever (That is so heavy now)

5. wing , feathers

6. And thought the air must  
rush as fresh

واعتقدت انه الهواء لابد ان  
تدفعه من هنا

7. happiness السعادة

8. My spirit flew in feathers then

9. Fever

10. wing , feathers

السؤال السابع :- اعادة كتابة

1. if they shared .... too .

2. Firas had checked his  
emails before he started  
work .

3. press that button , the  
picture moves .

4. not touch this machine

5. planning to finish his  
project tonight .

المقابلة رقم 2 ( انترنت الاستاذ )

1. 1. Your Fridgy will know when  
you need more milke and  
add it to your online  
shopping list

2. Your windows will close  
if it is likely to rain .

2. 1. they want to keep control of  
their own lives and their own  
things

2. Criminals might access their  
passwords and security settings

3. 1. your watch will record your  
heart rate and email  
your doctor .

2. your sofa will tell you  
when you need to stand  
up and get some exercise!

4. Connecting people ربط بيننا

5. access

6. 1. make it long  
2. you should always change it  
3. don't give it to others

7. I think they should be put in Jail. Also, they should pay a big fine (money).

Computers will increasingly run our lives for us. For example, your fridge will know when you need more milk and add it to your online shopping list.

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[تحليل نقل ومدنيتك في عام ٢٠٥٠]

Many megaprojects will be built to bring benefits to cities and encourage economic growth. Many cities will run entirely on renewable energy sources. Carbon-neutral cities will be full of electric cars.

Life in the Future is going to see big changes in many fields. In this essay, I am going to write about cities in 2050.

Hospitals in my city will be full of robots doing many tasks such as delivering and sorting medicine, and making operations.

Life in the Future is going to see further changes in computer technology. It is likely that all aspects of everyday life will rely on a computer program, from how we travel to how our homes are heated.

In the end, the benefits of the development in cities will outweigh the negatives.