

Exercise 1

1 Could 2 Could 3 would 4 Could 5 Might 6 would
7 would 8 Would 9 Would 10 Might

Exercise 2

- 1 What did you have in mind?
- 2 Did you want to pay by credit card or by cash?
- 3 I wanted to book a table at your roof-top restaurant.
- 4 When did you want to collect the TV?
- 5 Did you want a first-class or economy-class ticket, sir?
- 6 We were hoping to have it by the weekend.
- 7 I was wondering if you wanted to go out this evening.
- 8 For how many people would that be?
- 9 I was hoping to catch the next train to Paris.
- 10 I was thinking of buying a new watch for my husband.

Exercise 3

1 documented 2 passed away 3 inspiration 4 terms
5 innovative 6 abundant 7 brainstorming 8 coined
9 intriguing 10 originated

Exercise 4

1 acronym 2 switch/turn 3 exploring/searching 4 care
5 collect 6 anagrams 7 clichés 8 podcasts 9 networking
10 webinars

Exercise 5

1 True 2 False 3 False 4 True 5 False

Exercise 6

- 1 News words appear as fashion, technology and politics changes.
- 2 A compound is two words put together to form a new meaning.
- 3 A portmanteau word is made up of two words but may have only taken part of the original words.
- 4 Phrasal verbs are formed by adding an adverb or a preposition to a verb.
- 5 A typical technique is to shorten the original word.

Exercise 7

1 wonder 2 hoping 3 looking 4 Take/Have 5 similes
6 idioms 7 collocations 8 software 9 would 10 Did/Do

Exercise 8 (suggested answers)

- 1 When did you first become interested in computers?
- 2 What make was your first computer?
- 3 Do you still have it?
- 4 communicate with friends or people with similar interests.
- 5 programmes, often radio programmes in a digital format that you can download over the internet.

Exercise 9

Students' own answers.