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¿Sabías qué?

El Teléfono:

Inventado por el científico Alexander Graham Bell, quien consiguió la primera patente oficial en marzo de 1876, por haber creado un aparato para transmitir la voz humana mediante señales eléctricas. Más información en el video publicado en: World Wide Web:
http://www.history.com/topics/inventions/alexander-graham-bell

El Computador:

Creado por el matemático Charles Babbage, más conocido como “El Padre de la Computación o el Pionero de la Computación”. En 1821 diseñó la Máquina Diferencial No. 1 utilizada para calcular series de valores e imprimirlos automáticamente en una tabla. En 1834 construyó la Máquina Analítica No. 2 la cual posee características esenciales de un computador digital moderno. Más información en World Wide Web:
http://www.computerhistory.org/babbage/engines/

Did you Know?

The Telephone:

Invented by the British Scientist Alexander Graham Bell, who achieved the first official patent in March 1876, for having created a device that transmits the human voice by means of an electric current. More information in the video published at World Wide Web:
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The Computer:

Invented by the mathematician Charles Babbage, also known as “The Father of Computing or The Computer Pioneer”. In 1821 he designed the Difference Engine No. 1 used for calculating a series of values and print results automatically in a table. In 1834 he built the Analytical Engine No. 2 which has the essential characteristics of a modern digital computer. More information at World Wide Web: http://www.computerhistory.org/babbage/engines/.
Internet (World Wide Web):
Diseñado en 1989 por el científico Tim Berners-Lee. Este maravilloso invento facilita la conexión entre varios computadores para ordenar y compartir información en segundos por medio de un sistema tecnológico llamado hipertextos. Más información en World Wide Web:
http://webfoundation.org/about/vision/history-of-the-web/

El Televisor:
Inventado por John Logie Baird quien realizó la primera transmisión de un rostro. Este magnífico evento ocurrió el 26 de enero de 1926 desde el segundo piso de una casa ubicada en Frith Street, Soho en Londres.

La palabra “televisor” significa la reproducción y transmisión instantánea de los detalles del movimiento de una imagen. En 1937 John Logie Baird presentó el funcionamiento de este aparato en una transmisión realizada desde el Museo de Ciencia de Londres, ubicado en South Kensington. Los invitamos a ver el video en World Wide Web:
http://www.bairdtelevision.com/firstdemo.html

Did you find the job?
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It is midterm of the semester

Have you got a new friend?
Do you know some information about him/her?
Here are some key questions to ask your friends
Find the twenty questions and complete the dialogue

What is your name?
Where do you live?
How old are you?
Where are you from?
What kind of music do you like?
Do you speak English?
What are you studying?
What is your favourite subject?
Which country would you like to visit?
How are you?

Would you like a coffee?
Where do you study?
With whom do you live?
Where would you like to live?
When is your birthday?
What high school did you study at?
How many brothers do you have?
When do you finish your degree?
What is your favourite food?
Why do you speak English?
When did you learn English?
Talk with your friend

Chloe

Marco

Hello, ________________?
Hi, I am ok. ________________?
   My name is Chloe.
It is nice to meet you. My name is Marco. ________________?
I am from the UK. I am British. By the way, ________________?
I live in South Kensington near to Harrods.
   Marco, ________________?
I am from Italy
Wow! And ________________?
Of course, I speak English. Sorry, ________________?
I am studying Arts.
   Chloe, ________________?
I am studying at University of the Arts London
Brilliant! And ________________?
I love ceramic design. You speak English very well. ________________?
Oh! Thank you. I learnt English at Oxford University.
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I speak English because I would like to live in the United Kingdom forever. Tell me, ____________?
I’d love to. Shall we go to Tinto Coffee? It is located in Putney, near to Bishop’s Park.
   Oh, Yeah! Let’s go. Sorry, ________________?
I am 23 years old.
My Birthday is the 23rd of November. Excuse me, ________________?
   I live with my parents. Tell me, ________________?
   I would like to live in London because it is a multicultural city. I have a question ____________?
I have a sister and two brothers. ________________?
   I finished High School in Turin, Italy. Chloe, ________________?
I would like to visit Italy. Excuse me, ________________?
I love jazz music. Maybe we can go to a Frank Sinatra Concert.
   Oh, fantastic! I love Frank Sinatra music.
Lovely! Perhaps we can book for next week. I have another question, ________________?
I finish my degree next year. I am very happy.
Wonderful! You will be a professional. Oh! Just we have arrived to Tinto Coffee. Chloe, __?
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