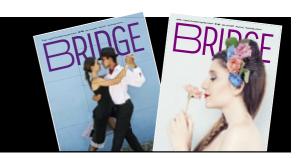
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ACHERS

This Teachers' File (TF) contains a home study plan and activities based on the magazine and the CD. The TF, along with the recording scripts, is available for online users. Registration password: london.



ACTIVITIES

FIGHTING OFF INVADERS How the Immune System and Vaccines Keep Us Safe

READING COMPREHENSION

TASK 1

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Read the article and decide if the following The texts below add a bit more detail to some of the processes. statements are true or false. Using your knowledge from the article, decide what words should fill the gans.

TASK 2

1	All life forms have an immune system.	m	ttie gaps.
	T 🗌 F 🗌		When a pathogen gets past our outer barriers, immune cells
2	In addition to the immune system, we are		attack the area. This causes swelling, or
	protected by barriers such as the skin.		The battle between immune cells and pathogen leaves
	T F		dead cells on both sides. These dead cells form the whitish,
7	We have two main systems of immunity,		yellowish or greenish liquid called
,	known as innate and adaptive immunity.	2	is a slippery, wet gel that coats the entry
	T F		points into the body, such as the nose, mouth and lungs.
1			It traps and protects delicate surfaces
4	So-called "good" bacteria destroy invading pathogens.		but can cause problems when there's too much of it. When
	T F		it builds up in your lungs, for example, it causes difficulty
_	Natural killer cells are a key cause of		breathing – which we call "pneumonia".
3	cancer.	3	<u> </u>
	T _ F _	3	identify and destroy cells that don't belong - mainly
c	Antibodies attack and destroy specific		and our own cells,
0	pathogens.		including cancerous cells.
	T		-
_		4	Pathogens are covered in unique Each one
1	Dendritic cells share destroyed pathogens with other parts of the immune system.		can be used to identify the pathogen, and in that case we call
	T F		them
		5	When a recognises a pathogen, it
8	B cells constantly manufacture antibodies. T F		starts making thousands of the specialised weapons called
			Each one can lock onto and quickly
9	Many of the symptoms of disease are your		destroy or disable a pathogen.
	body's immunity at work.	6	A has the same as
	T 🗌 F 🗌		a very dangerous pathogen, but cannot attack the body's cells
0	Allergies result from your body's adaptive		The immune system can use it to prepare defences that work
	immune system attacking your own cells. T		against the real pathogen.

BRIDGE MAY-JUNE 09-10/2020 TEACHERS' FILE - ACTIVITIES

FLAGS, FIREWORKS AND FOOD Celebrating the Fourth of July

SPEAKING PRACTICE / WRITING PRACTICE

- 1 Some of the words associated with the Fourth of July are:
 - FUN
- PROUD
- FIREWORKS

- OUTDOORS
- LOUD
- RELAXED
- EXCITING

Can you think of a holiday or activity in your life that you associate with each of these words? Explain why.

EXAMPLES:

I think that my family will be **proud** when I graduate from high school because I worked really hard to finish school.

Weekends at the cabin with my family are pretty **relaxed** because it's peaceful and quiet outside the city.

When I hear "exciting" I think about the day a new movie comes out. My friends and I usually go on opening night to avoid any spoilers.

- **2** Some of the words associated with the US national anthem are:
 - PRIDE
- WAR
- FREEDOM

- FIGHTING
- FLAG
- COURAGE

Do you think these words are a good fit for US culture? Why or why not?

3 Can you think of 5-10 key words that fit your culture? Write them down. Then describe to a partner why you chose each word. (Alternatively, if working on your own, write a short explanation of why you chose each word.)

FLAGS, FIREWORKS AND FOOD Celebrating the Fourth of July

WRITING

You want to throw a party to celebrate the Fourth of July this year. Write an informal invitation to your friend telling them about the party. Be sure to include when and where the party will be, and give them some information about what to expect (e.g. food, activities, anything they should bring). You should write 50–100 words.

A LITTLE LAND OF BIG BEAUTY Discovering Wales

CD Track 6

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Listen to a recording about Wales and fill in the missing information.

Wales, Land of the Britons

- 1 The country's name comes from a word used for the _____-speaking Britons who lived there.
- 2 In the Welsh language, Wales is called
- **3** How many official national languages are there in the UK? _____
- **4** Less than a _____ of the Welsh population can speak Welsh.
- **5** The size of Wales is a bit under _____ km².
- **6** The population of Wales is around ______ million.
- 7 There are many lovely _____ and old



WAR IS PEACE, FREEDOM IS SLAVERY, **IGNORANCE IS STRENGTH**

George Orwell's 1984

CD Track 7

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

TASK 1

Listen to the ending of the book and fill in the missing words.

The 1 from the telescreen was still						
pouring forth its tale of prisoners and booty* and						
slaughter*, but the 2 outside had died						
down a little. The wa	iters were turning back to their					
3 Or	3 One of them approached with the gin					
bottle. Winston, sitti	ng in a blissful* dream, paid no					
attention as his 4	was filled up. He					
was not running or c	heering any 5					
He was back in the M	linistry of Love, with everything					
6 , hi	s soul white as snow. He was					
in the public dock, co	nfessing 7 ,					
implicating* everybo	dy. He was walking down					
the white-tiled corrid	or, with the feeling of walking in					
8 , and an armed guard at his back.						
The long-hoped-for b	ullet was entering his brain.					
He gazed up at the e	normous 9					
Forty years it had tal	Forty years it had taken him to learn what kind of					
10 was hidden beneath the dark						
moustache. O cruel, needless* 11!						
O stubborn, self-willed* exiled from the loving breast!						
Two gin scented tears trickled down the sides of his						
12 B	ut it was all right, everything was all					
right, the struggle was 13 He had won						
victory over himself. He 14 Big Brother.						
GLOSSARY* booty – any valuable things or money stolen by an army at war slaughter – the killing of many people						

blissful - extremely happy

to implicate – to show that someone is responsible for something bad needless - completely unnecessary

self-willed – basing your actions on your own decisions without listening to advice from other people

What happens to Winston at the end of the book?

"SORRY, COULD YOU JUST..." **Being Polite in English**

CD Track 8

STYLE PRACTICE

In these situations, which sentence do you think would sound most polite and natural?

- 1 You finish a meal at a restaurant and say to the waiter...
 - **A** Excuse me, could I have the bill when you have a moment, please?
 - **B** Hello, miss/mister. Please, I want to pay.
 - **C** Waiter, that was excellent. Now please bring me the bill.
- 2 A group of people are blocking the pavement where you're trying to walk, and you say...
 - **A** Could you get out of the way please?
 - **B** Sorry, could I just...? Thanks.
 - **C** Excuse me, the pavement is for walking, not talking.
- 3 You meet your old English teacher in the street. You say...
 - **A** Good morning, sir. It is very nice to see you again.
 - **B** Mr Teacher, is it really you? What are you doing
 - **C** So nice to see you here. How are you? What are you doing these days?
- 4 You are introduced to a friend's parents for the first time, and you say...
 - A How do you do? Great to meet you. How are you
 - **B** Hello. Nice to meet you. What's wrong? Will you be here long?
 - **C** Good morning. I'm delighted to make your acquaintance.
- 5 You're at an event and you want to leave. You tell your hosts...
 - **A** Excuse me, I'm tired. I will go home now.
 - **B** I'm really sorry, I don't want to leave but I have a very early start.
 - **C** Thank you for a lovely evening, but I want to go now.

AN EYE FOR DETAIL The Art of Props

READING COMPREHENSION, QUIZ

TASK 1

Read the article and answer the questions.

- 1 When and where was season 1 of Stranger Things set?
- **2** Why did Lynda Reiss choose the Pentax ME for Jonathan Byers in *Stranger Things* and why did she buy several of them?
- **3** Where did the boys' D&D books come from?
- **4** How did *JoJo Rabbit*'s design teams make the antiques in the film look so realistic?
- **5** Why do we think of the 1930s as having sad, dull colours?

- **6** Why did the designers build a set in a movie studio for JoJo's house?
 - _____
- **7** Why are there no smartphones in the futuristic world of *Blade Runner 2049*?
- **8** Why were there two versions of many props in *Blade Runner 2049*?
- **9** How does better video quality affect prop-making?

TASK 2

Quiz! Look at the pictures and use the internet to find out the answers to the questions.



1 Some *Stranger Things* fans noticed a problem with a prop in this scene from season 1. What prop, and what was the mistake?



2 The other kids are shocked when Lucas drinks a can of Coke and enjoys it. Why?



3 JoJo lives in a family house in a German town. If you wanted to visit the centre of this town in real life, where would you go?



4 The outside of JoJo's house was filmed in the Czech town of Úštěk. You can visit "his" street, but you won't see his house. Why not?



5 Harrison Ford's character, Deckard, has the same gun in both 1982's *Blade Runner* and the new *Blade Runner* 2049. How was it originally made?



6 This prop is a sophisticated piece of precision machinery. What is it?

TASK 3

Choose one of your favourite movies or TV shows and an important prop, set design or location in it. Find out as much as you can and write 100-150 words about it.

DISCOVERING NEW PLACES

CD Track 16 Topic Card

LISTENING COMPREHENSION

Listen to two friends discussing their vacation plans and answer the questions.

Which country are they going to?
 What activities does the boy want to do?
 What activities does the girl want to do?
 What activities does the girl want to do?
 How are they going to get to their vacation destination?

QUARANTINE CORNER Coronalanguage

NEOLOGISMS

Words get added to the Oxford English Dictionary when enough people start using them. Every year, the editors consider hundreds of new words that people have invented. From those, a few dozen of the most successful are included. Look back 10 years later, and most of those words will be gone and forgotten. Most neologisms – that is, newly invented words – don't catch on.

A few things make it more likely that a word will stay in the world:

- Is it useful? Does the word describe something that "needs" a name?
- Does the new word fit the meaning? Could people make a good guess at the meaning?
- Is the word catchy? Is it easy to say?

TASK 1

Take a look at some other coronavirus neologisms (let's call them "coroneologisms"). First, try to guess the meaning and write a short definition. Then, google the word and see if you were right.

CORONEOLOGISM	MY GUESS AT THE MEANING	WHAT GOOGLE SAYS
COCOONING		
QUARANTIME		
PRE-TRAUMATIC STRESS DISORDER		
INFODEMIC		
BC / AC		
COVIDIVORCE		
CORONAKIDS		
QUARANTEENS		
DOOMSCROLLING		
CORONA-SHAMING		

TASK 3

Use Google to find three other coroneologisms (ones neither in the list above nor in the article) and define or explain them. They can be in English, in your own language or in another language, but you must explain the words in English!

CORONEOLOGISM	DEFINITION OR EXPLANATION		

TASK 4

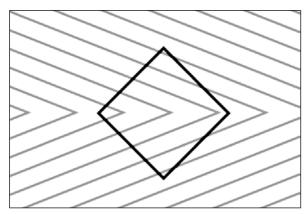
Invent a new coroneologism that you think fits the criteria in the intro. *IMPORTANT: Do a Google search to check that no one else has already invented the word!* Write the word and the definition. Your teacher will choose the best three suggestions from your class and send them to *Bridge*, and we'll print the best of them next year.

MY CORONEOLOGISM	DEFINITION

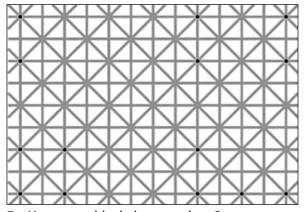
Can You Believe Your Eyes?

BEFORE YOU BEGIN - PART 1

Can your brain fool your eyes? Open your copy of Bridge to the article "Can You Believe Your Eyes?" and read the title and introduction (but not the main text). Then take the picture quiz below. Don't cover any parts of the picture, use a ruler or "cheat" in any other way.



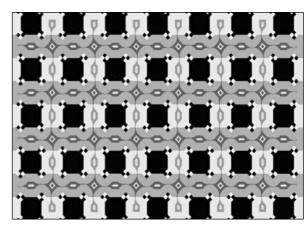
1 Is this a square?



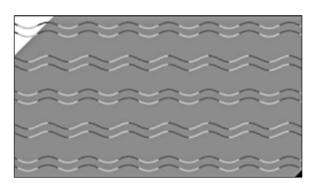
3 How many black dots are there?



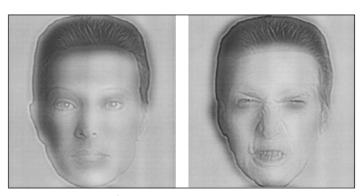
5 Which is male and which is female?



2 Are the lines parallel?



4 Do you see zigzag or curvy lines?



6 Look at these faces. Which is calm? Which is angry? Keep looking at them and back slowly away from the picture (you might have to go a couple of metres). What happens?

BEFORE YOU BEGIN - PART 2

Did any of the pictures in part 1 trick your brain into seeing something untrue? Now try these two. Hold the image about 40 cm in front of your face, close your left eye and focus your right eye on the first +. Slowly move the image towards your face, still focusing on the +. At about 30cm, the dot will disappear. Repeat it with the second +. What happens to the X? What can you "see" in its place?





READING - PART 1

What sense is most commonly associated with your eyes? Read part 1 of the article (Eyes) and complete the sentences below.

1	The experiments in part 2 above prove the existence of your
2	Pictures and patterns that fool your eyes are called
	An image that is out of focus and unclear is
4	When we move our eyes very quickly, we briefly become

Sight is one of the traditional "five senses". What are the others?

Α	Sight	D	
В		E	
_			

Do you know any examples of how you can trick your other senses?

READING - PART 2

What sense is most commonly associated with your ears?

Read part 2 of the article (Ears). Which of the following sentences are true, based on the text?

- 1 Hearing is about what our brains can process, not just what our ears pick up.
- **2** We hear better because our brains are selective in processing sound.
- **3** We don't hear a lot of crazy stuff because our brains are designed to hear speech more than background noise
- **4** Deafness is especially common among autistic people.
- **5** Auditory processing disorder is when your brain is not good at ignoring background noises.
- **6** Conversation is difficult for autistic people because people don't really listen to them.

LISTENING

Look back at your answer to question 2 in Reading, part 1. These are tricks that fool your eyes. What do you think a trick that fools your ears might be called? (Hint: Think of the words *audio* and *auditorium*). You will get the correct answer in the podcast you are about to listen to.

Listen to CD Track 9. Complete the sentences.

1	Sounds that trick your ears are called	_·	
2	Shepard tones sound as though they keep going	or	·
3	Shepard tones were used in the game	_ and the movie(s)	
4	Risset rhythms are beats that seem to go	or	
5	They are sometimes used in music, especially	and	

READING - PART 3

What sense is most commonly associated with your nose?

Read part 3 (Nose). Which of the following sentences are true, based on the text?

- Expensive cheese doesn't really smell like feet.
- **2** The same scent chemicals are on smelly feet and parmesan.
- 3 In an experiment, people couldn't tell the difference between some parmesan and some skin flakes from a foot.
- **4** How you experience a smell changes depending on what you expect.
- 5 Spaghetti tastes like feet.

READING - PART 5

What sense is most commonly associated with your skin?

Read part 5 (Skin). Set up the experiment as described. Do it yourself and try it with different people in your family. Did it work every time?

WRAPPING UP

Read the last paragraph. In your own words, what does it say?

Do you agree?

READING - PART 4

What the experimenters did-

What sense is most commonly associated with your tongue?

Read part 4 (Tongue). Do you understand the experiments described in the text? Choose one of the experiments. In your own words, and without looking back at the text, describe:

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What the	experime	nt showed	•		

Try a similar experiment:

Mix a bit of flour and a few drops of water into sticky dough and form into small balls. Find 2-3 things that smell strongly with a food-related taste – good possibilities include vanilla essence, cinnamon, chili sauce, cat food and stinky cheese (or really smelly socks).

Find a victim volunteer (such as a member of your family). Blindfold them (= cover their eyes so they can't see). Tell them they will taste some foods with different flavours and they should tell you what they taste. Ask them to hold their nose closed and give them a ball of the dough. They should chew slowly and think about the taste. While they do it, secretly open one of the strong-smelling samples near them (but not too close!). Tell them to let go of their nose, chew a bit more and describe the taste. Repeat the experiment with different smells.

Write up your research findings.

CROSSWORD

THE BASICS

Answers go across (left to right) or down (top to bottom), starting in the numbered square for that clue. The numbers in brackets tell you how many letters are in the answer. (3, 3) means the answer is two 3-letter words. Do NOT use any spaces or hyphens in the answers.

Every answer in this puzzle is in the May – June 2020 issue of Bridge in one of the articles below. If you need help, use the three-letter code in the clue to find the right article.

Our Funny Lives (OFL)
Quarantine Corner (QC)
Sorry, Could You Just... (SCY)
Europe in America (EIA)
From My Home to Yours (FMH)
Taking Over the Charts from
Quarantine (TOC)

ACROSS

- 6. Hot emotion (7) OFL
- 8. Very famous, iconic (9) FMH
- **10.** Of the sea (6) OFL
- 11. Deliberate, on purpose (11) SCY
- **12.** An Englishman's home, they say (6) SCY
- **13.** Quarantined by choice (4–9) TOC
- **14.** Tick-borne illness first identified in a Connecticut town (4, 7) QCR
- **18.** Walking aimlessly and without purpose (9) TOC
- **19.** Sometimes, rarely, not often (12) SCY
- 21. Playing live concerts (7) FMH
- **24.** Kosovan language not Serbian (8) TOC
- **25.** A very helpful dish, according to a coronaviral song (5, 6) QCR
- **26.** The warm remembering of the good old days (9) TOC
- **29.** British language spoken in part of Argentina (5) EIA
- **30.** Grammatically, an order or instruction (10) SCY
- **34.** An online broadcast in real time (10) FMH
- **35.** The French, Spanish, Neapolitan, Polish or German disease (8) QCR
- **36.** Put off to a later date (9) TOC
- 37. Meal remains (9) OFL
- **38.** Great happiness and pleasure (7) SCY
- 39. An American toilet (8) EIA

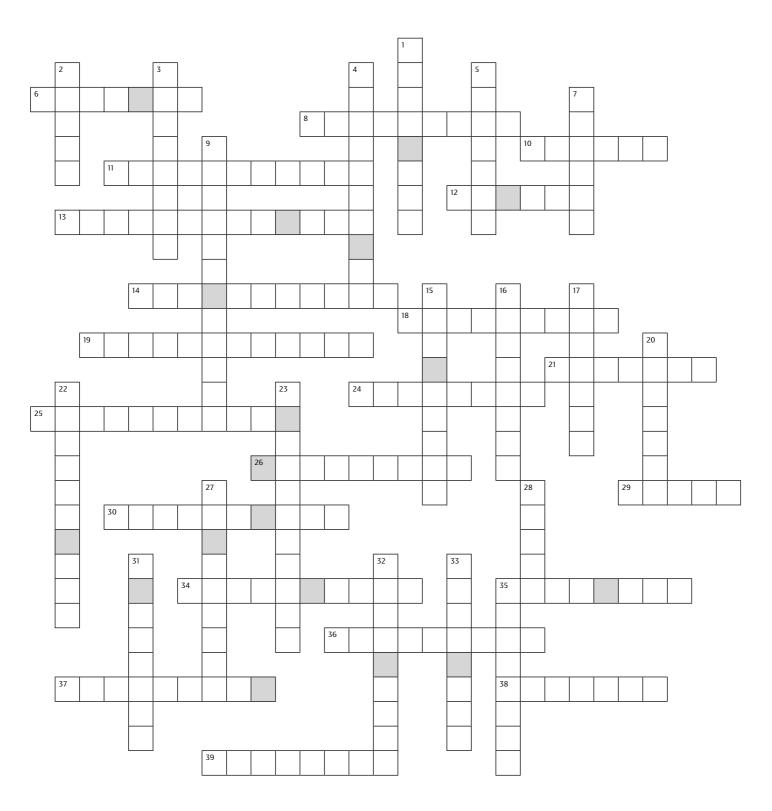
DOWN

- 1. The lead singer or musician in a band if male (8) FMH
- **2.** An informal Australian's soap alternative (5) QCR
- 3. A mixed alcoholic drink (8) QCR
- 4. Best bits (10) FMH
- **5.** Almost real, but only in digital (7) OFL
- 7. Released gas from the bottom! (6) OFL
- **9.** Uncomfortable, awkward, causing difficulty (12) SCY
- **15.** Mockingly or insultingly ironic (9) SCY
- 16. Texted (8) TOC
- 17. Old and (often) valuable (7) EIA
- **20.** Homemade music compilation (7) OFL
- **22.** Wet woodlands, especially jungle (10) EIA
- **23.** Famously, but not in a good way (11) EIA
- 27. Feeling of thankfulness (11) SCY
- **28.** Milky flower for partying parrots, perhaps (5) OFL
- **31.** This music's not electric (instrumentally, that is) (8) FMH
- 32. A house of the dead (9) EIA
- **33.** Left-wing nationalist movement following Juan Domingo (8) EIA
- **35.** Releasing virus and potentially infecting others (8) QCR

SOLUTIONS

ACROSS 6 passion, 8 legendary, 10 marine, 11 intentional, 12 castle, 13 self-isolating, 14 Lyme disease, 18 wandering, 19 occasionally, 21 gigging, 24 Albanian, 25 baked potato, 26 nostalgia, 29 Welsh, 30 imperative, 34 livestream, 35 syphilis, 36 postponed, 37 leftovers, 38 delight, 39 bathroom DOWN 1 frontman, 2 sanny, 3 cocktail, 4 highlights,
5 virtual, 7 farted, 9 inconvenient, 15 sarcastic,
16 messaged, 17 antique, 20 mixtape, 22 rainforest,
23 notoriously, 27 gratitude, 28 poppy, 31 acoustic,
32 mausoleum, 33 Peronism, 35 shedding

BONUS JOKE: It's the contractions. (Grammatical contractions vs uterine contractions)



Bonus Joke!

? A woman was in hospital to have a baby when she suddenly started shouting, "Wouldn't! Couldn't! Should've! Hadn't! Shan't!" Her husband looked alarmed. The doctor said, "Don't worry, it's quite normal.

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SOLUTIONS TO THE ACTIVITIES

Fighting off Invaders

TASK 1: 17, 2F (the skin and other barriers form part of the innate immune system), 3T, 4F (they prevent them from settling), 5F (they destroy any cells that shouldn't be there), 6T, 7T, 8F (they do so only when they find a matching pathogen), 9T, 10F (allergies result from the immune system attacking non-pathogens such as pollen or molecules in food; when they attack your own cells it is auto-immune disease)

TASK 2: 1 inflammation, pus, 2 mucus, pathogens/invaders, 3 natural killer cells, pathogens, damaged, 4 molecules, antigens, 5 B cell, antibodies 6 vaccine, antigens

A Little Land of Big Beauty: Discovering Wales

1 Celtic, 2 Cymru, 3 one, 4 third, 5 21,000, 6 three, 7 villages, farmhouses

War Is Peace, Freedom Is Slavery, Ignorance Is Strength: George Orwell's 1984

TASK 1:

1 voice, 2 shouting, 3 work, 4 glass, 5 longer, 6 forgiven, 7 everything, 8 sunlight, 9 face, 10 smile, 11 misunderstanding, 12 nose, 13 finished, 14 loved

TASK 2 - Sample answer: He gets brainwashed into loving Big Brother

"Sorry, Could You Just...": Being Polite in English

1A, 2B, 3C, 4A, 5B

An Eye for Detail: The Art of Props TASK 1 - Sample answers:

- 1 In 1983, in the American Midwest
- 2 It was a realistic choice for an enthusiastic but not very rich teenage photographer. She bought several because the camera gets broken in the series.
- **3** They were copies of originals owned by people working on the film.
- **4** Many of them were real antiques they found in the area.
- **5** Because we are used to old, faded antiques and black-and-white photos.
- **6** Because they could combine the best elements from different places they had visited.
- **7** Because it is an analogue-looking world.
- **8** They often needed a realistic one for close-up shots and a rubber one for action shots.
- **9** The tiniest details are visible so props have to be extra realistic.

TASK 2 - Sample answers:

- 1 The periodic table of elements is too modern. It goes up to Flevorium (Fl, element number 114), which was named only in 2012. In 1983, the periodic table ended at the element 109, Hassium.
- 2 In 1985, Coca-Cola changed the formula of Coke to make it more like Pepsi. It was a disaster. Lucas is drinking the "New Coke".
- 3 Most of the external shots of JoJo's hometown, including the main square, were filmed in the Czech town of Žatec.
- 4 The crew built a false front onto the ugliest house on the street. This was JoJo's house.
- 5 It was made from parts of two real guns stuck together with some plastic parts and added lights.
- **6** It is the "memory orb" used to make memories for the replicants, the artificial humans in the story.

Discovering New Places

Sample answers: 1 Mexico, 2 relax, sit by the beach, go snorkelling, go surfing, 3 go on a tour, experience the local culture, see the Mayan pyramids, go dancing, 4 by bus or by taxi, 5 a hotel (on the beach), Airbnb (near the beach), 6 by plane

Quarantine Corner

TASK 1 - Sample answers:

(Note: The wording may differ a lot. Students may also discover different definitions.)

Cocooning: Self-isolating even within your home (staying away from other family members etc.)

Quarantime: The strangely slow and meaningless nature of time in quarantine (what day is it, anyway?)

Pre-Traumatic Stress Disorder: The result of being in constant anxiety at the possibility of catching COVID-19

Infodemic: The overwhelming flood of often contradictory and fake information

BC / AC: The 21st century's new epochs, *Before Corona* and *After Corona* (or "Anno Covidi", perhaps)

Covidivorce: One possible result of being shut up with your partner for months

Coronakids: One possible result of being shut up with your partner for months

Quaranteens: The generation having their teenage years ruined by social distancing

Doomscrolling: Obsessively reading depressing pandemic news

Corona-shaming: Roasting people for public hygiene failures on social media

SOLUTIONS TO THE HOME STUDY PLAN

Before You Begin, part 1

1 Yes, it is a square. 2 Yes, the lines are parallel. 3 There are 14 black dots - but most people can't see them all at the same time. 4 Most people see alternating pairs of zigzag and curvy lines, but in fact they are all curvy. 5 They are both the same androgynous face, but most people see the version with higher contrast as female and with lower contrast as male. 6 The "angry" face becomes calm, and the "calm" face becomes angry. The effect is based on how our brains process unfocused lines at different distances.

Before You Begin, part 2

The X disappears and most people see just a line.

Reading, part 1

1 blind spot, 2 optical illusions, 3 blurred/blurry, 4 blind **B-E:** (in any order): hearing, touch, smell, taste

Reading, part 2

1T, 2T, 3F, 4F, 5T, 6F

Listening

1 auditory illusions, 2 up or down, 3 Super Mario 64, The Dark Knight, The Dark Knight Rises, 4 faster or slower, 5 trance and techno

Reading, part 3

1F, 2T 3F, 4T, 5F

Reading, part 4

Sample answers: The experimenters gave some wine lovers two glasses of white wine, one coloured to look like red wine. The drinkers thought they were different. It shows the effect of sight on taste.

The experimenters gave some wine lovers two glasses of the same wine, but told them one was cheap and one was expensive. The drinkers thought the "more expensive" wine was better. It showed how expectations affect taste.

Try a similar experiment: Usually people will describe different tastes influenced by what they can smell.

SOLUTIONS FROM THE MAGAZINE

B1 Reading: Everyday Art





01D, 02I, 03A, 04G, 05F, 06J, 07B

B2 Reading: Everyday Art





01I, 02J, 03H, 04A, 05B, 06F, 07C

Reading - matching people to films



1F, 2D, 3B, 4G, 5C; not used: A, E

George Orwell's 1984

1. newspeak: Euphemisms, jargon and other terminology used to control how people talk about something controversial.

2. doublethink: The psychological state of being able to believe two contradictory (= opposing) things at once.

3. memory hole: Any device to hide the past, such as deleting old Tweets and YouTube videos without saying what you've done. Also used as a verb meaning to (try to) destroy the evidence of something someone has said or done.

4. Big Brother: A state that is over-controlling; also a television programme where the participants are kept in a house and watched in their every move.

"Sorry, Could You Just..."

- 1 independence, indirect, inconvenience, inconvenient, unlikely, impolite, informal; other prefixes: dis- (disinterested, discomfort), ir-(irresponsible, irregular), il- (illogical, illegal)
- 2 politeness, business, happiness, rudeness; other examples: darkness, coolness, laziness, loneliness, kindness, fitness...

Mind Benders

The jewels are hidden at the butcher's shop (the owner is probably a friend of his). As a vegan, he'd have no other reason to go there.

Strange World

Caption 2

B1 EXTRA PRACTICE

A Bizarre Crime of Conscience





1C, 2D, 3A, 4B, 5D

B2 EXTRA PRACTICE The Great Molasses Flood



1E, 2G, 3C, 4H, 5A, 6I, 7D; not used: B, F

Puppy-Dog Eyes



1	have/encounter/	8	about		
	experience/hit	9	been		
2	comes	10	example/instance		
3	with	11	whether/if		
4	can	12	as		

5 to/that/which 6 something 7 at 13 on 14 pay 15 more

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Need a Bed for the Night?

1 difficulty 6 accommodation
2 decision 7 programmer
3 following 8 presidential
4 comfortable 9 Unbelievably
5 unexpected 10 affordable