

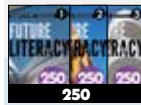
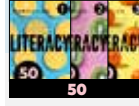
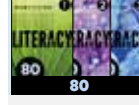
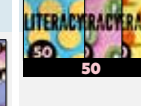
NONFICTION READING

FUTURE LITERACY ³ 200

Future Literacy 200 is a three-level reading series for intermediate learners of English. Each level has three books that increase students' literacy skills. Each book contains interesting nonfiction passages covering a broad range of school subjects. Students gradually expand their vocabulary through exposure to high-frequency and practical vocabulary related to the unit topics. Students build their literacy skills through a sequential cycle of interconnected modules focusing on the following: Writing, Background Knowledge, and Digital Reading.

FEATURES

- Direct correlation with most major school subjects, including social studies, science, math, art, music, physical education, literature, careers, language arts, and more
- Informative passages that describe and explain the amazing world we live in
- Diverse question types that challenge students to analyze, evaluate, and synthesize information

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CEFR/WC	25~40 (FL 30)	40~65 (FL 50)	60~85 (FL 80)	85~100 (FL 100)	100~150 (FL 150)	150~200 (FL 200)	200~250 (FL 250)

- Future Literacy's content is more advanced than other books with similar word counts. This allows for more efficient and enjoyable learning without unnecessarily long passages.

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SCOPE AND SEQUENCE

SUBJECT	UNIT	TITLE	VOCABULARY
SOCIAL STUDIES	1	Smart Use of Smartphones	isolate, text, advantage, rely on, pay attention, download, balance, turn off
	2	Street Food	prepare, inexpensive, coat, consist of, shaved, miss, savory, appealing
	3	Interesting Festivals Around the World	holiday, foreign, tourist, during, parade, celebration, powder, light
	4	Good Luck and Bad Luck	luck, belief, superstition, clover, wealth, hope, wholeness, negative
SCIENCE	5	Insects as Food	insect, protein, transport, raise, maintain, take up, steam, source
	6	World Penguin Day	terrific, capable, similarity, migrate, Antarctica, darkness, iceberg, declare
	7	The Amazing Cockroach	disgusting, cockroach, survivor, harsh, detect, weakness, confuse, suck
	8	Animal Defenses	surroundings, webbed, camouflage, texture, defense, transform, swing, stick
MUSIC	9	AI Music	intelligence, behavior, compose, melody, register, album, advertisement, right
	10	Sam Cooke: The King of Soul	distinct, contribution, biographer, influential, sibling, found, tragic, violence
	11	Jazz	childhood, troubled, naturally, talented, fantastic, improvise, lyrics, take part
	12	Music Therapy	therapy, mood, reduce, lower, blood pressure, therapist, approved, rhythm
CAREERS	13	Coding Jobs	labor, coding, instructions, purpose, familiar, field, secure, stable
	14	Choosing a Career	option, architecture, suit, handle, journalism, athletic, lifestyle, commute
	15	Odd Jobs	society, prefer, occupation, release, ranking, quality, assurance, taste bud
	16	Changing Careers	oddly, dive, sewer, block, flood, mix, disagree, glad

- B** Background Knowledge
- W** Writing
- D** Digital Reading

KEY PATTERN	LITERACY UPGRADE
along with / have a bad side	B Make a Note
on the street / be served warm	W Subordinating Conjunction: <i>while -ing</i>
fill the streets / be held on	D Travel Blog
bring good or bad luck / a good sign	B Good and Bad Superstitions
the amount of ... is limited / full of	B Mealworms
a number of things / be capable of	W Contrasting Conjunction: <i>however</i>
live up to / be sucked up	D Podcast Transcript
protect ... from / get confused	B Even Elephants!
a game against / in minutes	B An AI Original?
by age / life was ended	W Preposition: <i>including</i>
a style of / be born into	D Online Advertisement
be great for / reduce the pain	B Rescued Elephants
going forward into the future / join this world	B More Than Code
could be right / in many fields	W Speculative Possibility: <i>could be</i>
better than anyone / sense of smell	D Instructional Website
get bored with / make a change	B Why Change?



AUDIO

SMART USE OF SMARTPHONES

WARM UP ↗

We use smartphones in different ways every day. In many ways, smartphones help us. But there are also some downsides we should know about.

Answer the questions.

- Did you use a smartphone today?
- Can you think of any problems that smartphones make for people?

VOCABULARY ZONE

A Write the correct words. Then, listen and number. TRACK 02

isolate
pay attention

text
download

advantage
balance

rely on
turn off



n b _____



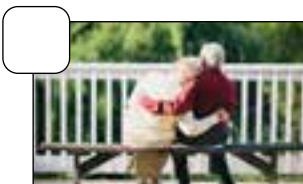
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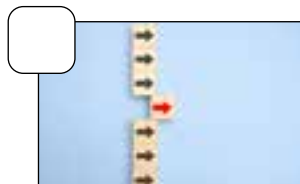
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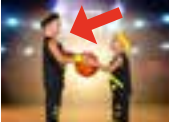


n a _____



phr v t _____

B Match the pictures with the correct words and meanings.

- | | | |
|--|---------------|--|
| 1.  | • advantage • | • when two or more things are equal |
| 2.  | • turn off • | • a benefit |
| 3.  | • isolate • | • to stop the flow of power or shut down |
| 4.  | • balance • | • to separate someone or something from others |

C Choose the correct words.

- If you (pay attention / rely on / download) in class, you will have no trouble doing the homework.
- We (download / rely on / isolate) our parents for lots of things.
- She will (download / rely on / pay attention) an application from the website.
- Do not (rely on / text / download) while riding your bicycle.

CHALLENGE Part of Speech



v text

to send someone a text message

Marcella **texts** her friends every day.



n text

the written words in a printed material or online website

This **text** explains historic events.

Choose the correct part of speech for the word "text."

- Text Grandma and ask how she is doing. **n** **v**
- I got information from the text and quoted the author. **n** **v**

A Listen and read out loud. TRACK 03

Smartphones have changed our lives in many different ways. They can connect people, but they can also **isolate** people. Smartphones can help us solve problems, but they can also create new problems. You need to be **responsible** when using your smartphone. Smartphones let us call or **text** our family and friends easily. We can take photos and find information quickly. They make life very convenient.

Along with the **advantages** of using smartphones, there are disadvantages. We can **rely on** our phones too much. Sometimes we don't **pay attention** to the people who are next to us and trying to communicate. We can also **cause** accidents by talking or texting while using transportation.

In addition, many people use phones for entertainment. We can **download** or stream music, movies, and TV shows anytime and anywhere. But all this entertainment also has a bad side. For example, instead of sharing the fun with others, we often listen and watch alone. We need to create a better **balance** between enjoying things alone and doing things together. We should sometimes **turn off** our



smartphones and interact with the people around us.



KEY PATTERN Practice the key patterns.

along with

- **Along with** the advantages of using smartphones, there are disadvantages.
- I put my lunch **along with** my books into my backpack.

have a bad side

- But all this entertainment also **has a bad side**.
- Exercising too much **has a bad side**.

B Read and answer.

1. What is an advantage of using smartphones?

- ☐ a They have made us rely on them.
- ☐ b They have made us get sick more often.
- ☐ c They have helped us call friends easily.

2. Which of these is NOT mentioned in the reading?

- ☐ a Smartphones can provide a lot of entertainment.
- ☐ b We can find information quickly on smartphones.
- ☐ c Smartphones let you write novels and create art.

3. Why is it a problem to use smartphones for entertainment?

We now often _____ to and _____ it alone.

C Write your own sentences with the key patterns.

KEY PATTERN 1 _____

KEY PATTERN 2 _____

A Read and choose the correct answers.

MAIN IDEA

1. What is the main purpose of the reading?
 - a to explain why communicating with others is important
 - b to describe how to download and stream music online
 - c to compare different kinds of phones and their capabilities
 - d to show the advantages and disadvantages of smartphones

DETAIL

2. Which purpose is NOT mentioned for using a smartphone?
 - a texting family or friends
 - b taking photos
 - c streaming music
 - d driving a car

DETAIL

3. According to the reading, which of these is true?
 - a We should replace our smartphones once a year.
 - b We spend more time with people thanks to smartphones.
 - c We don't text our family and friends as much as we used to.
 - d We can find directions easily with a smartphone.

DETAIL

4. Smartphones can connect people together but also make them feel _____.
 - a afraid
 - b isolated
 - c loved
 - d sick

DETAIL

5. What is a negative side effect of using a smartphone?
 - a We lose our vision.
 - b We lose our balance.
 - c We forget to pay for things.
 - d We can cause accidents.

VOCABULARY

6. What does the word **they** refer to in the reading?
 - a smartphone users
 - b movies
 - c cars and buses
 - d smartphones

VOCABULARY

7. Which word has the opposite meaning of **responsible** in the reading?
 - a careless
 - b sensible
 - c alert
 - d friendly

INFERENCE

8. Why might it be important to balance entertainment and social activities?
 - a Too much entertainment gets boring.
 - b Joining social activities is less expensive.
 - c Social activities maintain personal connections.
 - d Entertainment is not as popular as it once was.



What does the passage suggest we do about our smartphones?
Sometimes _____ them _____ and
communicate with people instead.

B Complete the graphic organizer.

Smartphones	
Pros	Cons

a Keep in touch with people easily

b Not pay attention to people next to us

c Cause accidents by using phones while driving

d Find information and directions quickly

e Listen to songs and watch movies anywhere

f Listen and watch movies alone without sharing the fun with others

LITERACY UPGRADE

BACKGROUND KNOWLEDGE

A Read.



Make a Note

Your friend tells you about a movie you want to see. Open a note-taking app on your phone and type in the title. You plan to go shopping. Open an app and start a list. You want to save a two-page letter. Open an app and click the camera icon. You can scan the whole letter into one note. You can't always remember everything. Paper notes can get lost. But all your notes are safe on your phone.

B Read the sentences and draw lines to the correct answers.

- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1. You can use notes to take a picture of your cat. | • | |
| 2. You can use notes to make a list of things to do. | • | • |
| 3. You can use notes to send your friend a poem. | • | |
| 4. You can use notes to remember your friend's favorite song. | • | |
| 5. You can use notes to find directions to a friend's party. | • | • |
| 6. You can use notes to save ideas for your friend's birthday gift. | • | |

True

False