

StartUp 6
Vocabulary

Unit5 – Lesson1
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To the teacher

At the end of the lesson, your students must have achieved all the targets below.
During the unit, plan your productive tasks to cover them.

5 WHAT SEEMS TO BE THE PROBLEM?

LEARNING GOALS

In this unit, you

- describe technology problems
- talk about technology solutions
- discuss how technology affects us
- read an article about hacking
- write a product review

Elicit some sentences from your students about the picture. Ask your students to talk about the questions.



GET STARTED

A Look at the photo. What's going on?

B Now read Michael's message. Where is he going? Why?



MICHAEL STEWART

@MichaelS

Headed to the New York office for a big meeting. Giving an important presentation.

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MICHAEL STEWART
@MichaelS

My presentation is about to start. Hope everything goes smoothly! Fingers crossed!

A Read the ad for computer support. How much time do people waste with technology problems?

DID YOU KNOW? On average, people deal with technology problems for more than twenty minutes each day. Are you having frustrating tech problems at work, home, or school?

Has your



hard drive crashed?



log-in failed?



battery died?



screen frozen?

Have you gotten



an error message?



a virus?



spyware?



disconnected from the internet?

If so, we are here to help! Just give us a call or talk to one of our online support staff members.
We can help you solve all these problems and many more!

Have your Ss do the task for a couple of minutes. Then check the answers in class.

COMPLETE THE SENTENCES WITH INFORMATION FROM THE BOX.

battery died-error message-login failed-spyware disconnected-hard drive-crashed-screen frozen-virus

1. Oh, no! My computer won't start and it's making a weird noise. I think my _____ .
2. The computer seems to be _____ from the internet. Is the Wi Fi working?
3. My laptop _____. Is there somewhere I can plug it in?
4. It says that my _____. I guess this password isn't right.
5. Can you move the cursor? Or is your _____?
6. The company just discovered that some _____ on our computers has been stealing information for three days.
7. Do not open any email attachments from strangers. They might be sending you a _____.
8. I keep getting an _____ that says, "File not found."

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B ▶ 05-01 Listen. Then listen and repeat.



GINA CLARK
@GinaC

Not feeling well today. Woke up with a sore throat and a headache.

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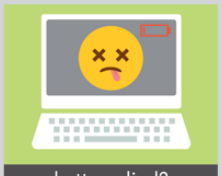
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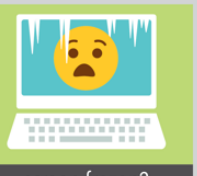
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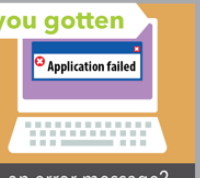


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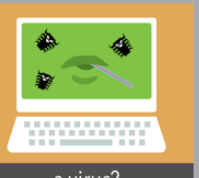


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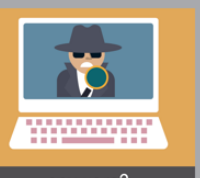
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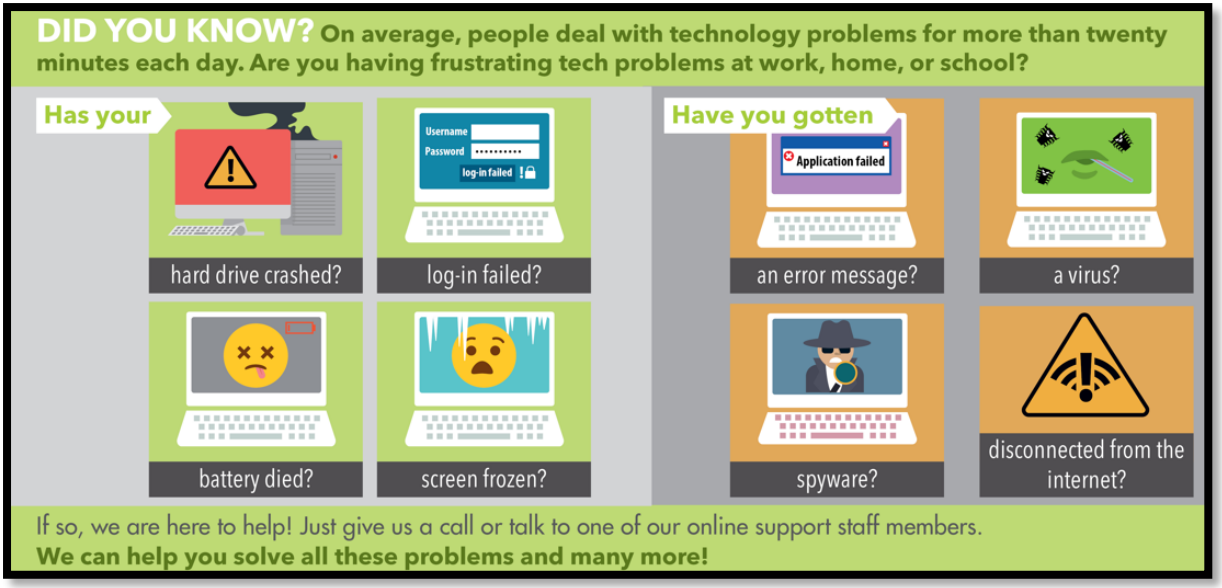
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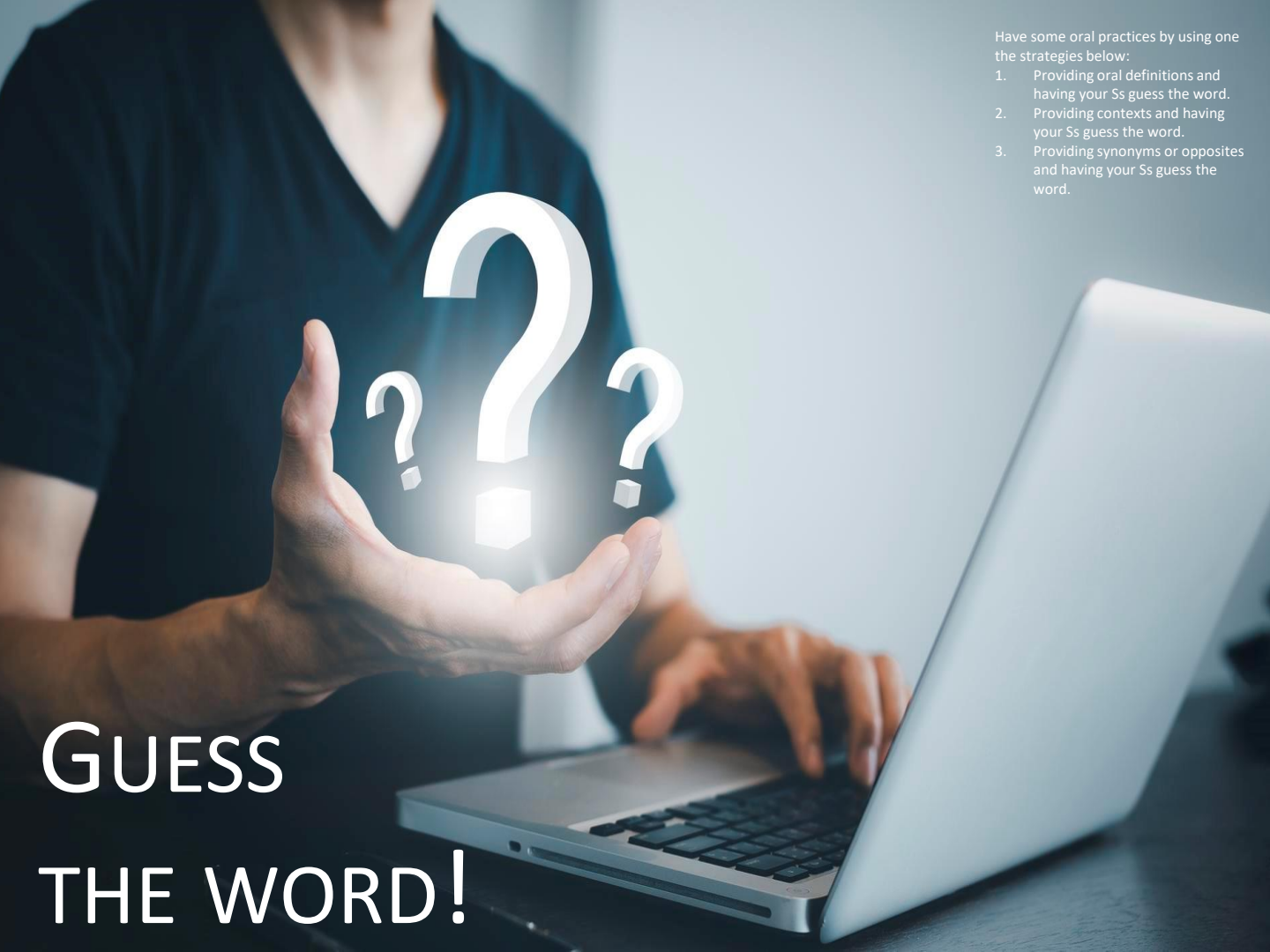
C ▶05-02 Listen. Which technology problem is the speaker describing? Write a word or phrase from 1B.

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____
4. _____
5. _____
6. _____

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Have some oral practices by using one the strategies below:

1. Providing oral definitions and having your Ss guess the word.
2. Providing contexts and having your Ss guess the word.
3. Providing synonyms or opposites and having your Ss guess the word.

GUESS THE WORD!

Have the Ss do the task in their breakout rooms.

D TAKE A POLL Who in the class has had these problems? How much time do you think you spend on technology problems every day?



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