

Technology Relative clauses definitions game
New Cutting Edge Intermediate Module

Choose one of the things below and explain which one you are thinking of (without saying its name or any part of its name) until your partner guesses which one you are talking about, starting your sentences with:

“It’s a person who/ whose...”

“It’s a thing/ machine/ gadget that/ which + verb

“It’s a thing/ machine/ gadget that/ which/ - + subject + verb”

“It’s a place where...”

3G phone	Answer machine	Flat screen television
Air conditioner	Remote control	Stereo
An answering machine	Walkman/ Personal stereo	Amusement arcade
Battery recharger	Digital alarm clock	Projector
Boom box	CD ROM	DVD ROM
Bread maker	Chest freezer	Rice cooker
Bug	(Electric) Fan	Humidifier
Car navigation	MP3 player/ iPod	A fire extinguisher
Colour photocopier	Laminator	Electric pencil sharpener
Computer lab	Listening lab	Utility room
Computer superstore	Cyberspace	Breadmaker
Depilator	Electric lawnmower	Robot vacuum cleaner
Dictaphone	Technophile	Technophobe
Digital voice recorder	Spotlight	Energy saving light bulbs
Digital watch	Digital radio	Heat detector
Drinks machine	Vending machine	Ticket machine
Ear and nose clippers	Electronics shop	Research lab
Electric razor	Barcode reader	Universal remote control
Electric toothbrush	Washing machine	Dishwasher
Food processor/ mixer/ blender/ juicer		Espresso machine
Hairdryer	Electronic dictionary	Hair curlers
Hands free phone	Voice activated...	Car alarm
IMAX cinema	Science museum	Computer repair shop
Instant camera (= instamatic camera)		Fax (machine)
Intercom	Mobile phone	Stun gun/ Tazer
Internet café	Smart phone	Tablet computer
Massage chair	Wii Fit	Tamagotchi
Microwave (oven)	Hoover (= vacuum cleaner)	3D glasses
Nerd	Geek	Techie
Night Light	Bluetooth	Microphone
Robotic toy	Electric can opener	Foot spa
Scanner	Digital photocopier	Colour printer
Smoke detector	Laser pointer	Wireless keyboard
Surround sound speakers	Home cinema	Motion detector
Tumble drier	Lava lamp	Nintendo DS
Video game machine	Laptop	PDA
Water cooler	Ice cube dispenser	Fridge (= refrigerator)
WiFi	Kettle	Toaster
Wireless headphones	GPS	Electric blanket
Wireless LAN	Floppy disk	USB stick
Wireless mouse	Touch screen	Desk lamp
Netbook		

Discussion questions

1. How knowledgeable are you about technology? How interested are you in new electronics etc?
2. Are you a technophobe or a technophile? Why do you describe yourself that way? Why do you feel that way about technology?
3. Work together to brainstorm negative things about modern technology