Final test

- 1. Section C: iv The use of barcodes for connecting different devices
- 2. Section D: ii Different equipment that can be linked within the IoT
- 3. Section E: viii The main benefits of IoT
- 4. Section F: v The question of compatibility
- 5. Section G: iii Other possible issues that might deter people from adopting the IoT
- 6. TRUE
- 7. TRUE
- 8. FALSE
- 9. TRUE
- 10. FALSE
- 11. TRUE
- 12. TRUE
- 13. C. Obstacles to the development of the IoT

Grammar

- 1. Even until recently, the majority of the world's population **would live** in rural areas.
- Correction: Even until recently, the majority of the world's population lived in rural areas.
- 2. Twice as much smart TVs were sold last year, compared to this.

Correction: Twice as many smart TVs were sold last year, compared to this.

- 3. Some people can't stand watching films on their phones, but I love it. (No error)
- 4. Snowboarding is one sport that I don't find very **exciting**.

Correction: Snowboarding is one sport that I don't find very exciting.

- 5. The Shard in London is currently **the** highest building in Europe.
- Correction: The Shard in London is currently **the** highest building in Europe.
- 6. It's much more difficult to achieve high scores in practical exams. (No error)
- 7. E-books **will never** replace real books.

Correction: E-books will never replace real books.

- 8. I have never spoken German to anyone, but I **learned** it at school.
- Correction: I have never spoken German to anyone, but I learned it at school.
- 9. Since the beginning of the 21st century, the population **has doubled**.

Correction: Since the beginning of the 21st century, the population has doubled.

10. I was amazed by the range and quality of the products on offer.

Correction: I was amazed by the range and quality of the products on offer.

11. Business has been **affected** slightly by the very hot weather.

Correction: Business has been **affected** slightly by the very hot weather.

12. I have to admit that I was bored as I listened to the lecture.

Correction: I have to admit that I was bored as I listened to the lecture.

- 13. Furniture sales did not rise as quickly as other products. (No error)
- 14. The use of technology is not always a positive thing for people. (No error)
- 15. **Sometimes** I am not sure what to do for the best.

Correction: Sometimes I am not sure what to do for the best.

Vocabulary

. C (conscientious) . A (deteriorated) . D (in) . D (Although) . B (racquet) . B (sociable) . C (As a result) . B (to) . D (convenient) 0. B (some clubs) 1. A (about) 2. C (despite)
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The graph presents employment trends in the sports sector across selected EU countries from 2011 to 2014.

In general, the employment figures across these nations depict diverse patterns during the specified period.

The Czech Republic exhibited a declining trend initially but then showed a slight upward trajectory in sports employment. Denmark also experienced a fall initially, yet the employment figures gradually increased over time.

Bulgaria demonstrated consistent growth in sports employment throughout the period, showcasing a steady rise without significant fluctuations. On the contrary, Belgium's employment remained relatively stable initially but then witnessed a decline as time progressed.

Overall, while the Czech Republic and Denmark recovered from initial drops to show slight increases, Bulgaria consistently experienced growth. In contrast, Belgium, after maintaining a stable employment rate, encountered a decline in sports-related employment toward the latter years of the period examined.