**Unit 10: TECHNOLOGY**

**Grammar : Present continuous**

**Usage:**

* ***To describe the actions happening that the time of speaking***
* ***To describe a future plan***

**Structure:**

* Positive form:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| S | To be | V + ING |
| I | Am | V + ING |
| You / we / they | Are |
| He / she / it | is |

* Negative form:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| S | To be + not | V + ING |
| I | Am + not | V + ING |
| You / we / they | Are + not |
| He / she / it | Is + not |

* Yes/ no questions:

|  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- |
| To be | S | V + ING |
| Am | I | V + ING |
| Are | You / we / they |
| Is | He / she / it |

* Information questions:

|  |  |  |  |
| --- | --- | --- | --- |
| Question word | To be | S | V + ING |
| What / when / where / why | Am | I | V + ING |

**Exercise:**

1. Write statements and questions. Use the present continuous with the future time expressions. Use a capital letter for the first word of each statement or question. Use contractions when possible.

1. I / take the bus / to work / tomorrow.

*I’m taking the bus to work tomorrow.*

2. they / visit / their relatives / this weekend?

3. you / go shopping / on Friday?

4. Dad / come home / late / this evening.

5. I / not clean / the house / tomorrow.

6. they / go out for dinner / tonight.

7. your classmates / take / the bus / to the game?

8. she / play soccer / in the park / on Sunday?

9. Sally and Mark / go dancing / after work?

10. I / wash the dishes / tomorrow, / and my husband / wash the dishes /

the day after tomorrow.

**Answer key:**

**Exercise 1:**

2. Are they visiting their relatives this weekend?

3. Are you going shopping on Friday?

4. Dad’s coming home late this evening.

5. I’m not cleaning the house tomorrow.

6. They’re going out for dinner tonight.

7. Are your classmates taking the bus to the game?

8. Is she playing soccer in the park on Sunday?

9. Are Sally and Mark going dancing after work?

10. I’m washing the dishes tomorrow, and my husband’s washing the dishes the day

after tomorrow.

**Further discussion questions for topic 5: Talk about your favorite electronic product**

* What is it?
* My favorite electronic product is a smartphone
* How much is it?
* It is about 5 million VND
* What color is it?
* It’s color is blue
* What brand is it?
* It’s brand is Xiaomi
* What can you do with it?
* I play game, listen to music and watch movie.
* Why do you like that product?
* I really like this because it is convenient and help me a lot.
* What do you dislike about that product?
* I dislike a camera in my product because it is bad.
* It make my life easier because it help me connect to my friend everytime.
* Does it make your life easier or harder?
* How often do you use it?
* Do you want to upgrade it?
* Do you have any problems with it?

**Writing task:**

**Hello, teacher**. My full name is..............Today, I would like to talk about my favorite electronic product. It is..................Its brand is...............I bought it / My................bought it for me when.............It is about............Vietnam dong. Its color is.................I really like my......................... because............................My.............is like my best friend, so it is very necessary for my life. For study, I often use it to.......................For working, I often use it to.................For communication, it helps me.......................For relaxing, I like to................ My..............is very good / convenient to me, so I don’t want to upgrade it *(Sometimes, my...........causes some problems to me because..............If I have much money, I will upgrade a new.................).* **Thanks for your listening. I hope you like my speech.**