

## Unit 4

### Technological wonders

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**4.1 wonder** (n) /'wʌndə(r)/ - div  
sth that makes you feel surprise and  
admiration • *The Statue of Zeus at  
Olympia was one of the Seven Wonders of  
the World.* ➤ wonderful (adj), wonder (v)  
❖

**4.2 bionic** (adj) /baɪ'ɒnɪk/ - bionický  
technology that causes a non-living object  
to move • *The bionic dog could walk and  
bark just like a real one.* ❖

#### Reading

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**4.3 telescope** (n) /'telɪskəʊp/ -  
dalekohled; teleskop  
a piece of equipment like a long metal  
tube you look through to see distant  
things as if they were closer • *The bird's  
nest was so far away that I had to use a  
telescope to see it.* ➤ telescopic (adj) ❖

**4.4 solar system** (n) /'səʊlə 'sɪstəm/ -  
sluneční soustava  
planets around a sun • *Earth is the only  
inhabited planet in our solar system.* ❖

**4.5 asteroid** (n) /'æstərɔɪd/ - asteroid;  
planetka  
a large rock or small planet that orbits a  
sun • *If a huge asteroid hits Earth, it will  
cause massive destruction.* ❖

**4.6 float** (v) /fləʊt/ - vznášet se  
to hang in the air as if weightless • *The  
balloon floated in the air and then the  
wind blew it away.* ❖

**4.7 comet** (n) /'kɒmɪt/ - kometa  
a bright object with a tail that travels  
around the sun • *We looked at the comet  
through the telescope.* ❖

**4.8 dust** (n) /dʌst/ - prach  
small pieces of soft dirt • *He cleaned the  
dust off the furniture with a cloth.* ➤ dust  
(v), duster (n), dusty (adj) ❖

**4.9 gas** (n) /gæs/ - plyn  
a chemical substance like air that is not  
liquid or solid • *The smell of poisonous gas  
rose from the volcano crater.* ❖

**4.10 orbit** (n) /'ɔ:bit/ - oběžná dráha  
a circular movement around an object like  
a planet or sun • *The moon is a natural  
satellite in orbit around the Earth.* ➤ orbit  
(v) ❖

**4.11 end up** (phr v) /end ʌp/ - skončit;  
dopadnout  
to find yourself somewhere you didn't  
want or expect to be • *If you don't study  
harder, you'll end up resitting your exams.*  
❖

**4.12 universe** (n) /'ju:nɪvɜ:s/ - vesmír  
all of space • *Earth is just a small planet in  
an enormous universe.* ➤ universal (adj)  
❖

**4.13 galaxy** (n) /'gæləksi/ - galaxie  
a large system of stars in space • *With  
powerful telescopes, scientists can now  
observe other galaxies in space.* ➤ galactic  
(adj) ❖

**4.14 engineering** (n) /,endʒɪ'nɪərɪŋ/ -  
strojírenství; stavitelství  
planning and building things like roads,  
bridges or machines • *Janet is great at  
maths and physics so she's studying  
engineering at university.* ➤ engineer (n)  
❖

**4.15 construction** (n) /kən'strʌkʃn/ -  
stavba  
the process of building • *The construction  
of the Parthenon was organised by  
Perikles.* ➤ construct (v) ❖

**4.16 software** (n) /'sɒftweə(r)/ -  
programové vybavení  
computer programs • *Because she had  
some trouble with her computer, she had  
to reinstall all the software.* ❖

**4.17 invent** (v) /ɪn'vent/ - vynalézt  
to make or design sth that has not existed  
before • *Telescopes were invented in the  
17th century.* ➤ inventor, invention (n),  
inventive (adj) ❖

**4.18 innovation** (n) /ɪnə'veɪʃn/ - novinka; inovace  
a new idea or invention • *I think technological innovations will make life easier in the future.* ➤ innovative (adj) ❖

**4.19 achievement** (n) /ə'tʃi:vmənt/ - úspěch  
sth you succeed in doing • *Raising baby pandas in a zoo is an incredible achievement because it is very hard to do.*  
➤ achieve (v) ❖

**4.20 complicated** (adj) /'kɒmplɪkətɪd/ - složitý  
difficult to understand because it has many different parts • *The rules of this game are so complicated! I can't understand them.* ➤ complicate (v), complication (n) ❖

**4.21 movement** (n) /'mu:vmənt/ - pohyb  
going from one place to another • *We observed the movements of the cat as it climbed the tree.* ➤ move (v, n), movable (adj) ❖

**4.22 sunshield** (n) /'sʌnʃi:ld/ - sluneční štít  
a device that protects sth, e.g. a telescope, from the light and heat of the sun • *The space probe needed a sunshield as it had to orbit Mercury.* ❖

**4.23 pillar (of)** (n) /'pɪlə(r) (əv)/ - pilíř  
an important part of a group or system • *Quantum theory is one of the pillars of modern physics.* ❖

**4.24 creation** (n) /kri'eɪʃn/ - tvorstvo; stvoření  
the whole universe and the process of creating it • *Humans are the most destructive animals in all creation!* ➤ create (v), creative (adj) ❖

**4.25 exoplanet** (n) /'eksəʊ.plæni:t/ - exoplaneta; extrasolární planeta  
a planet which is outside our solar system • *I wonder if there is any life on exoplanets in other solar systems.* ❖

**4.26 search** (v) /sɜ:tʃ/ - hledat  
to look for • *She searched for information about her ancestors on the internet.*

➤ search (n) ❖

**4.27 so far** (phr) /'səʊ fɑ:/ - dosud  
until now • *I've been watching the sky for hours, but I haven't seen the asteroid so far.* ❖

**4.28 confirm** (v) /kən'fɜ:m/ - potvrdit  
to show to be true • *Your weight confirms that you have eaten too much during the holidays.* ➤ confirmation (n) ❖

**4.29 hold your breath** (expr) /həʊld jɔ:breθ/ - zadržet dech; čekat, že se něco stane (brzy)  
to expect sth to happen • *I think you have a good chance of getting the job, but don't hold your breath as there are so many applicants.* ❖

**4.30 sight** (n) /saɪt/ - zrak; pohled; památka  
sth that you see • *The snow on the mountains was a wonderful sight.* ➤ sightseeing (n) ❖

**4.31 light year** (n) /laɪt jɪə/ - světelný rok  
a unit used to measure large distances in space • *The nearest galaxy to ours is over two million light years away.* ❖

**4.32 exist** (v) /ɪg'zɪst/ - existovat  
to be real • *Does life exist on Mars?*  
➤ existence (n) ❖

**4.33 component** (n) /kəm'pəʊnənt/ - součástka  
a part of sth • *There are so many components in this smartphone that I have no idea how it works.* ❖

**4.34 source** (n) /sɔ:s/ - zdroj  
where sth comes from • *In the past, the only source of heat was fire.* ❖

## Vocabulary

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**4.35 calculator** (n) /'kælkjuleɪtə(r)/ - kalkulačka  
a device or piece of software for doing calculations with numbers • *The teacher asked us to solve the maths exercises without using a calculator.* ➤ calculate (v) ❖

**4.36 charger cable** (n) /'tʃɑ:dʒə(r) 'keɪbl/ - kabel k nabíječe

a thick wire that carries electricity to a phone charger • *I must find the charger cable for my smartphone. The battery is very low.* ❖

**4.37 external hard drive** (n) /ɪk'stɜ:nl 'hɑ:d draɪv/ - externí hard disk  
a device for storing information from a computer • *It's a good idea to back up files every day on an external hard drive in case anything goes wrong with your laptop.* ❖

**4.38 headphones** (n pl) /'hedfəʊnz/ - sluchátka  
equipment that you wear in or over your ears so that you can listen to music, the radio, etc. • *Please use your headphones to listen to music late at night.* ❖

**4.39 monitor** (n) /'mɒnɪtə(r)/ - monitor  
a computer screen; a computer screen for observing movements in a particular area  
• *The security guard watched the monitors to see who was entering the building.* ➤ monitor (v) ❖

**4.40 device** (n) /dɪ'vaɪs/ - zařízení; přístroj  
an object with a particular purpose • *This device is used to back up the data on your computer.* ❖

**4.41 run** (v) /rʌn/ - fungovat; běžet  
to work • *He stopped the car, but the engine was still running.* ❖

**4.42 remote-controlled** (adj) /rɪ'məʊt kən'trəʊld/ - na dálkové ovládání  
controlled by using equipment without having to touch it • *Ken was flying his remote-controlled plane in the park.* ❖

**4.43 touchscreen** (n) /tʌtʃskri:n/ - dotyková obrazovka  
a screen that you touch in order to control a computer, phone, etc. • *This touchscreen phone doesn't have any buttons.* ❖

**4.44 drone** (n) /drəʊn/ - dron; bezpilotní letoun  
a small aircraft without a pilot, controlled

from the ground and used for taking photos, delivering items, for military purposes, etc. • *He almost crashed his drone into the sea after taking a video of the kayak.* ❖

**4.45 wireless** (adj) /'waɪələs/ - bezdrátový  
being connected by signals instead of cables • *The school's wireless connection was a bit slow, so we had to wait for the information to upload.* ➤ wireless (n) ❖

**4.46 smart** (adj) /smɑ:t/ - chytrý  
that is operated through computers so that it can work by itself • *When you're away, you can control your home central heating, using smart technology.* ➤ smartly (adv) ❖

**4.47 connect** (v) /kə'nekt/ - spojit; připojit (se)

to join together two or more things • *If I can connect to the internet, I'll send you some photos.* ➤ connection (n), connected (adj) ❖ ✎ Opp: disconnect

**4.48 podcast** (n) /'pɒdkɑ:st/ - podcast;  
pořad v digitální podobě na internetu an audio file from the internet that you can play on a computer, smartphone, or other device • *I sometimes listen to podcasts from British radio stations to hear different English accents.* ❖

**4.49 post** (v) /pəʊst/ - poslat; vyvěsit  
to put comments, information or pictures on a website • *He never posts personal details on social networking sites.* ➤ post (n) ❖

**4.50 record** (v) /re'kɔ:d/ - nahrát; zaznamenat  
to write information down or store it in a computer so that it can be looked at in the future • *The reporter recorded the interview on camera.* ➤ recording, record (n) ❖

**4.51 update** (v) /ʌp'det/ - aktualizovat  
to add the most recent information to sth  
• *Always update your virus protection so your computer is safe.* ➤ update (n) ❖

**4.52 upload** (v) /ˌʌpˈlɔːd/ - nahrát do jiného počítače to transfer files from one computer to another through the internet • *Gina uploaded her essay for her teacher to correct online.* ❖

**4.53 switch off** (phr v) /swɪtʃ ɒf/ - vypnout; zhasnout turn sth off by pressing a button or switch • *I want to sleep now. Please switch off the lights.* ❖ ✎ Opp: switch on

**4.54 pillow** (n) /ˈpɪləʊ/ - polštář a cloth bag filled with sth soft that you use to rest your head on in bed • *Jake rested his head on the pillow and went to sleep.* ❖

**4.55 activity tracker** (n) /ækˈtɪvəti trækə(r)/ - přístroj ke sledování tělesných funkcí a činností a device that records your physical movements and other health-related information • *According to the activity tracker, we've cycled 30 kilometres today.* ❖

**4.56 turn down** (phr v) /tɜːn daʊn/ - ztlumit to make quieter • *Dad's always telling me to turn my music down, but I like it loud!* ❖

**4.57 volume** (n) /ˈvɒljʊ:m/ - hlasitost the level of noise • *Don't turn the volume up so loud; we won't be able to hear ourselves talking!* ❖

Grammar

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**4.58 forecast** (n) /ˈfɔːkɑːst/ - předpověď a description of how sb says sth will be in the future • *The latest forecast warns of heavy rain and stormy weather.* ❖

**4.59 take off** (phr v) /teɪk ɒf/ - vzlétnout; odstartovat to leave the ground (for planes, etc.) • *The plane couldn't take off because of the storm over the airport.* ➤ take-off (n) ❖

✎ Opp: land

**4.60 look forward to** (phr v) /lʊk ˈfɔːwəd tuː/ - těšit se na to be happy waiting for sth good that is going to happen • *I'm looking forward to seeing my relatives from Canada.* ❖

**4.61 central heating** (n) /ˈsentrəl ˈhiːtɪŋ/ - ústřední topení a heating system that heats a whole house or building • *Our house is really cold because the central heating isn't switched on.* ❖

**4.62 qualified** (adj) /ˈkwɒlɪfaɪd/ - kvalifikovaný having completed the correct training or having the experience for a particular job • *Sarah spent five years at university to become a qualified architect.* ➤

qualification (n), qualify (v) ❖

**4.63 power cut** (n) /ˈpaʊə kʌt/ - výpadek elektřiny a period when the electricity supply stops working • *The storm caused power cuts throughout the city and the streets were in darkness.* ❖

**4.64 accurately** (adv) /ˈækjərətli/ - přesně correctly • *She worked out the total accurately by using a calculator.* ➤ accurate (adj), accuracy (n) ❖

**4.65 earthquake** (n) /ˈzːθkweɪk/ - zemětřesení the shaking of the ground • *After an earthquake, dogs are often used to find people in buildings that have fallen down.* ❖

**4.66 spacesuit** (n) /ˈspeɪsuːt/ - (vesmírný) skafandr a special suit worn by astronauts to survive in space • *An astronaut's spacesuit is made of strong but light material.* ❖

**4.67 land** (v) /lænd/ - přistát to arrive on the ground • *The plane landed safely at the airport despite the storm.* ➤ landing (n) ❖ ✎ Opp: take off

Listening

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**4.68 aircraft** (n) /'ækra:ft/ - letadlo  
a vehicle that can fly • *The aircraft that  
took us to London was an Airbus.* ❖

✎ Plural: aircraft

**4.69 liquid** (n) /'lɪkwɪd/ - kapalina  
sth that is not solid and can be poured

• *Oil and water are both liquids.* ❖

**4.70 image** (n) /'ɪmɪdʒ/ - obrázek  
a picture • *The satellite took some  
wonderful images of the Earth from space.*

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**4.71 memory** (n) /'meməri/ - paměť  
the amount of data storage space on a  
computer, phone, etc. • *My phone doesn't  
have enough memory to download any  
more*

*apps.* ❖

**4.72 wearable** (adj) /'weərəbəl/ -  
nositelný; vhodný k nošení  
which can be worn • *Smartwatches are  
basically wearable computers.* ➤ wear (v)

❖

**4.73 coffee maker** (n) /'kɒfi meɪkə(r)/ -  
kávovar  
a machine for making cups of coffee • *The  
first thing she does every morning is to  
switch on the coffee maker for breakfast.*

❖ ✎ Syn: coffee machine

**4.74 dishwasher** (n) /'dɪʃwɒʃə(r)/ - myčka  
nádobí  
a machine for washing dishes • *Don't  
wash the cups and plates by hand. Just put  
them into the dishwasher.* ❖

**4.75 feature** (n) /'fi:tʃə(r)/ - rys; funkce  
an important part or a typical quality of  
sth • *A camera is a feature on most  
smartphones nowadays.* ➤ feature (v) ❖

**4.76 notification** (n) /,nəʊtɪfɪ'keɪʃn/ -  
oznámení  
a formal notice that gives information  
about sth • *She receives a notification on  
her phone every time a text message  
arrives.* ➤ notify (v) ❖

**4.77 security** (n) /sɪ'kjʊərəti/ -  
bezpečnost; zabezpečení

a system to warn you when sb enters a  
place illegally, or when there is danger,  
etc. • *Our hotel room had its own security  
alarm!* ❖

**4.78 petrol** (n) /'petrəl/ - benzín  
liquid used to make an engine work • *The  
car was running out of petrol, so we  
stopped at a service station.* ❖ ✎ US Eng:  
gasoline

**4.79 diesel** (n) /'di:zl/ - nafta  
a type of oil used to make an engine work  
instead of petrol • *The city buses have  
diesel engines.* ❖

**4.80 charging point** (n) /'tʃɑ:dʒɪŋ pɔɪnt/ -  
dobíjecí stanice (pro elektromobily)  
a place where battery-operated devices or  
electric cars can be charged • *There aren't  
many charging points for electric cars in  
our town.* ❖

**4.81 depend (on)** (v) /dɪ'pend (ɒn)/ -  
záviset na  
be affected by • *Whether wind farms  
really help the environment depends on  
the production process and where they are  
installed.* ❖

## Speaking

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**4.82 invention** (n) /ɪn'veɪʃn/ - vynález  
sth created by sb for the first time • *The  
invention of the plane meant people could  
travel easily to foreign countries.* ➤ invent  
(v), inventor (n), inventive (adj) ❖

**4.83 VR headset** (n) /,vi:'ɑ:(r) 'hedset/ -  
brýle pro virtuální realitu  
a set of headphones with a screen that  
you wear over your eyes to see images  
and hear sounds created by a computer •  
*It feels like you're in another world when  
you wear this VR headset to play a video  
game.* ❖ ✎ Note: VR = virtual reality  
/,vɜ:tʃuəl ri'æləti/

**4.84 driverless** (adj) /'draɪvələs/ - bez  
řidiče

without a driver • *I couldn't believe it when I first saw a driverless bus going around the town.* ❖

**4.85 doorbell** (n) /'dɔːbel/ - zvonek na dveřích

a button that you press outside a building, which rings a bell for the people inside to know you are there • *The doorbell rang while I was in the shower.* ❖

## Grammar

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**4.86 bullet train** (n) /'bʊlɪt treɪn/ - japonský rychlovlak

a high-speed railway service in Japan

• *We got the morning bullet train to Tokyo, which was fast but really expensive.*

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**4.87 blossom** (n) /'blɒsəm/ - květ

a flower on a plant or tree • *The air was filled with the lovely smell of orange blossom.* ❖

## Use your English

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**4.88 compete** (v) /kəm'pi:t/ - soutěžit; konkurovat

to try to get people to buy your products and not sb else's • *The small shops in the town centre compete for business.* ➤ competition (n), competitive (adj) ❖

**4.89 competitive** (adj) /kəm'petətɪv/ - soutěživý; konkurenceschopný

showing you are trying hard to be more successful or better than others • *She wants to win, so she's a very competitive cyclist.* ➤ competitively (adv), compete (v), competition, competitor (n) ❖

**4.90 explosion** (n) /ɪks'pləʊʒn/ - výbuch  
a blast of energy (often from a bomb) • *There was a loud explosion at the power station and a fire broke out.* ➤ explode (v), explosive (adj) ❖

**4.91 explosive** (adj) /ɪks'pləʊsɪv/ - výbušný

which could explode easily • *Petrol is a*

*highly explosive liquid. So don't use devices like mobile phones near it.* ➤ explode (v), explosion (n) ❖

**4.92 attraction** (n) /ə'trækʃn/ - atrakce; zajímavost

an activity, feature or place that is interesting or exciting to sb; the feeling of being attracted to sb/sth • *The cherry blossoms are one of Japan's greatest attractions.* ➤ attract (v), attractive (adj)

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**4.93 inventive** (adj) /ɪn'ventɪv/ - vynalézavý

able to create new things and ideas • *His grandparents were quite poor, but they were also inventive and found ways to make their own clothes and furniture.* ➤

invent (v), invention, inventor (n) ❖

**4.94 inspire** (v) /ɪn'spaɪə(r)/ - inspirovat  
to make sb feel that they want to do sth and can do it • *He was inspired by Albert Einstein's work and he decided to become a physicist.* ➤ inspiration (n), inspirational (adj) ❖

**4.95 attention** (n) /ə'tenʃn/ - pozornost  
interest in sth • *Computers first caught his attention in primary school.* ❖

**4.96 alternative** (adj) /ɔ:l'tɜːnətɪv/ - náhradní; alternativní

that can be used instead of sth else • *I think your idea is good, but I have an alternative solution that's better.* ➤ alternative (n) ❖

**4.97 back up** (phr v) /bæk ʌp/ - udělat si zálohu

make a copy of information stored on a computer • *Luckily, I had backed up my work before my computer crashed.* ➤ back-up (n) ❖

**4.98 log in** (phr v) /lɒg ɪn/ - přihlásit se  
to gain access to a computer • *You can log in to this website with a password.* ➤ log-in (n) ❖

**4.99 plug in** (phr v) /plʌg 'ɪn/ - zastrčit; zapojit

to connect a machine to an electricity supply • *You can plug your smartphone in to the PC.* ❖

**4.100 set up** (phr v) /set ʌp/ - nastavit; připravit

to get all necessary equipment ready for an activity • *Mum set up my new laptop for me so I can use it now.* ➤ set-up (n) ❖

**4.101 switch on** (phr v) /swɪtʃ 'ɒn/ - zapnout

to turn sth on • *Let's switch the TV on and watch the news.* ❖

**4.102 shut down** (phr v) /ʃʌt daʊn/ - vypnout (se)

to stop functioning; to stop a machine from working • *Remember to back up all your work in case there's a power cut that makes the computer shut down.* ❖

**4.103 access** (n) /'ækses/ - přístup  
a way to see or use sth, e.g. information on a computer • *He can get access to his bank account online because he has internet banking.* ❖

**4.104 network** (n) /'netwɜ:k/ - síť  
a group of people who are connected in some way • *Debbie has a large network of contacts on social media.* ❖

**4.105 department** (n) /dɪ'pɑ:tmənt/ - oddělení

a part of a large business, university, organisation, etc. • *Liam is a technician in the company's IT department.* ❖

**4.106 power supply** (n) /paʊə sʌ'plai/ - zdroj energie; napájecí zdroj  
where power comes from • *Plug this appliance into the power supply in the wall over there.* ❖

**4.107 record** (n) /'rekɔ:d/ - záznam  
official information about people • *There are few written records of the history of this period.* ➤ record (v) ❖

**4.108 inventor** (n) /ɪn'ventə(r)/ - vynálezce

sb who creates sth new • *Hungarian inventor Maria Telkes created the first*

*completely solarpowered house.* ➤ invent (v), inventive (adj) ❖

**4.109 astronomer** (n) /ə'strɒnəmə(r)/ - astronom

a scientist who studies the sun, moon, stars, planets, etc. • *Hypatia was the first female astronomer and her study of maths and astronomy became well-known in Ancient Greece.* ➤ astronomy (n) ❖

**4.110 moreover** (adv) /mɔ:r'əʊvə(r)/ - navíc; kromě toho

in addition; as well as that • *She's got a degree in Maths. Moreover, she's studying for a masters in Astrophysics.* ❖

🔪 Syn: furthermore, what's more

**4.111 observe** (v) /əb'zɜ:v/ - pozorovat  
to watch sth; to follow what is happening  
• *The nurse observed an improvement in the patient's condition.* ➤ observer, observation (n) ❖

## Writing

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**4.112 due to** (prep) /dju: tu:/ - kvůli  
because of • *His depression is due to too much work and lack of sleep.* ❖

**4.113 nevertheless** (adv) /,nevəðə'les/ - nicméně

despite sth that has just been mentioned  
• *Sharks don't attack humans often. Nevertheless, many people think shark attacks happen every day.* ❖

**4.114 carry out** (phr v) /'kæri aʊt/ - provést; uskutečnit  
to do or complete sth • *Research is being carried out into sleep patterns.* ❖

**4.115 advance** (n) /ədva:ns/ - postup  
progress • *Advances in medical science mean that many diseases which were deadly in the past can be cured today.* ➤ advance (v) ❖

**4.116 available** (adj) /ə'veɪləbl/ - k dispozici

(for things) ready to be used or bought;  
(for people) ready and with enough time to do sth • *There were no rooms available*

at the hotel. ➤ availability (n) ❖ 🗑️ Opp: unavailable

**4.117 exhibition** (n) /,eksɪ'biʃn/ - výstava  
a show of things for people to see, e.g. in a museum • *There was an exhibition of El Greco paintings in the museum.* ➤ exhibit (v, n), exhibitor (n) ❖

**4.118 regarding** (prep) /rɪ'gɑ:dɪŋ/ - ohledně; co se týče  
concerning • *Regarding space travel for the general public, I think it will be too expensive for most people.* ❖

**4.119 individual** (adj) /ɪndɪ'vɪdʒʊəl/ - jednotlivý  
separate or different from others • *Our teacher writes different comments on each individual student's homework.* ➤ individual (n) ❖

**4.120 informative** (adj) /ɪn'fɔ:mətɪv/ - informativní; poučný  
providing useful facts or ideas • *This magazine has an informative article on space travel.* ➤ inform (v), information (n)  
❖ 🗑️ Opp: uninformative

**4.121 take an active part in** (expr) /teɪk ən 'æktɪv pɑ:t ɪn/ - aktivně se zapojit  
to do sth about sth, be involved in sth  
• *Anna is taking an active part in the fair and this afternoon she's demonstrating her new invention.* ❖

**4.122 satisfied** (adj) /'sætɪsfaɪd/ - spokojený  
pleased because sth that you wanted to happen has happened • *Are your parents satisfied with your exam results?* ➤ satisfy (v), satisfaction (n), satisfactory (adj)  
❖ 🗑️ Opp: dissatisfied

**4.123 lightweight** (adj) /'laɪtweɪt/ - lehký  
not at all heavy • *You only need a lightweight jacket in the summer.* ❖

**4.124 user-friendly** (adj) /,ju:zə 'frendli/ - snadno ovladatelný  
easy to use • *For online lessons, we use an app that was easy to install and is so user-friendly.* ❖

**4.125 function** (n) /'fʌŋkʃn/ - funkce

a program or part of a program on a computer, smartphone, etc. that does sth specific • *The program has a 'Search' function.* ❖

**4.126 to my mind** (phr) /tʊ maɪ maɪnd/ - podle mne  
in my opinion • *To my mind, space travel for everyone is the most exciting idea of this century.* ❖

**4.127 impression** (n) /ɪm'preʃn/ - dojem  
the opinion you have about sb/sth because of the way they seem • *The robotics fair made a very good impression as it was so wellorganised.* ➤ impress (v), impressive (adj) ❖

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**4.128 server** (n) /'sɜ:və(r)/ - server  
the main computer that runs a network • *The company's IT department takes care of any problems with the server.* ❖

**4.129 the World Wide Web** (n) /ðə 'wɜ:ld waɪd 'web/ - internet  
the system for finding information on the internet • *You can find information on almost everything you want on the World Wide Web. Just check the source is reliable!* ❖ 🗑️ Abbrev: www

**4.130 via** (prep) /'vaɪə/ - přes; po  
through; using a particular system, person, etc. • *They can send you the information via email.* ❖

**4.131 console** (n) /'kɒnsəʊl/ - konzole  
a device with the controls for a video game • *We need two video game consoles to play against each other on PlayStation.* ❖

**4.132 electronic** (adj) /ɪ,lek'trɒnɪk/ - elektronický  
that has small parts that work through a computer or batteries, etc. • *You can download the book in electronic form.* ❖

**4.133 satellite** (n) /'sætələɪt/ - satelit; družice  
an object in space that collects and sends



information • *Satellites provide signals for worldwide telecommunications.* ❖

**4.134 transmit** (v) /trænz' mɪt/ - přenášet; vysílat

to pass sth from one person to another

• *A disease can be transmitted through the air, for example when people sneeze.*

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**4.135 fibre optic cable** (n) /,faɪbər 'ɒptɪk 'keɪbl/ - optický kabel

a set of wires that carry internet signals •

*Our internet connection is faster now that we have fibre optic cables in the neighbourhood.* ❖

**4.136 speed** (n) /spi:d/ - rychlost

how fast sth moves • *This motorbike has a top speed of 220 kilometres per hour.* ➤

speed (v), speedy (adj) ❖