**Unit 3**

Grammar

The passive – past, present and future

**1** 1 No swimming is allowed in the local pool after a

tragic accident. / Swimming is not allowed in the local pool after a tragic accident. / You are not allowed to swim in the local pool after a tragic accident.

2 Two thieves were caught by police last night.

3 A three-day meeting will / is going to be held by the world’s top scientists.

4 An alternative energy conference was visited by Prince Charles yesterday.

5 New schools will / are going to be opened next year.

**2** 1 will / are going to try

2 are killed

3 helps / will help / is going to help

4 will close / is going to close / will be closed / is going to be closed

5 wasn’t bought

6 Will your car be fixed / Is your car going to be fixed

7 organized

Reflexive pronouns, emphatic pronouns, *each other*, *one another*

**3** 1 other

2 himself

3 herself

4 yourself

5 myself

6 itself

7 another

Have something done

**4** 1 We are having a meal prepared for us (by a

famous chef).

2 Dad has his car washed every week.

3 I’m not going to have my bike fixed (by Uncle Dan).

4 Will you have your temperature taken (by the doctor)?

It is said / thought / well known / believed accepted that

**5** 1 It is thought that the earth will get hotter.

2 It is accepted that we must use less energy.

3 It is well known that Einstein was very clever.

Vocabulary

Technology adjectives

**1** 1 adaptable

2 wireless

3 sustainable

4 solar-powered

5 alternative

6 energy-saving

Function verbs

**2** 1 absorb

2 crash

3 perform

4 process

5 release

6 repair

7 boost

8 transport

Extra vocabulary

**3** 1 celebrity

2 participants

3 participation

4 trainers

5 training

Functional language

**4** 1 quite, interested

2 Right, move ✓

3 appeal, slightest

4 pleased, better

5 summarize ✓

6 disappointed, with

7 great, would

8 going, about ✓

3 star

Grammar

**1** 1 A huge selection of energy-saving products is

made by the factory.

2 A lot of air pollution was produced by Granddad’s old car.

3 Was the telephone invented in 1876 by Alexander Graham Bell?

4 Kitchen devices and gadgets aren’t sold by / at / in this shop.

5 The law is going to be changed by the government to protect local wildlife.

6 Will we be shown the new designs by the inventor this afternoon?

7 Are all the family meals prepared by your dad?

**2** 1 were taken

2 will / are going to buy

3 are poisoned

4 invents

5 won’t be / isn’t going to be opened

6 was found

7 Will, be painted / Is … going to be painted

8 celebrated

**3** 1 yourselves

2 myself

3 themselves

4 other

5 another

6 himself

7 ourselves

**4** 1 No, they aren’t going to have a house built. They

are going to have a garage built.

2 No, he hasn’t had air conditioning installed. He has had solar panels installed.

3 No, we weren’t having our carpets cleaned. We were having our windows cleaned.

**5** 1 It is believed that she has health problems.

2 It is well known that they are good students.

3 It is thought that you are an excellent singer.

4 It is accepted that we are dedicated scientists.

Vocabulary

**1**

Hi all! Today I’m going to tell you all about a science fair that I went to at my school at the weekend. There were lots of brilliant, enovative inventions there – I couldn’t believe that the inventors were all teens like us! One of the first things I saw was an adaptbull little gadget that you use to help you build things. It can cut all different kinds of materials, like wood, metal and glass. It isn’t a very hi-tek device, but it is certainly very useful. Then there was a soler-powared machine that you can use to make an alturnative source of energy. You put old newspapers and water into the machine and solid ‘bricks’ of them come out. When they’re dry, you can burn them to keep your house warm. I think that invention is amazing because it produces a cheap, sistenable form of power.

Have you seen or read about any cool inventions recently? Leave a comment below!

1 innovative

2 adaptable

3 high-tech

4 solar-powered

5 alternative

6 sustainable

**2** 1 absorb

2 crash

3 transport

4 repair

5 release

6 rest

7 perform

**3** 1 celebrate

2 celebration(s)

3 celebrities

4 participation

5 participate

6 Participant

7 trainer(s)

8 training

9 supporters

10 support

**4** 1 going, about ✓

2 quite, interested

3 pleased, couldn’t, better

4 let, summarize ✓

5 disappointed, with

6 appeal, slightest

7 great, would

8 now, discuss ✓

2 expresses interest

5 expresses disappointment

6 expresses lack of interest