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Learning intention

- explain the effect of current technology on reading, creating and responding to texts including media texts

Teach and model

- investigating the influence of communicative technologies such as SMS, email and GIFs on written language
- analysing the impact of interactive elements of digital texts on texts such as magazines read in a digital form
- identifying changes in topics considered to be newsworthy as a result of technological change

Check understanding

- Explain the main idea in explain the effect of current technology on reading, creating and... using an example.
- Show the idea in a second way: with words, a model, a diagram or symbols.
- Apply the idea to a short unfamiliar situation and justify the result.

Teaching cautions

- Ask the student to explain their choice, not only state an answer.
- Check that key vocabulary is understood in a new example.
- Mix representations so the skill is transferred rather than copied.

Quick lesson sequence

- Connect to prior knowledge and introduce the key vocabulary.
- Model one clear example, then solve a second example together.
- Finish with an independent check and a short student explanation.