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**Level 5 – 24th July 2023**

## **AI could create thousands of jobs in gaming**

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**Please try Levels 4 and 6. They are (a little) harder.**

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# THE READING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2307/230724-ai-gaming-jobs-5.html>

The rise of artificial intelligence is worrying people in all kinds of industries. The bank Goldman Sachs has reported that AI could replace 300 million jobs worldwide in the next decade. Hollywood actors are on strike demanding safeguards against AI replacing humans. One sector that could benefit from AI is gaming. The boss of a UK games association said AI would mean more games. He said: "AI would reduce the cost of making games and speed up the process. Reducing...development costs means more game studios, and therefore more jobs."

Gaming has greatly advanced because of AI. The co-CEO of a UK games body told the BBC how important AI is for his trade. He said: "The...games industry is always at the cutting edge of technology, so we are already using AI in many areas, including...in-game characters and community management to create even more...engaging experiences for our players." He said AI promises lots of "exciting opportunities for our sector". However, sceptics believe that it is only a matter of time before the bots will take over in gaming.

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# PHRASE MATCHING

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2307/230724-ai-gaming-jobs-5.html>

## PARAGRAPH ONE:

- |                           |                            |
|---------------------------|----------------------------|
| 1. The rise of            | a. association             |
| 2. people in all          | b. 300 million jobs        |
| 3. AI could replace       | c. on strike               |
| 4. in the next            | d. kinds of industries     |
| 5. Hollywood actors are   | e. development costs       |
| 6. One sector that could  | f. decade                  |
| 7. The boss of a UK games | g. benefit from AI         |
| 8. reducing               | h. artificial intelligence |

## PARAGRAPH TWO:

- |                                   |                       |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Gaming has greatly advanced    | a. of time            |
| 2. at the cutting                 | b. management         |
| 3. we are already using AI        | c. over in gaming     |
| 4. community                      | d. in many areas      |
| 5. even more engaging experiences | e. for our sector     |
| 6. lots of exciting opportunities | f. because of AI      |
| 7. it is only a matter            | g. edge of technology |
| 8. the bots will take             | h. for our players    |

# LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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(1) \_\_\_\_\_ artificial intelligence is worrying people in all (2) \_\_\_\_\_. The bank Goldman Sachs has reported that AI could replace 300 million jobs worldwide in the next decade. Hollywood actors (3) \_\_\_\_\_ demanding safeguards against AI replacing humans. (4) \_\_\_\_\_ could benefit from AI is gaming. The boss of a UK games association said AI would mean more games. He said: "AI would (5) \_\_\_\_\_ of making games and speed up the process. (6) \_\_\_\_\_ means more game studios, and therefore more jobs."

Gaming (7) \_\_\_\_\_ because of AI. The co-CEO of a UK games body told the BBC how important AI is (8) \_\_\_\_\_. He said: "The...games industry is always at the (9) \_\_\_\_\_ technology, so we are already using AI in many areas, including...in-game characters and community management (10) \_\_\_\_\_ more...engaging experiences for our players." He said AI promises lots of "exciting opportunities (11) \_\_\_\_\_". However, sceptics believe that it is only a (12) \_\_\_\_\_ before the bots will take over in gaming.

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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# ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/2307/230724-ai-gaming-jobs-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about artificial intelligence in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

- a) \_\_\_\_\_
- b) \_\_\_\_\_
- c) \_\_\_\_\_
- d) \_\_\_\_\_
- e) \_\_\_\_\_
- f) \_\_\_\_\_

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## WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

- a) \_\_\_\_\_
- b) \_\_\_\_\_
- c) \_\_\_\_\_
- d) \_\_\_\_\_
- e) \_\_\_\_\_
- f) \_\_\_\_\_

