



SMART **JUNIORS** **3**

An Email About My Dream Job

Lesson 32

Read for Main Idea

Academic Vocabulary

Read the sentences. Choose the correct definition of each highlighted word.

1. The **artificial intelligence** shows its ability to think like a human.



adj. extremely interested

2. **Innovation** drives progress in technology and society.



n. a computer science that aims to create machines capable of performing tasks that require human intelligence

3. The children were **fascinated** by the magic tricks performed by the magician.



n. creation of valuable ideas, products, or services that significantly drive progress and development

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4. I **envision** a future where technology and nature coexist in a beautiful world.



adj. causing little or no damage to the environment and therefore able to continue for a long time

5. We need to adopt **sustainable** practices to protect our environment.



n. skills in starting new businesses, especially when this involves seeing new opportunities

6. **Entrepreneurship** requires risk-taking, creativity, and a strong drive to succeed.



v. to have a clear and detailed imagination of something that is not yet real

- Daniel's teacher, Professor Lee, wrote to him and asked him some questions. Read Daniel's reply email and think about its main idea.

▶ An Email About My Dream Job

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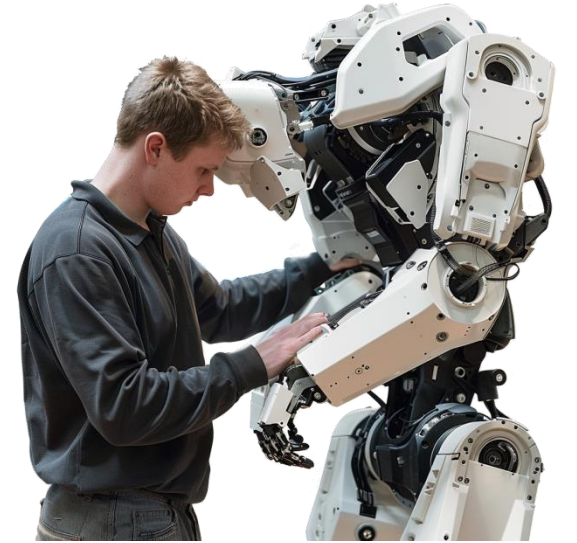
I am writing this email in response to your inquiry about my dream job, the reasons behind my aspiration, and the role model I admire in that particular career.

My interest was sparked by your curiosity, and I am eager to exchange ideas with you.



LISTEN AND READ

- ▶ When asked about my dream job, I **envision** myself working as a software engineer in the field of **artificial intelligence**. Specifically, I am interested in developing intelligent machines that help us solve complex problems. This profession combines my passion for technology, mathematics, and **innovation**, making it an ideal fit for my skills and interests.



- ▶ My aspiration to pursue this dream job is grounded in several reasons. Firstly, the high demand for intelligent systems across various industries offers ample opportunities. Secondly, I am **fascinated** by the challenge of creating machines capable of learning, adapting, and replicating human intelligence. Lastly, I firmly believe that my work in this field has the potential to contribute to the societal advancement of human life.



LISTEN AND READ

- ▶ As for my role model in this career, I admire Elon Musk. Musk's vision for transportation and energy industries is truly inspiring. His innovative spirit and commitment to **sustainable** development serve as an inspiration for me. His achievements not only demonstrate the power of technology, but also highlight the importance of responsible **entrepreneurship** for human well-being.
- ▶ Thank you for initiating this meaningful conversation. I look forward to sharing more of my thoughts and experiences with you in the future.

Best regards,
Daniel



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The Main Idea

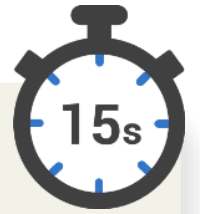
What do you think is the main idea of the email?

- A** The email talks about Daniel's dream job, why he wants to do it, and his role model in this field.
- B** The email talks about Daniel's dream job, why he wants to do it, and his future ambitions.

Identify the Structure

What three things did Professor Lee ask about in his last email to Daniel?

- 1 what Daniel's dream work is
- 2 the reason behind his aspiration
- 3 _____



Paragraph 1

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Identify the Structure

Skim paragraph 2 and identify the two parts.
Complete the main idea of each part.

Part 1:

It responds to Professor Lee's first question: what his dream work is.

Part 2:

It describes _____.

Paragraph 2



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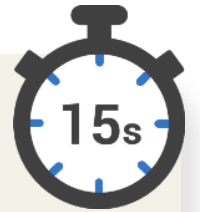
Skim paragraph 3 and do the following.

1. Complete the sentence.

Paragraph 3 responds to Professor Lee's second question: _____.

2. Divide the text with "/" to identify the three reasons.

Paragraph 3



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Identify the Structure

Skim paragraph 4 and do the following.

1. Complete the sentence.

Paragraph 4 responds to Professor Lee's third question: _____.

2. Divide the text with "/" to identify the three supporting details explaining why Daniel admires Elon Musk.

Paragraph 4

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THE WRITING STRUCTURE

- **Now let's go over the structure of a response email.**

A Suitable Greeting,

1 Give the reason why you are writing the email

2 Respond to the first question / Key Point 1

3 Respond to the second question / Key Point 2

4 Respond to the third question / Key Point 3

5 End of the email

Ending Phrase,

Your Name





Academic Vocabulary

artificial intelligence

innovation

fascinated

envision

sustainable

entrepreneurship

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WHAT'S NEXT...

In the next lesson, we are going to discuss the email in detail. See you next time!