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## **Level 3**

### **YouTube has plan to fight online terror**

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# THE ARTICLE

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There are many problems with making the four steps work. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge task to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube each second. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every 10 days. Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to target are not illegal. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video could be used by terrorists in the wrong way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what content breaks its guidelines. A further problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people towards terrorism.

Sources: [https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/morning-mix/wp/2017/06/19/youtubes-announces-plan-to-fight-online-terror-including-making-incendiary-videos-difficult-to-find/?utm\\_term=.91ee3fd1e22b](https://www.washingtonpost.com/news/morning-mix/wp/2017/06/19/youtubes-announces-plan-to-fight-online-terror-including-making-incendiary-videos-difficult-to-find/?utm_term=.91ee3fd1e22b)  
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# WARM-UPS

**1. YOUTUBE:** Students walk around the class and talk to other students about YouTube. Change partners often and share your findings.

**2. CHAT:** In pairs / groups, talk about these topics or words from the article. What will the article say about them? What can you say about these words and your life?

plan / online / terror / videos / devices / first step / vice president / fight / adverts / problems / huge task / monitor / uploaded / one hundred years / software / guidelines

Have a chat about the topics you liked. Change topics and partners frequently.

**3. INTERNET:** Students A **strongly** believe the Internet is important in winning the war on terror; Students B **strongly** believe it isn't. Change partners again and talk about your conversations.

**4. WAR ON TERROR:** How can these things help to win the war on terror? Complete this table with your partner(s). Change partners often and share what you wrote.

	What happens now	What can happen
The Internet		
The UN		
The USA		
Your country		
Religious leaders		
Normal people		

**5. VIDEO:** Spend one minute writing down all of the different words you associate with the word "video". Share your words with your partner(s) and talk about them. Together, put the words into different categories.

**6. WEBSITES:** Rank these with your partner. Put the best websites at the top. Change partners often and share your rankings.

- YouTube
- Twitter
- Amazon
- Google
- eBay
- Facebook
- BBC.com
- Breaking News English

# BEFORE READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

**1. TRUE / FALSE:** Read the headline. Guess if a-h below are true (T) or false (F).

- a. YouTube wants to delete how-to-make-fire-bomb videos. **T / F**
- b. YouTube is owned by Google. **T / F**
- c. Google has six steps to fight online terror. **T / F**
- d. Google wants YouTube to show "anti-terrorism" videos. **T / F**
- e. It is not a problem to check so many videos. **T / F**
- f. One hundred years' of video is uploaded to Google every hour. **T / F**
- g. Many of the videos YouTube are targeting are not illegal. **T / F**
- h. It is not a problem to delete videos that follow YouTube's guidelines. **T / F**

## 2. SYNONYM MATCH:

Match the following synonyms. The words in **bold** are from the news article.

- |                      |                |
|----------------------|----------------|
| <b>1. announced</b>  | a. lethal      |
| <b>2. delete</b>     | b. commercials |
| <b>3. deadly</b>     | c. rules       |
| <b>4. step</b>       | d. very big    |
| <b>5. adverts</b>    | e. reported    |
| <b>6. huge</b>       | f. pick out    |
| <b>7. each</b>       | g. material    |
| <b>8. target</b>     | h. remove      |
| <b>9. guidelines</b> | i. action      |
| <b>10. content</b>   | j. every       |

**3. PHRASE MATCH:** (Sometimes more than one choice is possible.)

- |   |                           |
|---|---------------------------|
| 1. fire-bombs and other deadly            | a. become terrorists      |
| 2. tackle the problem                     | b. wrong way              |
| 3. identify or flag videos that might     | c. many videos            |
| 4. focus on videos that could make people | d. devices                |
| 5. step four is to show "anti-terrorism"  | e. uploaded every 10 days |
| 6. it is a huge task to monitor so        | f. help terrorists        |
| 7. one hundred years' of video is         | g. guidelines             |
| 8. used by terrorists in the              | h. adverts                |
| 9. breaks its                             | i. towards terrorism      |
| 10. content that could turn people        | j. of dangerous videos    |

# GAP FILL

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

YouTube has (1) \_\_\_\_\_ a plan "to fight online terror". One of the things YouTube says it will do is to find (2) \_\_\_\_\_ videos and delete them. This includes videos on how to make fire-bombs and other (3) \_\_\_\_\_ devices. Google, which owns YouTube, announced four things it would do to (4) \_\_\_\_\_ the problem of dangerous videos. Kent Walker, Google's senior vice president, called these things: "Four (5) \_\_\_\_\_ we're taking today to fight online terror." The first step is to ask users to identify or (6) \_\_\_\_\_ videos that might help terrorists. The second step is to remove the videos. The third step is to (7) \_\_\_\_\_ on videos that could make people become terrorists. Finally, step four is to show "anti-terrorism" (8) \_\_\_\_\_.

*deadly*  
*steps*  
*focus*  
*announced*  
*advertises*  
*dangerous*  
*tackle*  
*flag*

There are many problems with making the four steps work. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a (9) \_\_\_\_\_ task to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is (10) \_\_\_\_\_ to YouTube each (11) \_\_\_\_\_. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every 10 days. Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to (12) \_\_\_\_\_ are not illegal. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video could be used by terrorists in the (13) \_\_\_\_\_ way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what (14) \_\_\_\_\_ breaks its guidelines. A (15) \_\_\_\_\_ problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people (16) \_\_\_\_\_ terrorism.

*target*  
*content*  
*huge*  
*towards*  
*wrong*  
*second*  
*further*  
*uploaded*

# LISTENING – Guess the answers. Listen to check.

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

- 1) One of the things YouTube says it will do is to find dangerous videos \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. and delete then
  - b. and delete them
  - c. and delete these
  - d. and delete those
- 2) This includes videos on how to make fire-bombs and \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. another deadly devices
  - b. other deadliest devices
  - c. other deadly devices
  - d. other deadly device
- 3) Four steps we're taking today to fight \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. online terror
  - b. inline terror
  - c. online terrors
  - d. inline terrors
- 4) The third step is to focus on videos that could make people \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. became terrorists
  - b. become terrorists
  - c. becoming terrorists
  - d. becomes terrorists
- 5) Finally, step four is to show "anti-\_\_\_\_\_
  - a. terrorism" advantages
  - b. terrorism" adverts
  - c. terrorism" adverse
  - d. terrorism" adverts
- 6) Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. a hugely task
  - b. a huge tusk
  - c. a huge takes
  - d. a huge task
- 7) Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. each seconds
  - b. each second
  - c. each secondly
  - d. each seconded
- 8) Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to target \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. are not illegally
  - b. are not ill eagle
  - c. are not illegal
  - d. are not illegals
- 9) Google would use software that will learn what content breaks \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. its guidelines
  - b. this guidelines
  - c. that's guidelines
  - d. what's guidelines
- 10) do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people \_\_\_\_\_
  - a. inwards terrorism
  - b. outwards terrorism
  - c. towards terrorism
  - d. untoward terrorism

# LISTENING – Listen and fill in the gaps

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YouTube has announced a plan "to fight online terror".

(1) \_\_\_\_\_ YouTube says it will do is to find dangerous videos and delete them. This includes videos (2) \_\_\_\_\_ fire-bombs and other deadly devices. Google, which owns YouTube, announced four (3) \_\_\_\_\_ to tackle the problem of dangerous videos. Kent Walker, Google's senior vice president, (4) \_\_\_\_\_: "Four steps we're taking today to fight online terror." The first step is to ask users to identify or flag videos (5) \_\_\_\_\_ terrorists. The second step is to remove the videos. The third step is to focus on videos that could make people become terrorists. Finally, step (6) \_\_\_\_\_ "anti-terrorism" adverts.

There are many problems with making (7) \_\_\_\_\_. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge task to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over (8) \_\_\_\_\_ video is uploaded to YouTube each second. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every 10 days. Another problem (9) \_\_\_\_\_ the videos Google wants to target are not illegal. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video (10) \_\_\_\_\_ terrorists in the wrong way. Walker said Google would use software that (11) \_\_\_\_\_ content breaks its guidelines. A further problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content (12) \_\_\_\_\_ people towards terrorism.

# COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

1. What does YouTube want to find?
2. Which company owns YouTube?
3. How many steps are in YouTube's plan to fight online terror?
4. What is the second step of YouTube's plan?
5. What kind of adverts does YouTube want to show?
6. What kind of task is it to monitor so many videos?
7. How often is one hour of video uploaded to YouTube?
8. How much video is uploaded every 10 days?
9. What could be used in the wrong way by terrorists?
10. What might some video content break?



# MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

- 1) What does YouTube want to find?
  - a) deadly devices
  - b) dangerous videos
  - c) plans
  - d) fire-bombs
- 2) Which company owns YouTube?
  - a) Facebook
  - b) Amazon
  - c) Apple
  - d) Google
- 3) How many steps are in YouTube's plan to fight online terror?
  - a) 2
  - b) 3
  - c) 4
  - d) 5
- 4) What is the second step of YouTube's plan?
  - a) remove the videos
  - b) go to the police
  - c) find the people
  - d) ban the YouTube user
- 5) What kind of adverts does YouTube want to show?
  - a) shopping adverts
  - b) anti-terrorism adverts
  - c) religious adverts
  - d) Google ads
- 6) What kind of task is it to monitor so many videos?
  - a) a huge task
  - b) a necessary task
  - c) an important task
  - d) an easy task
- 7) How often is one hour of video uploaded to YouTube?
  - a) every hour
  - b) every minute
  - c) every second
  - d) every 3 seconds
- 8) How much video is uploaded every 10 days?
  - a) one hundred years' of video
  - b) a thousand years' of video
  - c) twenty-five years' of video
  - d) three years' of video
- 9) What could be used in the wrong way by terrorists?
  - a) software
  - b) problems
  - c) the wrong way
  - d) BBC news video
- 10) What might some video content break?
  - a) barriers
  - b) laws
  - c) YouTube guidelines
  - d) problems

# ROLE PLAY

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

## **Role A – YouTube**

You think YouTube is the best website. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their websites. Also, tell the others which is the worst of these (and why): Google, Facebook or Twitter.

## **Role B – Google**

You think Google is the best website. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their websites. Also, tell the others which is the worst of these (and why): YouTube, Facebook or Twitter.

## **Role C – Facebook**

You think Facebook is the best website. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their websites. Also, tell the others which is the worst of these (and why): Google, YouTube or Twitter.

## **Role D – Twitter**

You think Twitter is the best website. Tell the others three reasons why. Tell them what is wrong with their websites. Also, tell the others which is the worst of these (and why): Google, Facebook or YouTube.

# AFTER READING / LISTENING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

**1. WORD SEARCH:** Look in your dictionary / computer to find collocates, other meanings, information, synonyms ... for the words 'online' and 'terror'.

<b>online</b>	<b>terror</b>
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- Share your findings with your partners.
- Make questions using the words you found.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

**2. ARTICLE QUESTIONS:** Look back at the article and write down some questions you would like to ask the class about the text.

- Share your questions with other classmates / groups.
- Ask your partner / group your questions.

**3. GAP FILL:** In pairs / groups, compare your answers to this exercise. Check your answers. Talk about the words from the activity. Were they new, interesting, worth learning...?

**4. VOCABULARY:** Circle any words you do not understand. In groups, pool unknown words and use dictionaries to find their meanings.

**5. TEST EACH OTHER:** Look at the words below. With your partner, try to recall how they were used in the text:

<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• plan</li><li>• other</li><li>• owns</li><li>• tackle</li><li>• today</li><li>• third</li></ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• problems</li><li>• huge</li><li>• hour</li><li>• 10</li><li>• wrong</li><li>• turn</li></ul>
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# YOUTUBE SURVEY

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

Write five GOOD questions about YouTube 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.

# YOUTUBE DISCUSSION

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. What did you think when you read the headline?
2. What images are in your mind when you hear the word 'terrorism'?
3. How well will YouTube's plan work?
4. How can you fight online terror?
5. What's the best way to keep bad videos off YouTube?
6. What steps is YouTube taking to fight online terror?
7. How useful is the Internet to terrorists?
8. What should happen to people who upload terrorist videos?
9. What difficulties are there finding dangerous videos?
10. How well will 'anti-terrorism' adverts work?

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# YOUTUBE DISCUSSION

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

11. Did you like reading this article? Why/not?
12. What do you think of when you hear the word 'video'?
13. What do you think about what you read?
14. How important is YouTube to you?
15. How can people fight against terrorism online?
16. What do you think of the number of videos on YouTube?
17. How could terrorists use BBC news videos?
18. Do you think the software will find terrorist videos?
19. What's the best way to fight terrorism?
20. What questions would you like to ask the boss of YouTube?

# DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT A's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student B)

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

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# DISCUSSION (Write your own questions)

STUDENT B's QUESTIONS (Do not show these to student A)

1. \_\_\_\_\_
2. \_\_\_\_\_
3. \_\_\_\_\_
4. \_\_\_\_\_
5. \_\_\_\_\_
6. \_\_\_\_\_

# LANGUAGE - CLOZE

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

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There are many problems with making the four steps (7) \_\_\_\_\_. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge (8) \_\_\_\_\_ to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube each second. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video (9) \_\_\_\_\_ uploaded every 10 days. Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to target are not illegal. Mr Walker said (10) \_\_\_\_\_ a BBC news video could be used by terrorists in the wrong way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what content breaks (11) \_\_\_\_\_ guidelines. A further problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could (12) \_\_\_\_\_ people towards terrorism.

## Put the correct words from the table below in the above article.

- |     |                |            |            |           |
|-----|----------------|------------|------------|-----------|
| 1.  | (a) thinks     | (b) thing  | (c) things | (d) think |
| 2.  | (a) do         | (b) have   | (c) take   | (d) get   |
| 3.  | (a) on         | (b) at     | (c) of     | (d) in    |
| 4.  | (a) tackle     | (b) drop   | (c) scrum  | (d) save  |
| 5.  | (a) poster     | (b) flag   | (c) banner | (d) flier |
| 6.  | (a) being      | (b) are    | (c) be     | (d) is    |
| 7.  | (a) give       | (b) try    | (c) work   | (d) have  |
| 8.  | (a) ticks      | (b) tsk    | (c) tusk   | (d) task  |
| 9.  | (a) is         | (b) being  | (c) are    | (d) be    |
| 10. | (a) eventually | (b) even   | (c) ever   | (d) every |
| 11. | (a) it         | (b) its    | (c) it's   | (d) ifs   |
| 12. | (a) twist      | (b) swerve | (c) turn   | (d) lever |

# SPELLING

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

## Paragraph 1

1. YouTube has nnduecona a plan
2. find sdangeuor videos
3. other deadly veiscde
4. iidnyeft or flag videos
5. ermevo the videos
6. show "anti-terrorism" trsadve

## Paragraph 2

7. a huge task to ntoorm
8. one hour of video is dopadlue
9. videos Google wants to target are not glliael
10. what content breaks its disginelue
11. A uertrhf problem
12. turn people dtoasrw terrorism



# PUT THE TEXT BACK TOGETHER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

**Number these lines in the correct order.**

- ( **1** ) YouTube has announced a plan "to fight online terror". One of the things YouTube says it will do is to find dangerous
- ( ) help terrorists. The second step is to remove the videos. The third step is to focus
- ( ) of dangerous videos. Kent Walker, Google's senior vice president, called these things: "Four steps we're taking
- ( ) task to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube each
- ( ) There are many problems with making the four steps work. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge
- ( ) today to fight online terror." The first step is to ask users to identify or flag videos that might
- ( ) way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what content breaks its guidelines. A further problem is how
- ( ) on videos that could make people become terrorists. Finally, step four is to show "anti-terrorism" adverts.
- ( ) 10 days. Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to target are not
- ( ) to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people towards terrorism.
- ( ) deadly devices. Google, which owns YouTube, announced four things it would do to tackle the problem
- ( ) illegal. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video could be used by terrorists in the wrong
- ( ) second. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every
- ( ) videos and delete them. This includes videos on how to make fire-bombs and other

# PUT THE WORDS IN THE RIGHT ORDER

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

1. of it the will things do YouTube One says .
2. fire- This on make bombs videos to includes how .
3. terror today Four to steps fight we're online taking .
4. people terrorists that make become Videos could .
5. is terrorism' to advertises show step 'anti- four Finally , .
6. making steps are with four There problems the work many .
7. so monitor to task huge a is It YouTube on videos many .
8. wants to target are Google illegal of videos not Many the .
9. content that breaks will its learn guidelines what Software .
10. guidelines YouTube's break not do that videos Delete .

# CIRCLE THE CORRECT WORD (20 PAIRS)

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

YouTube has announced a plan "to fight online terror". One of *the / them* things YouTube says it will do is *to / too* find dangerous videos and delete them. This includes videos *in / on* how to make fire-bombs and other *deadly / dead* devices. Google, which owns YouTube, announced four things it would do to *trickle / tackle* the problem of dangerous videos. Kent Walker, Google's senior vice president, *called / calling* these things: "Four steps we're taking today to fight online terror." The first step is to *ask / question* users to identify or *flag / fade* videos that might help terrorists. The second step is to *remove / removal* the videos. The third step is to focus on videos that could make people become terrorists. Finally, step four is to *shown / show* "anti-terrorism" adverts.

There are many problems *with / within* making the four steps work. Perhaps the biggest problem is *what / that* it is a huge task to monitor *such / so* many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube each *seconds / second*. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded *every / all* 10 days. Another problem is that *many / much* of the videos Google wants to target are not *legally / illegal*. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video could *be / been* used by terrorists in the wrong way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what content *breaks / broken* its guidelines. A further problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could *turn / twist* people towards terrorism.

**Talk about the connection between each pair of words in italics, and why the correct word is correct.**

# INSERT THE VOWELS (a, e, i, o, u)

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

Y\_\_T\_\_b\_\_ h\_\_s\_\_ \_nn\_\_nc\_d\_\_ \_ pl\_n "t\_\_ f\_ght\_\_ \_nl\_n\_\_  
t\_\_rr\_r". \_n\_\_ \_f th\_\_ th\_ngs Y\_\_T\_\_b\_\_ s\_\_ys\_\_ t\_\_w\_\_ll\_\_d\_\_ \_s\_\_  
t\_\_ f\_\_nd\_\_ d\_\_ng\_\_r\_\_s\_\_ v\_\_d\_\_s\_\_ \_nd\_\_ d\_\_l\_\_t\_\_ th\_\_m. Th\_\_s\_\_  
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# PUNCTUATE THE TEXT AND ADD CAPITALS

From <http://www.BreakingNewsEnglish.com/1706/170621-youtube.html>

youtube has announced a plan "to fight online terror" one of the things youtube says it will do is to find dangerous videos and delete them this includes videos on how to make fire-bombs and other deadly devices google which owns youtube announced four things it would do to tackle the problem of dangerous videos kent walker google's senior vice president called these things "four steps we're taking today to fight online terror" the first step is to ask users to identify or flag videos that might help terrorists the second step is to remove the videos the third step is to focus on videos that could make people become terrorists finally step four is to show "anti-terrorism" adverts there are many problems with making the four steps work perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge task to monitor so many videos on youtube over one hour of video is uploaded to youtube each second the advertising company adweek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every 10 days another problem is that many of the videos google wants to target are not illegal mr walker said even a bbc news video could be used by terrorists in the wrong way walker said google would use software that will learn what content breaks its guidelines a further problem is how to delete videos that do not break youtube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people towards terrorism

# PUT A SLASH ( / ) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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YouTube has announced a plan "to fight online terror". One of the things YouTube says it will do is to find dangerous videos and delete them. This includes videos on how to make fire-bombs and other deadly devices. Google, which owns YouTube, announced four things it would do to tackle the problem of dangerous videos. Kent Walker, Google's senior vice president, called these things: "Four steps we're taking today to fight online terror." The first step is to ask users to identify or flag videos that might help terrorists. The second step is to remove the videos. The third step is to focus on videos that could make people become terrorists. Finally, step four is to show "anti-terrorism" adverts. There are many problems with making the four steps work. Perhaps the biggest problem is that it is a huge task to monitor so many videos on YouTube. Over one hour of video is uploaded to YouTube each second. The advertising company AdWeek said one hundred years' of video is uploaded every 10 days. Another problem is that many of the videos Google wants to target are not illegal. Mr Walker said even a BBC news video could be used by terrorists in the wrong way. Walker said Google would use software that will learn what content breaks its guidelines. A further problem is how to delete videos that do not break YouTube's guidelines but still have content that could turn people toward terrorism.







# HOMework

**1. VOCABULARY EXTENSION:** Choose several of the words from the text. Use a dictionary or Google's search field (or another search engine) to build up more associations / collocations of each word.

**2. INTERNET:** Search the Internet and find out more about this story. Share what you discover with your partner(s) in the next lesson.

**3. YOUTUBE:** Make a poster about YouTube. Show your work to your classmates in the next lesson. Did you all have similar things?

**4. FIGHTING ONLINE TERROR:** Write a magazine article about YouTube fighting online terror. Can YouTube stop dangerous videos being uploaded? Include imaginary interviews with people who think they can be stopped and with people who don't think they can be stopped.

Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Write down any new words and expressions you hear from your partner(s).

**5. WHAT HAPPENED NEXT?** Write a newspaper article about the next stage in this news story. Read what you wrote to your classmates in the next lesson. Give each other feedback on your articles.

**6. LETTER:** Write a letter to an expert on online terror. Ask him/her three questions about it. Give him/her three of your ideas on how to stop online terror. Read your letter to your partner(s) in your next lesson. Your partner(s) will answer your questions.

# ANSWERS

## TRUE / FALSE (p.4)

a T    b T    c F    d T    e F    f F    g T    h F

## SYNONYM MATCH (p.4)

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|---------------|----------------|
| 1. announced  | a. reported    |
| 2. delete     | b. remove      |
| 3. deadly     | c. lethal      |
| 4. step       | d. action      |
| 5. adverts    | e. commercials |
| 6. huge       | f. very big    |
| 7. each       | g. every       |
| 8. target     | h. pick out    |
| 9. guidelines | i. rules       |
| 10. content   | j. material    |

## COMPREHENSION QUESTIONS (p.8)

1. Dangerous videos
2. Google
3. Four
4. Delete the videos
5. Anti-terrorism adverts
6. A huge task
7. Every second
8. 100 years' of video
9. BBC news video
10. YouTube guidelines

## MULTIPLE CHOICE - QUIZ (p.9)

1. b    2. d    3. c    4. a    5. b    6. a    7. c    8. a    9. d    10. c

## ALL OTHER EXERCISES

Please check for yourself by looking at the Article on page 2.  
(It's good for your English ;-)