

Answer key

Ex.2 Give examples of each word where necessary. Students can work in pairs and then check with the teacher.

1. b 2. a 3. f 4. d 5. h 6. g 7. c 8. e

Ex. 3- Reading

1. T

2. F - Facebook has secretly been working on technology that will let people type just by thinking.

3. F - People may not realise that this is happening.

4. T

5. F - Companies already use this technology, (called brain imaging), to help with marketing.

6. F - The article does not mention anything about whether people believe if computers are capable of reading our minds.

Ex. 4 - Checking understanding

1. The right to mental privacy and the right of humans to control their own mental processes.

2. Whether they are right-wing or left-wing.

3. He was able to move his arm and feed himself.

4. It will be useful to assess whether a criminal will re-offend.

5. Brain decoders can turn data into images, text or sound.

Ex.5- Find the words

1. under threat 2. unprecedented opportunities

3. academics 4. interfered with

5. desired 6. the last refuge

7. inching ever closer

Ex. 6- Prefixes

1. d 2. c 3. e 4. b 5. f 6. a

Prefix examples in the text: neuro-: neurotechnology; neuromarketing; bio-: biomedical; de-: delete, deletion, decoders; proto-: prototype; co: co-author; re: re-offending