

Inventions and patents



Video: where good ideas come from



Hunch:

Breakthrough:

Over whelmed:

Borrow:

To mingle:

To swap:



Tim Berners-Lee is the inventor of the World Wide Web. He created a new computer language called HTML which must web pages are written in.

Switch on

- a) What's the purpose of each device?
- b) What problem do these devices attempt to solve
- c) What are their strengths and weaknesses?









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Vocabulary in action

Match the words and their definition

An invention	a government grant to an inventor assuring him the sole right to make, use, and sell his invention for a limited period
A discovery	the name or other symbol used to identify the goods produced by a particular manufacturer or distributed by a particular dealer and to distinguish them from products associated with competing manufacturers or dealers. A trademark that has been officially registered and is therefore legally protected is known as a Registered Trademark
A patent	the exclusive right to produce copies and to control an original literary, musical, or artistic work, granted by law for a specified number of years (in Britain, usually 70 years from the death of the author, composer, etc., or from the date of publication if later).
A trademark	something seen or learned for the first time
A copyright	a new product or process that is both useful and is not obvious to persons skilled in the particular field.

Inventions and Inventors

Link the inventions with the name of their inventors:

Gabriel Fahrenheit		paper Double cits	A new method to prepare coffee and the filter
Alessandro Volta			Slices of bread with meat, cheese,
George Eastman		A B C D	For the blind
Louis Braille			Camera with a film
Levi Strauss		t annual	The battery
Earl of Sandwich			The blue Jeans
Melitta Bentz		The state of the s	The thermometer with mercury and the unit of temperatures

Can you think about other examples of inventions linked with the name of their inventor?