

Unit 6 Writing quiz

A Read the ad about an auto show.

A N N U A L
AUTO SHOW

Come to the auto show to see what cars of the future will look like.

This year's auto show will have 20 new futuristic cars.

These cars include:

- a car that runs on air and doesn't cause any pollution
- a car that runs entirely on electricity
- an SUV (Sport Utility Vehicle) that fits eight people comfortably
- a car that is made from recycled materials
- a car that is very light and fast



B Write a paragraph describing what you think cars of the future will be like. Use some of the ideas in Part A and / or your own ideas.

Make sure that you:

- Include a topic sentence that tells what you think cars of the future will be like.
- Include supporting sentences that give reasons, examples, or explanations to support the main idea.
- Include a concluding sentence that summarizes the paragraph.
- Use modal verbs (*will, may, might, could*) to show how certain you are.

Sample Answer

Cars of the future will be better for the environment. Many car manufacturers are already making cars that are better for the environment than cars in the past, and this trend will certainly continue. Cars of the future will likely cause little or no pollution. Some cars today run on gas and electricity. Cars will eventually all run only on electricity, causing less pollution. In addition, SUVs will comfortably fit more people. Right now, up to seven people can fit in an SUV, but it isn't always a comfortable ride. It can also be difficult to get in and out of the back seats. Companies will create new designs that allow up to eight people to ride comfortably in an SUV. As a result, people will likely travel in larger groups, meaning there will be fewer cars on the road. No one knows for sure exactly what cars will be like in the future, but it is reassuring to know that they will eventually be better for the environment.