

Grammar in Real Life 3

Larry is reading a news article. Complete the article with the correct words in brackets.

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Smartphone Causes Car Accident

By Joseph Lee, Hong Kong

(1) _____ (A / An) eight-year-old boy who was busy tapping his smartphone on the street was knocked down by (2) _____ (the / a) minibus in Mong Kok yesterday.

It happened in the morning when Chan, who is (3) _____ (a / an) student of (4) _____ (the / X) Real Light College, walked to school as usual.

Chan was playing (5) _____ (a / the) mini game on the phone when he was crossing (6) _____ (the / X) Nathan Road. He paid (7) _____ (any / no) attention to the red light. At the same (8) _____ (time / times), (9) _____ (there was / there is) a minibus nearby. When the driver saw the boy, it was too late for him to stop (10) _____ (a / the) minibus. It knocked him down and he fainted.

The driver called the (11) _____ (police / polices) at once and Chan was sent to hospital. Luckily the injured boy woke up (12) _____ (a / an) hour later after being transfused a (13) _____ (packet / tin) of blood.

Sergeant Ken Wu warned that everyone should develop (14) _____ (a / an) awareness of road safety.

'Nowadays, (15) _____ (many / much) parents buy their children smartphones with (16) _____ (a lot of / few) functions. They should give their children (17) _____ (advice / advices) of when to use a smartphone,' he said.



Smartphones are the main communication tools.