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## PROGRAMMA DI LINGUA INGLESE

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**LIBRO DI TESTO 1: ENGAGE! 2, Student's book and workbook, + Language mind maps**, M. Berlis, J. Bowie, H. Jones, Edizioni Pearson Longman

### Unit 6 – State of the arts

**Grammar** - Modals of deduction (Present/Past); question tags

**Vocabulary** - Art job; Events, Places, Environmental art, Art movements

**Functions** - Expressing reasons and opinions; Describing artists, paintings, sculptures and installations - Expressing agreement and contradicting; Making deductions about the present and the past

**Culture** - London's museums

### Unit 7 – Media matters

**Grammar** - The passive; Reflexive pronouns

**Vocabulary** - Mass media; Broadcast media; Media and communication

**Functions** - Describing processes: explaining the stages; Asking for information; Showing understanding and lack of understanding

### Unit 8 – Shop till you drop

**Grammar** - Zero and First conditionals; Second conditional; If I were you...; I wish/If only

**Vocabulary** - Money and shopping; Spending habits; Saving habits; A new type of shopping; Teen shopping habits; The end of consumerism?; Advertising

**Functions** - Making choices; Discussing and giving reasons against options; Justifying choices; Giving up and coming to a decision

**Culture** – “Breakfast at Tiffany's”(1958) (an extract) by Truman Capote; Department stores in the UK and the US

**LIBRO DI TESTO 2: ICT Information Communication Technology**, Alessandra Rebecchi, Elisa Cavalli, Roberto Cabras, Trinity Whitebridge:

### Unit 1 - “Hardware, bits and codes”:

- Computer architecture – **Alan Turing** and “Intelligent Machines”;

- History of computers – The first calculators such as “Napier's bones”; **Blaise Pascal's** “Pascaline Digital Adding Machine”;

**Charles Babbage**, the father of computing; **Herman Lollerith** and The Tabulating Machine Company, later IBM; **John Presper Eckert and John Mauchly** and ENIAC.

**Steve Jobs** and Apple; Macintosh; **Bill Gates** and Microsoft; Windows

- Where are computers used?;

- The CPU and **Federico Faggin**

- The Motherboard

- Memory
- Bits and codes; Binary codes

### **Unit 2 – “Input, output and storage devices”**

- Types of computers
- The computer system

#### **Appendix:**

- **Safety at the time of the Industrial Revolution in England** and hints to Charles Dickens and his works such as “A Christmas Carol”
- **Ada Lovelace (Augusta Ada Byron countess of Lovelace)**, the first computer programmer (**Babbage and the Analytical Engine**)
- **Steve Jobs** the adoption and his life experiences

#### **Research: The Silicon Valley**

Il programma è stato condiviso con gli alunni

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