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DESIGN I

- 22.1 Section B of the unit contains verbs, phrases and idiomatic expressions for describing timelines and sequences of events. Fill the table below with those from the text, and then add any other that you know of.

appearing	coming before	happening at the same time	coming after
crop up with the advent of emergence	precede	during running parallel co-exist	hot on the heels of

- 22.2 The Industrial Revolution brought changes not only to the English society, but also to its language. Look at the idioms inspired by technological advancement and explain their meaning in your own words. Use the sentence context to help you.

1. We hope that the economy will **pick up steam** again in the next quarter. [also: **build up/gather steam**]

to go faster; to accelerate; to improve

2. To **let off steam**, I like to brew some tea and enjoy a good documentary after work. [also: **blow off steam**]

to relax; to wind down

3. I'm afraid I can't help you right now. It's late in the day and I've **run out of steam**.

I'm tired / exhausted

4. I'm not authorized to do that. I'm just a small **cog in the machine** at this company.

I am of little significance or importance

5. Everything about this exhibition has to work like a **well-oiled machine**. The artifacts on display are priceless!

work perfectly and smoothly, without any errors, accidents or issues

6. His latest paper on restoration techniques for parchment is **at the cutting edge of** conservation science.

at the forefront of; it's leading

- 22.3 Students' own answers (based on the video story).

Follow-up

22.4 *Students' own answers (based on the "fantasy dinner party" game).*

+ Appendix IV

UNIT 22	
artisan	zanatlija, majstor
artistry	umešnost
bookbinding	knjigovezanje
consumer society	potrošačko društvo
crave	žudeti (za nečim); žarko nešto želeti
demand	potražnja
device	uređaj; sprava
durability	trajnost
flamboyant	slikovit; kitnjast
hub	središte; čvorište; glavna tačka
mass production	masovna proizvodnja
omnipresence	sveprisutnost
ornate	ukrašen
pervade	prožimati; obuzimati; protkati
prototype	prototip
streamlined	unapređen; aerodinamičan
subculture	potkultura
subvert	podriti; srušiti
tableware	pribor za jelo
workings	rad; izrada; obrada; pravljenje