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IF I COULD INVENT SOMETHING NEW

I have always liked watching documentaries on Television which has to do with nature since I was a child. Whenever I watched these documentaries, I feel amazed at all the beautiful things God created in His awe-inspiring power. I feel glad that God created all these plants and animals for the benefit of mankind. Many diseases have been cured through the making of vaccines and drugs. Some scientists also have invented some equipment/machines by imitating some animals such as butterflies and birds to invest an aeroplane.

What amazed me the most of nature are the earth's five largest oceans which includes the Pacific, Atlantic, Indian, Antarctic and Arctic oceans. The Pacific Ocean which is the largest and deepest among the five oceans occupied an area of 165.2 million km², has an average depth of 4,280m and covers more than 30% of the earth's surface. It also has some rare animals which can only be found in it such as Harbour, Porpoise, Sea Otter, Nudibranch and Sea Star.

Due to its depth, no one has ever explored the entire bottom of the ocean known as the Mariana Trench. Although, some explorers have tried to explore to reach the Mariana Trench but they failed. Some scientists believed that it might be due to the dangerous sea animals which are yet to be discovered at the Mariana Trench and research is still ongoing to get to the Mariana Trench.

If I could invent something new, I would invent a robotic fish that would reach the Mariana Trench for us to be able to have some knowledges about the creatures that beneath the bottom of the Pacific Ocean. The robotic fish shall be modelled in form of a fish so as to reaches the Mariana Trench. I will need to give some of the real features of the fish so it does not pose a threat to the other sea animals. We can use the eyes to serve as a camera for us to capture what it sees and in order not to allow water to damage the body and our camera. I will make the camera of waterproof lens and make the robotic fish a light weight for it not to sink. A system would be put in place to control and view the movement of robotic fish in the water.

I believe inventing a robotic fish will really serve a great purpose to the whole world not only by discovering new animals but also use some of the things discovered to invest other useful things to benefit we humans. It can also make us know whether mermaid exists or not.