

LISTENING

EXAM SKILLS

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Listen to Jane and Bill, who are discussing the results of a survey about changes to their town, Ashtown, over the last 25 years, and choose the correct answer, A, B or C.

- 1 In Bill's opinion, why are there fewer buses in Ashtown?
A The buses are old and uncomfortable.
B Fares have gone up too much.
C There are not so many routes.
- 2 What change does Bill think has benefited the town centre the most?
A the construction of a bypass
B the development of cycle paths
C the banning of cars from certain areas
- 3 Which area does Bill think most people are employed in?
A manufacturing
B services
C education

What changes have been made to the facilities? Choose FIVE answers from the box and write the correct letter, A–G, next to facilities 4–8.

Action

- A it has moved to a new location
- B it is now used for a different purpose
- C it uses more technology than in the past
- D it has been closed down
- E it is less popular than it used to be
- F it has been sold to a different organisation
- G it has been expanded

Facilities

- 4 railway station car park
- 5 cinema
- 6 indoor market
- 7 library
- 8 art college