

Listening Ex. > Neighbors Caring for the Environment



A. Listen to a conversation between two friends talking about the woman's neighbors and their ways to protect the environment. Choose the answer (a-d) that best answers each question.

- How does Julie feel in her new place?
 - She feels a bit unhappy.
 - She is tired of unpacking.
 - She feels worried about her neighbors.
 - She feels contented.
- What is Julie's opinion about her new neighbors?
 - They are happy but radical in their thoughts about the environment.
 - They are calm but passionate about defending the environment.
 - They are nice and helpful with the environment.
 - They are cordial but intense about protecting the environment.
- Where do Julie's neighbors place their mini turbine?
 - In the roof
 - In the garden
 - In the garage
 - Inside the house
- What are Julie's neighbors passionate about?
 - They are enthusiastic about converting waste into reusable material.
 - They show passion for adopting modern technology at home.
 - They are keen on buying different recycling bins.
 - They love using old and new types of energy at home.
- Why was Julie almost late to work?
 - She enjoyed talking to her neighbors.
 - Her neighbors talked for long time.
 - She got up two hours late.
 - She didn't realize about the time.
- According to Julie's neighbors, what is causing the destruction of the ozone layer?
 - the changes in the atmosphere
 - the increase of temperature
 - the increase of CO₂
 - the rise of sea levels
- Does Julie's friend like her neighbors' ideas?
 - Totally disagree
 - Totally agree
 - Partially disagree
 - Partially agree
- How many times had Julie talked to her neighbors before?
 - few times
 - many times
 - never
 - once
- What other problems were discussed by Julie's neighbors?
 - Habitat loss, trees absorbing CO₂, and fossil fuels use
 - Deforestation, CO₂ effects, and fossil fuels use.
 - Habitat loss, deforestation, and the use of gas.
 - Deforestation, few trees to absorb CO₂, and use of gas



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