

LISTENING TIME

Listen to an interview about the future of humans and technology.

PART A

Listen and choose the correct option (A,B,C OR D) write the letter in the space done.

1. What do transhumanists believe about technology? _____

- A. It should replace all humans immediately.
- B. It can help improve the human body and mind.
- C. It should only be used for entertainment.
- D. It will make people weaker.

2. According to Dr Gray, what might humans do in the future? _____

- A. Stop using computers.
- B. Upload their minds into computers.
- C. Live without technology.
- D. Return to a completely natural lifestyle.

3. What is the Singularity? _____

- A. The moment when humans stop ageing.
- B. A new type of robotic body.
- C. The moment when AI becomes smarter than humans.
- D. A machine that connects people to the internet.



4. What concern does Dr Gray mention about advanced technology? _____

- A. Technology will definitely disappear.
- B. Only animals will use AI.
- C. Social inequality could increase if only rich people can upgrade themselves.
- D. People will no longer need medicine.

5. What does Dr Gray think about the future? _____

- A. Humans will certainly become full posthumans soon.
- B. We may see more technological changes, but we need to stay in control.
- C. Technology will not change human life.
- D. AI will never become more intelligent.

PART B

Listen again and complete the blanks with the missing words (you must write one or two words)



1. Transhumanists believe that technology can improve the human _____ and mind.
2. Some people believe humans may one day upload their _____ into computers.
3. Humans who have been greatly changed by technology are sometimes called _____.
4. One concern is that only _____ people may be able to upgrade their bodies.
5. The Singularity is the moment when artificial intelligence becomes _____ than humans.