

LISTEN TO THE RECORDING

TASK 1. Listen to five conversations. Circle the correct option a, b or c.

- 1 What is the city trying to improve?
A The air.
B The parking.
C The cycle lanes.
- 2 Why won't Nico buy an electric motorbike yet?
A The speed.
B The sound.
C The cost.
- 3 What interested Jess the most about Melbourne?
A A journey on a tram.
B A visit to a theatre.
C The food in the market.
- 4 How does Maggie feel about her new journey to work?
A More stressed than before.
B The same as before.
C Less stressed than before.
- 5 What don't the children agree about?
A The Tube.
B The old buses.
C The café.

TASK 2. You are going to listen to a report about musician Daniel Barenboim. Complete sentences 1-7 with **no more than two words** in each gap. 0 is the example.

A Musician for Peace

0 *Daniel Barenboim was born in Argentina in 1942 to Russian Jewish parents.*

- 1 He started playing _____ when he was a young child.
- 2 He played publicly for the first time in the year _____ when he was just ten years old, then switched to conducting.
- 3 Edward Said was a writer and _____ from the country of Palestine.
- 4 They worked with young musicians, who were helped by top _____ to make music.
- 5 They chose Weimar because it has a rich _____.
- 6 The group found a _____ in the town of Seville.
- 7 Each summer, they have a workshop and they give _____, including one in Palestine in _____.