WHO'S WATCHING YOU?



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1 Warm up

Look at the pictures and discuss the questions in pairs or small groups.





1. The Internet is sometimes called the information highway. What does this name mean to you? Why?
2. How do you think governments control the Internet or other communication technologies?
3. Why do you think governments want to have this control?

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2 Focus on vocabulary

Part A: Match the vocabulary to the definitions.

1.	spy on (v)	a.	a system of government of a country in which one person has complete power
2.	enable (v)	b.	involving two political parties
3.	license (n)	c.	beliefs about what is right or wrong, or what is important
4.	bipartisan (adj.)	d.	to secretly watch someone or something
5.	values (n)	e.	to make it possible for someone to do something
6.	autocracy (n)	f.	a system of government in which the people of a country can vote to elect their representatives
7.	democracy (n)	g.	freedom to do or say whatever you want, often something bad or unacceptable

Part B: Now complete the following sentences with a word from Part A.

1. Lack of response may make criminals believe they have _____ to continue their crimes.
2. In some countries, it is not illegal for the government to _____ people. Anyone can be watched in secret at any time.
3. My father did not want to live in an _____. He thought people should have the right to vote and choose their government.
4. This device will _____ you to hide your location when you are using your cell phone.
5. The right to vote is one thing that is necessary in order to have a _____.
6. Most laws do not have _____ support, but those that do are often very popular because the opinions of both political parties are represented.
7. He doesn't want to work for a company that watches its employees' social media accounts because it doesn't reflect his _____.

Now, discuss the questions below.

1. What are the alternatives to governments?
2. Are you happy with the government of your country?
3. What do you think of the governments in America and China?

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