

Help the boy to sound more formal with the seller. Use the phrases to change them into indirect questions



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1. Which is your cheapest car?  
(1. Can you tell me)
  2. What model is it?  
(2. I'd like to know)
  3. Does it use a lot of gasoline?  
(3. I was wondering)
  4. How many owners has it had?  
(4. Do you know)
  5. Are all the taxes paid?  
(5. I need to know)
  6. Can I pay in two parts?  
(6. Can I ask)
  7. Do you have a «bocho»?  
(7. Do you remember)
  8. Is there a black one?  
(8. Can you tell me)

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2. \_\_\_\_\_

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7. \_\_\_\_\_?

8. \_\_\_\_\_?

## Travel in 2046 — A Glimpse into the Future



In two decades, the way we travel will be undergoing remarkable transformations. While some of us will still be flying on commercial jets, many will be **commuting** in electric

vertical takeoff and landing vehicles (eVTOLs) over congested city traffic. Across continents, hyperloop networks will be connecting major cities at speeds exceeding 1,000 km/h, meaning passengers will be traveling from Madrid to Barcelona in about 30 minutes.

Sustainability **will be driving** most innovations. Long-haul flights will be running on green hydrogen, and smart highways will be charging electric vehicles as they drive. Tourists won't be carrying paper passports either; biometric digital IDs **will be streamlining** border controls worldwide.

Moreover, the travel experience itself will be becoming highly personalized. AI travel assistants **will be curating** real-time itineraries based on your mood and interests. When you arrive at your destination, augmented reality glasses **will be overlaying** historical facts and navigation cues onto your field of vision. In remote locations, eco-domes will be offering luxurious **yet zero-impact** accommodations.

By 2046, we will be exploring not only Earth but also the edges of space. Several companies will be operating suborbital flights, allowing civilians to experience weightlessness and view the curvature of the Earth. Whether for work, adventure, or relaxation, travel in the future will be blending technology, sustainability, and personalized comfort in ways we are only beginning to imagine.

I) Choose the word or phrase closest in meaning to the underlined word as used in the text.

- Many will be **commuting** in electric vertical takeoff...
  - traveling regularly
  - experimenting
  - working remotely
- Sustainability **will be driving** most innovations.
  - motivating
  - preventing
  - following
- Biometric digital IDs **will be streamlining** border controls.
  - speeding up
  - complicating
  - removing
- AI travel assistants **will be curating** real-time itineraries.
  - cancelling
  - ignoring
  - organizing selectively
- Augmented reality glasses **will be overlaying** historical facts...
  - removing
  - blurring
  - placing on top
- Eco-domes will be offering luxurious **yet zero-impact** accommodations.
  - having no effect
  - expensive
  - temporary

II) Choose the best answer based on the reading.

1. **What is the main reason mentioned for the development of new transportation technology in 2046?**
  - a) To address urban congestion and improve sustainability
  - b) To reduce travel time between distant countries
  - c) To make space travel affordable for everyone
2. **According to the text, what significant change will occur in border control processes?**
  - a) All borders will be removed for tourists.
  - b) Only facial recognition will be used at airports.
  - c) Physical passports will no longer be needed due to biometric IDs.
3. **How does the author suggest hyperloop travel will impact daily life?**
  - a) It will replace all other forms of ground transportation.
  - b) It will be too expensive for the general public.
  - c) It will make intercity travel extremely fast and accessible.
4. **What is implied about the role of artificial intelligence in future travel?**
  - a) It will adapt travel plans in real time to the traveler's preferences.
  - b) It will completely replace human travel agents.
  - c) It will only be used for flight bookings and hotel reservations
5. **How will augmented reality glasses enhance the tourist experience, according to the text?**
  - a) By providing live translations of all conversations
  - b) By projecting interactive historical and navigational information
  - c) By allowing tourists to communicate with each other remotely