EXERCISE 2

Quickly read the first paragraph of the text 'Cities of the future'.

How many people talked about each of these topics in the questionnaire? Choose the correct answers for the topics.

Paragraph A

Researchers recently gave 1,000 people a questionnaire about 'Cities of The Future'. To answer the questions, the people had to imagine and describe what they thought our cities might look like in the year 2050. Interestingly, a large number of people were anxious that they would become 'dark, dangerous places', which had endless traffic jams and very few green spaces. This group also predicted an increase in the level of pollution and thought people would always need to wear facemasks in order to breathe. They also believed that it would be less safe to walk on the street as there would be 'more stealing' and other criminal behaviour. A smaller number thought cities might become a lot cleaner, and might be built from more interesting materials. They were also looking forward to new technology such as flying cars and moving pavements. In general, they believed that the cities of the future would offer a much more convenient way of living. A few people were uncertain; for example, they thought the size of apartments might reduce as the population of the city grew, but they also thought that public transport would become bett

1. building materials some people/most people/not many people .
2. criminal behavior some people/most people/not many people .
3. new technology some people/most people/not many people .
4. pollution some people/most people/not many people .
5. population some people/most people/not many people .
6. traffic jams some people/most people/not many people .

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