

LISTENING. Graffiti: Art or Vandalism

The Museum of Contemporary Art in Los Angeles is trying to change the negative perceptions of graffiti with a new exhibit. Listen and choose the right answer.

- 1) Gary Culotti, Furniture maker, complains
 - a) grafittis are ruining his business
 - b) grafitti are all over his buildings
 - c) taggers should be fined

- 2) Taggers have got a
 - a) bad reputation among artists
 - b) bad reputaion among the store owners
 - c) bad reputation among art lovers

- 3) The Museum of contemporary art of LA
 - a) is exhibitting grafitti by influential artists
 - b) inviting taggers to show their works there
 - c) legalising graffiti

- 4) LA Police believe the museum is achieving the opposite because
 - a) there are more grafittis so as to get involved in the show
 - b) there has been a rise in the number of grafitti artisits.
 - c) street artists are trying to steal the attention from the museum exhibit.

- 5) After seeing the exhibit Laura
 - a) has changed her mind about grafitti
 - b) thinks it is a form of vandalism
 - c) thinks it's a way of putting a mark.

BANKSY

Listen and fill in the gaps with the words you hear.

1. Banksy has created an _____ out of campaigning for an oscar
2. Every _____ LA has woken up to a new piece of street art.
3. Banksy has produced a _____ for his fans.
4. As soon as a piece is discovered, it is _____ online.
5. A billboard was quickly ripped down and _____.
6. The Charlie Brown creation was _____ of a concrete wall and sold for _____.
7. The Peeing dog has its own _____.
8. Banksy says it's not about the _____ or the _____.
9. Whether he will appear or not, he knows how to _____ the show.