



ORAL COMPREHENSION

LISTENING

Level: Low-Intermediate
Gender: Male & Female
Accent: Canadian English
Length: 1:02

BEYOND THE CIRCUITS



YOU ARE GOING TO HEAR A CONVERSATION BETWEEN ALEX (A CURIOUS TEEN INTERESTED IN TECHNOLOGY) AND HIS FRIEND MAYA (AN ENVIRONMENT ACTIVIST) IN A FUTURISTIC CAFÉ. LISTEN AND TICK **TRUE**, **FALSE** OR **UNKNOWN** (IF NOT MENTIONED).

- A. Alex and Maya are talking about the present.
- B. Alex is optimistic about the future, but Maya expresses some concerns.
- C. They agree that technology will continue to advance.
- D. Maya is more into technology than into the environment.
- E. Alex believes that robots will do all our homework in the future.

	TRUE	FALSE	UNKNOWN
A			
B			
C			
D			
E			

LISTEN AGAIN AND COMPLETE THE FOLLOWING SENTENCES FROM THE SCRIPT.

1. "It's amazing how technology has" (Maya, 2 words)
2. "Maybe we'll be living in eco-friendly houses that produce" (Alex, 3 words)
3. " ... think of all the time we'd have for other things, like space. (Alex, 1 word)
4. "We spend so much time on our now. (Maya, 1 word)
5. " ... about finding a and the natural world. (Alex, 4 words)