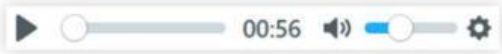
Listen to Part 1 of a radio programme. What is the main topic of the phone-in? Choose the correct answer.



- ○ coping with hot weather
- ○ improving society
- ○ encouraging creativity

This idea ...

a recognises the power of individual actions.
b would encourage people to clean up their local environment.
c could help solve two social problems at the same time.
d has the potential to make street artists' lives easier and safer.
e would help to control population growth.
f would allow people to use their talents to earn money legally.
g combines voluntary work with commercial advantage.

Speaker 1 ☐
Speaker 2 ☐
Speaker 3 ☐
Speaker 4 ☐

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Complete the collocations in bold, which you heard in the recording in Exercise 1, with the correct forms of the words from the box.

angle blue-sky ✓ bright share prove

1 The committee says we need some blue-sky **thinking** in order to find new ideas for charity day.

2 Does anyone have any _____ **ideas** for Mika's surprise party?

3 To find a solution I think we need to **look at the problem from a different** _____.

4 Please _____ **your thoughts** on what you think went wrong.

5 His parents said he wasn't working hard enough and his terrible exam results have _____ **them right**.

Vocabulary extension
Exercise 4

Match the collocations from Exercise 3 with their definitions.

Tell someone your opinions/ideas.	share your thoughts
Creative ideas not limited by old views.	prove somebody right
Clever suggestion.	look at something from a different angle
Think about something in a different way.	bright idea
Show that someone is/was correct.	blue-sky thinking

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