

6.3 Listening

Sentence completion

I can identify specific detail in a conversation.

- In pairs, describe these two murals by controversial British artist Banksy. What do you think they mean?
- CD-2.37 MP3-90** Listen to a news report. Tick the information if it has been confirmed. If not, put a question mark.

BANKSY BIO

- real name is Robin Gunningham ☐
- was born in Bristol in 1973 ☐
- trained to be a butcher ☐
- became famous in the 1990s ☐
- has never been arrested ☐
- authenticates his work on his website ☐
- is a multi-millionaire ☐



- In pairs, add *pro-* or *anti-* to the words to describe whether you think Banksy is for or against these things.

- anonymity
- authority
- war
- peaceful protest
- fairness
- equality

- CD-2.38 MP3-91** Listen to Robert and Alice talking about Banksy and check your ideas in Exercise 3.

EXAM FOCUS Sentence completion

- CD-2.38 MP3-91** Listen again and complete the sentences with a word or short phrase.
 - Robert needs information to write a(n) _____.
 - Alice did something like Robert when she was doing her _____.
 - Alice first thought Banksy was _____.
 - Banksy started painting graffiti _____ years ago.
 - He used spray cans and stencils instead of paintbrushes so that he could _____ his work.
 - Banksy doesn't want to be identified because his activities are _____.
 - Some murals show soldiers with _____ in their hands.
 - Robert admires a mural showing a little girl with a _____.

- Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

aware law peaceful stand strong underlying

- Breaking the _____ is always wrong.
 - It's a bad idea to **make** people _____ of your political views.
 - Teenagers have no idea what they _____ for.
 - Street art can be an effective form of _____ protest.
 - Only experts understand the _____ messages in modern art.
 - Nobody has _____ beliefs about anything any more.
- In pairs, discuss whether you agree or disagree with the statements in Exercise 6.

PRONUNCIATION FOCUS

- CD-2.39 MP3-92** Listen and put these four-syllable words into the correct group A, B or C.

alteration authority ceremony commentator
inauthentic photographer uncomfortable
underlying vandalism

A ■■■■

B ■■■■

C ■■■■

alteration

- CD-2.40 MP3-93** Listen, check and repeat.

WORD STORE 6E

- CD-2.41 MP3-94** Complete WORD STORE 6E. Add nouns or adjectives to the table. Mark the stress. Then listen, check and repeat.