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Lie detector tests at airports are coming

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Please try Levels 0, 2 and 3. They are (a little) harder.

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THE READING

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European airports will soon use lie detector tests. Lie detector machines will use artificial intelligence. They are part of an EU project called i-BorderControl. The machines will be tested in Hungary, Greece and Latvia. Travellers from outside the EU will take the test. They will look into a webcam and answer questions. A computer-generated officer will ask the questions. It will look like the face of the traveller and use the traveller's language.

The EU said the virtual border guard will scan passengers' faces to find out if the passenger is lying. A human will take over if the lie-detector thinks a passenger is lying. Low-risk travellers will get questions on basic information; higher-risk passengers will get more detailed questions. A psychology expert said the system might not work. He said people change their behaviour when a lie detector asks them questions.

Sources: <https://www.usatoday.com/story/travel/flights/2018/11/02/airports-trying-out-lie-detector-tests-passengers/1856580002/>
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PHRASE MATCHING

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PARAGRAPH ONE:

- | | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. European airports will soon use | a. an EU project |
| 2. artificial | b. webcam |
| 3. They are part of | c. language |
| 4. The machines will | d. test |
| 5. Travellers from outside the | e. intelligence |
| 6. take the | f. lie detector tests |
| 7. They will look into a | g. EU |
| 8. use the traveller's | h. be tested |

PARAGRAPH TWO:

- | | |
|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1. scan passengers' | a. not work |
| 2. the lie-detector thinks a | b. faces |
| 3. get questions on basic | c. them questions |
| 4. get more detailed | d. expert |
| 5. A psychology | e. passenger is lying |
| 6. the system might | f. their behaviour |
| 7. He said people change | g. questions |
| 8. a lie detector asks | h. information |

LISTEN AND FILL IN THE GAPS

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European airports will (1) _____ detector tests. Lie detector machines (2) _____ intelligence. They are part of an (3) _____ i-BorderControl. The machines will be tested in Hungary, Greece and Latvia. Travellers (4) _____ EU will take the test. They will look into a webcam (5) _____. A computer-generated officer will ask the questions. It will look (6) _____ of the traveller and use the traveller's language.

The EU said (7) _____ guard will scan passengers' faces to find (8) _____ passenger is lying. A human will (9) _____ the lie-detector thinks a passenger is lying. Low-risk travellers will get (10) _____ information; higher-risk passengers will get more detailed questions. A psychology (11) _____ system might not work. He said people change their behaviour when a lie detector (12) _____.

PUT A SLASH (/) WHERE THE SPACES ARE

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LIE DETECTOR TESTS SURVEY

From <https://breakingnewsenglish.com/1811/181105-lie-detector-tests-4.html>

Write five GOOD questions about lie detector tests in the table. Do this in pairs. Each student must write the questions on his / her own paper. When you have finished, interview other students. Write down their answers.

	STUDENT 1 _____	STUDENT 2 _____	STUDENT 3 _____
Q.1.			
Q.2.			
Q.3.			
Q.4.			
Q.5.			

- Now return to your original partner and share and talk about what you found out. Change partners often.
- Make mini-presentations to other groups on your findings.

WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student A: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

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WRITE QUESTIONS & ASK YOUR PARTNER(S)

Student B: Do not show these to your speaking partner(s).

a) _____

b) _____

c) _____

d) _____

e) _____

f) _____

