

Unit 6: Into the future, Lesson A

Before you watch

A Think about purchasing the things below. Would you pay for them with cash, a credit card, or something else? Complete the chart and add a few of your own ideas.

book	coffee	dinner	haircut
car	computer	e-book	lunch
clothes	concert tickets	groceries	movie tickets

Cash	Credit card	Other

While you watch

A Watch the video. Match the person with the topics they discuss.

cash will still be around	identity theft	paying with cell phones
cashless society	online shopping	



Professor



Amanda



Oliver



Sam



Judith

1. _____ 2. _____ 3. _____ 4. _____ 5. _____

B Watch the video. Circle the correct answers.

- Amanda mostly uses _____ when she pays for smaller things.
 - her debit card
 - cash
 - a check

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2. Overall, Amanda thinks that . . .
 - a. cash will be used more in the future.
 - b. there might not be a need for cash in the future.
 - c. people will only need credit cards in the future.
3. Oliver wants to know _____ if there is no cash.
 - a. what kids will do
 - b. what will happen to ATMs
 - c. what we will do with our coins
4. Oliver will be . . .
 - a. happy to get rid of his credit cards.
 - b. happy to get rid of small coins.
 - c. happy to get rid of his prepaid debit cards.
5. Sam agrees that everyone . . .
 - a. will use credit cards more.
 - b. will not use cash.
 - c. will use checks more.
6. Sam thinks that if paper money becomes obsolete, then . . .
 - a. it might be worth more.
 - b. our grandchildren might look at it in museums.
 - c. we might want to hold onto it.

After you watch

A What do you think about the opinions from the people in the video? Write a few sentences in response to each person from the video. Re-watch the video to help you.

1. Judith

2. Amanda

3. Oliver

4. Sam
