



Cate Blanchett Voices Concerns Over AI's Impact

Description

Cate Blanchett spoke with the BBC about her worries about artificial intelligence (AI). She said she is "deeply concerned" about what AI can do. On Sunday, she told Laura Kuenssberg that she is unsure about robots and driverless cars. She does not know how they help people.

Blanchett is 55 years old and is promoting her new movie, *Rumours*. This movie is a funny story about world leaders stuck in a forest. She said the movie seems small compared to the real problems in the world.

When asked if AI worries her job as an actress, she said she is more worried about its effect on regular people. She said AI can replace anyone's job very easily. She explained that even if you record your voice for a few seconds, it can be copied.

In *Rumours*, Blanchett plays a leader of Germany who invites other leaders to a meeting. She said the characters are not based on real people. The director, Guy Maddin, added that he does not want to reveal their real thoughts, so the audience can think for themselves.

Vocabulary List:

1. **Concerned** /kən'sɜrnd/ (adjective): Worried or anxious about something.
2. **Effect** /ɪ'fekt/ (noun): A change that is a result or consequence of an action or other cause.
3. **Replace** /rɪ'pleɪs/ (verb): To take the place of something or someone.
4. **Characters** /'kærɪktərz/ (noun): The individuals in a story or play.
5. **Revealed** /rɪ'vi:ld/ (verb): Made something known that was previously hidden or secret.
6. **Promoting** /prə'moʊtɪŋ/ (verb): Supporting or actively publicizing a product cause or particular viewpoint.

Vocabulary quizzes

Multiple Choice (Select the Correct answer for each question.)

1. What is a synonym for the word "Revealed"?

- Option: Hidden
- Option: Trade-in
- Option: Atmosphere
- Option: Ultra



2. Which natural disaster is characterized by swirling winds?

- Option: Storage
- Option: Ultraviolet
- Option: Tornadoes
- Option: Control

3. What do we often have to make in our daily lives?

- Option: Colors
- Option: Choices
- Option: Trade-in
- Option: Hidden

4. What is a synonym for the word "Promoting"?

- Option: Replace
- Option: Promoting
- Option: Disappears
- Option: Ultra

5. Who advocates for the protection and preservation of the environment?

- Option: Conservationists
- Option: Identify
- Option: Atmosphere
- Option: Exciting

6. What do we seek when we want information to be precise and correct?

- Option: Accurate
- Option: Characters
- Option: Harmful
- Option: Ascension

7. What do we do when we engage or communicate with others?

- Option: Hidden
- Option: Interact
- Option: Conservationists
- Option: Patches

8. What do we aim to have when managing a situation or process?

- Option: Trade-in
- Option: Control
- Option: Ultra
- Option: Campaign



9. What type of light is beyond the visible spectrum?

- Option: Ultraviolet
- Option: Swirling
- Option: Trade-in
- Option: Exciting

10. What action do we take when we acquire something in exchange for money?

- Option: Buy
- Option: Atmosphere
- Option: Harmful
- Option: Colors

Gap-Fill (Fill in the blanks with the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

11. Digital photos and videos often require large amounts of _____ space.

12. The layer of gases surrounding the Earth is known as the _____.

13. Painters use various _____ to create beautiful artworks.

14. Car dealers may offer a discount if you _____ your old vehicle.

15. The _____ of the hot air balloon was breathtaking to watch.

16. Software developers release updates and _____ to fix bugs.

17. Some athletes go through _____ training to enhance their performance.

18. Smoking is known to have _____ effects on one's health.

19. The new theme park ride promises an _____ experience for visitors.

20. When the sun sets the light gradually _____ from the sky.

Matching Sentences (Match each definition to the correct word from the vocabulary list.)

21. Treasure hunters search for artifacts in ancient ruins.

22. When a part of a machine breaks it is necessary to the faulty component.



23. The book features a wide range of diverse and interesting .
24. Exploring a new city can be an adventure filled with surprises.
25. To prevent errors it is crucial to accurately the correct items.
26. The spy agency used technology to track the criminal's movements.
27. The politician launched a new to raise awareness about environmental issues.
28. The painter created a mesmerizing artwork with colorful patterns.
29. Stamp enthusiasts often rare and unique stamps for their collection.
30. Car owners can opt for a program when purchasing a new vehicle.

Answer

Multiple Choice: 1. Hidden 2. Tornadoes 3. Choices 4. Promoting 5. Conservationists 6. Accurate 7. Interact 8. Control 9. Ultraviolet 10. Buy

Gap-Fill: 11. Storage 12. Atmosphere 13. Colors 14. Trade-in 15. Ascension 16. Patches 17. Ultra 18. Harmful 19. Exciting 20. Disappears

Matching sentence: 1. Hidden 2. Replace 3. Characters 4. Exciting 5. Identify 6. Ultra 7. Campaign 8. Swirling 9. Collect 10. Trade-in

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