

Teen Class - Extreme Weather

P2 to 3 Vocabulary

Definitions

weather - the temperature or conditions outside, for example if it is hot, cold, or sunny.

climate - the weather conditions that an area usually has.

occur - to happen, often without being planned.

extreme - the most unusual or most serious possible.

global warming - an increase in the temperature of the air around the world because of pollution.

greenhouse gas - a gas that catches energy from the sun and makes Earth hot, like carbon dioxide.

absorb - when something takes another thing in through its surface and holds it.

reflect - when something sends light, heat or sound, etc back and does not hold it.

Sentences

The desert in Nevada has a dry _____, but Taiwan has a very humid and wet one.

The ice at the North and South Poles holds a very important job to _____ heat from the sun's rays.

Cows release the _____ methane into the atmosphere which traps heat 30x more than CO₂.

The seas and oceans _____ light energy from the sun which makes the planet become hotter.

Motorbike accidents _____ very often here, you need to be careful when you cross the road.

We should make the most of the good _____ today because tomorrow it is going to rain.

Some people don't believe in _____ because they think that the Earth is changing naturally.

This year the heat has been _____ and many people are in danger of getting heat stroke.