Reading:

Where does **garbage** go when people throw it? The answer is **it** goes to landfills. Landfills are big holes in the ground. Plastic cans, food waste, old clothes and even paper go to landfills. Sometimes, our waste end up in the sea or in the forest. So this is not an eco-friendly solution!

Many green cities in the world try to reuse their garbage. One way of reusing garbage is by recycling <u>it</u>. Of course, we can't recycle everything. For example, we cannot recycle food waste. But plastic, glass and paper are easy to recycle.

Recycling more things means saving more animals. Plastic, especially, is behind the death of millions of animals in the sea and in forests. So we should all start recycling our trash.

1) Choose the best title for the text:

a. Recycling

b. Food waste

c. Green cities

2) Are these statements true or false?

a. Plastic cannot be recycled.

True

False

b. Food waste can be recycled.

True

False

c. Recycling is harmful to the environment.

True

False

3) Match the word "garbage" from the text with its synonym:

Garbage:

- a) Plastic
- b) Trash
- c) Recycling

4) Match the pronouns with what they refer to:

It (line 1):

- a) Garbage
- b) People
- c) Answer

It (line 5):

- a) Cities
- b) People
- c) Garbage

Listening:

In 2010, we produced 3.5 million tonnes of rubbish....

per month

per week

per day

How much per cent of plastic waste ends up in landfills?

45%

43%

47%

How do some governments deal with plastic waste in a good way?

Turning plastic into pavement.

Burning plastic to produce smoke

Making plastic trains

Burning plastic trash to create electricity

