

Air Pollution



Air **is** important as many living things need them to survive. Air pollution **is** perhaps the most common and the most dangerous type of pollution. It involves the release of chemicals into the environment. The chemicals **are** harmful as they then become the part of the air around us that all the living things take in. Air pollution comes from a wide variety of sources and they **are** vehicle or manufacturing exhaust, forest fires, volcanic eruptions, dry soil erosion, and other natural sources, and building construction or demolition. Possible effects **are** smog, acid rain, crop depletion from lack of oxygen, and asthma. Global warming **is** also related to increased air pollution.

Select the best option to answer the questions.

1. What do living things need to survive?

soil

home

air

2. What does air pollution mean?

type of soil

type of pollution

type of rock

3. What does air pollution involve?

release of chemicals

Release of gases

release of smog

4. What does air pollution affect?

Our body

Our environment

Our school

5. What do chemicals look like?

harmful

eco friendly

healthy

6. Where does air pollution come from?

ocean

sky

forest fires

7. What could be the possible effects of polluted air?

lack of soil

lack of trees

lack of oxygen

8. What increases air pollution?

**Global
warming**

**Global
pollution**

**Global
deforestation**