

UNIT 9 : FOR THE COMMON GOOD



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Let's Get Involved!

Hi everybody,

Today, I am writing about the importance of conservation. Conservation is one of the ways to protect our Earth. By conserving, we provide sustainable use of the Earth's natural resources such as water, energy, wildlife, and soil.

Water conservation is the practice of using water efficiently to reduce wasting. Besides turning off the faucet when brushing teeth, we should also use little amount of water when washing the dishes.

Next, energy conservation is when we reduce the consumption of energy such as electricity. We could do so by switching off the lights when we are going out of a room. In addition, we should unplug the appliances when we are not using them.

Wildlife conservation is when we preserve the plants and animals in their natural habitats. We could do so by reducing the use of paper and stop using animal-based products.

Soil conservation is when we prevent soil erosions and pollutions by planning the development of our city. We could conserve soil by planting trees and composting our food waste to become natural fertilizer.

Let's promise that we would get involved and save our Earth because we can change the future.

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B. Choose the correct meanings of the words.

Word	Meanings
sustainable	A. the use of natural products and energy that does not harm the environment B. the use of unnatural products and energy that does not harm the environment
waste	A. overuse of something than is necessary B. to give something necessary to other people
unplug	A. to disconnect an electrical device B. to provide somebody with help
compost	A. a type of soil that is used to destroy plants B. a mixture of decayed organic material that can be added to soil to help plants grow
contamination	A. the process of making a place dirty by adding a substance that is dangerous or carries disease B. the process poisoning the living things with dangerous substances.