

IV. Choose the best answer, a, b, c or d to complete the sentence.

1. Once non-renewable energy sources are used _____, they are gone forever.
a. out b. up c. for d. off
2. Many chemicals have a damaging effect _____ the environment.
a. on b. in c. to d. for
3. Renewable energy is also called "_____ energy" because it doesn't pollute the air.
a. inexhaustible b. available c. clean d. dangerous
4. _____ the pollution it causes, coal still plays an important role in the production of electricity around the world.
a. Despite b. Due to c. Even though d. However
5. What _____ if carbon dioxide levels continue to increase?
a. happen b. will happen c. will be happened d. will be happening
6. The use of wind energy is growing rapidly because it is widely available and _____.
a. environmental friendly b. environmentally friendly
c. environment friendly d. friendly environmental
7. Using solar panels at home can help _____ your electric bill and your carbon footprint.
a. reduce b. increase c. provide d. convert
8. Wind power is the most promising _____ source of energy.
a. non-renewable b. natural c. limited d. alternative
9. You can save much water by _____.
a. using energy saving light bulbs b. using biogas for cooking
c. taking showers instead of baths d. walking or riding a bike to school
10. 'Is it difficult to reduce our carbon footprints?' '_____'
a. It depends on the way you think. b. Not at all. Just practicing the 3R's.
c. It's not if we still rely on fossil fuels. d. I'm not sure. What will happen?

IX. Choose the correct answers to complete the passage.

**CARBON FOOTPRINTS**

Everybody has a carbon footprint – it's the (1)_____ of carbon dioxide we produce with any action or activity. (2)_____ carbon dioxide contributes to 'greenhouse gases', our carbon footprints have a direct impact (3)_____ the environment. You can estimate your carbon footprint on any number of popular websites: if it's (4)_____, then you're probably leading a relatively green lifestyle. But (5)_____ happens if it's big?

Well, the answer is that you can (6)_____ it. People contribute to balancing the negative effects of their actions by using (7)_____ fuels, recycling, reforestation and a number of other activities which are said to contribute to a (8)_____ of the carbon dioxide.

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| 1. a. number | b. quality | c. amount | d. period |
| 2. a. As | b. Although | c. However | d. Due to |
| 3. a. for | b. to | c. on | d. in |
| 4. a. small | b. large | c. free | d. fine |
| 5. a. when | b. what | c. why | d. how |
| 6. a. replace | b. reuse | c. increase | d. balance |
| 7. a. fossil | b. leaded | c. smoky | d. green |
| 8. a. moving | b. lowering | c. rising | d. falling |