vocabulary

You will see the words on this page throughout the unit and use them in your posts to your international peers so please study them.

1) **Drag the words in the box and drop them next to their definition:**

consume - consumption - essential - influence x2 - natural resource - product - sustainable

..... (noun) The behavior of using resources and products.

..... (noun) Materials from nature that people can use to survive or create new products.

..... (adjective) A way to use resources so that they will be available forever, and cause little or no harm to people or the planet.

..... (adjective) Required for health, happiness, or success.

..... (verb) To affect how a person thinks or acts. / (noun) Something that affects how a person thinks or acts.

..... (verb) To buy, use, eat, or drink something.

..... (noun) Something made with Earth's resources that people can sell, use, trade, or buy.

2) **Fill in the gaps with a word from exercise 1:**

- Advertisements can ..... people to buy products.
- My family turns off lights when we leave a room to reduce our electricity .....
- Too much consumption is not ..... because it uses natural resources too fast and creates a lot of waste.
- Plants are a ..... that people can use to make medicines.
- Water is an ..... resource for living things.
- My friend is a good ..... because she works hard and cares about others.
- I ..... food when I am hungry.
- Books, paper, and pencils are ..... that are often made from trees.

3) **Fill in the gaps with a word from exercise 1. You might have to change the word slightly so that it makes sense.**

We ..... Earth's ..... to make the ..... we use every day. Some ..... is ..... for our health. Some is not. Culture, availability, and cost can ..... our choices. It is important to find ways to reduce waste and make our daily lives more ..... .