

Unit 8: Nature

Lesson A

A Complete the real conditionals with verbs from the box. Put the verb in the correct form.

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1. Polar bears are going to become extinct if people _____ the problem.
2. Their habitat will disappear if the ice _____.
3. The ice will melt if the ocean temperature _____ to rise.
4. People will try to protect the polar bears if they _____ the problem.
5. It will be terrible if no more polar bears _____ in the wild.
6. Julio works at the pizza restaurant _____ money for school.

B Complete the sentence with the correct verb form to make real conditionals.

1. (not stop / lose) If the ice _____ melting, the polar bears _____ their habitat.
2. (lose / die) If the polar bears _____ their habitat, they _____.
3. (become / be) If they _____ extinct, it _____ a terrible tragedy.
4. (is / hunt) If an animal _____ a predator, it _____ for prey.
5. (find / kill) If a predator _____ prey, it _____ the prey.

C Match the condition and the result to form real conditionals.

1. If people don't protect some species, _____
2. If scientists learn more about climate change, _____
3. If children watch nature shows, _____
4. If people use energy carefully, _____
5. If the population continues to grow quickly, _____

- a. they will learn to care about the environment.
- b. some resources will be saved.
- c. they will become extinct.
- d. there will not be enough food.
- e. maybe it can be slowed down.

D Complete the sentence with the correct form of the verb in parentheses.

1. We (play) _____ baseball if the rain (stop) _____.
2. If the team (win) _____ this game, they (play) _____ in the final.
3. If we (be) _____ quiet, we (not scare) _____ the deer.
4. We (go) _____ to the zoo if it (be) _____ open today.
5. I (call) _____ you if I (find) my cell phone!