



ECOLOGY

1 Read the following definitions. What is each one of them about?

ECOLOGY POLLUTION ENERGY CARS EARTH
RAINFOREST NUCLEAR TESTING GARBAGE
ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS ANIMALS IN DANGER

- 1 It is rubbish, waste, things we throw away.
- 2 It is thick forest in tropical parts of the world, like in the Amazon rainforest.
- 3 It is our planet.
- 4 We have so many of them like: air, sea, and land pollution, holes in the ozone layer and so on.
- 5 They are experiments with nuclear weapons (like bombs).
- 6 It is the process of making our environment dirty and unhealthy for living.
- 7 It can come from nuclear, electrical, solar or wind power.
- 8 It is a very big problem of our time. If we don't protect them, they will disappear forever.
- 9 A great deal of pollution comes from the fumes (gases) they give off. We should walk or use bikes instead, whenever we can.
- 10 It is the science that studies the relations of plants, animals, and people to each other and to their environment.

2 Listen to the recording and fill in the gaps.

Poslušaj snimku i upiši riječi koje čuješ.

Electricity _____ most important inventions ever. It is the thing that powers the Earth. _____ no electricity, we'd be back in the dark ages. Few people stop and _____ amazing electricity is. With the flick of a switch, _____ almost anything. Think _____ happen if there was no electricity. We'd have no TV, no computers, no traffic signals. It would be like _____ living in caves. There are a few _____ about electricity, of course. Number one, it's dangerous. Thousands _____ each year from electrocuting themselves or in electrical fires. And number two, it _____ the environment. Most electricity comes from _____ and that creates greenhouse gasses.

