Read the text and choose the correct word (A, B, C, or D) for each gap.

Our Planet in Peril

Climate change is one of the most urgent challenges the world is currently *(1)*_____ . Although some people still question the science, there is growing *(2)* _____that human activity is a major cause of the rising global temperature.

The increase in greenhouse gases, such as carbon dioxide, is closely *(3)* _____to the burning of fossil fuels like coal, oil and gas. These gases trap heat in the Earth's atmosphere and contribute to the so-called "greenhouse *(4)*_____ ."

One of the most visible consequences of climate change is extreme weather. Floods, droughts and wildfires are becoming more *(5)* _____and severe across the globe. Scientists warn that unless action is taken soon, these events will become even more frequent and *(6)*_____ .

Governments around the world have agreed to cut carbon emissions, but progress is slow. Individuals can also make a difference by reducing their personal carbon *(7)* _____, using public transport, and supporting renewable energy. Together, we can take small steps towards a more sustainable *(8)* _____ .

1	A solving	B meeting	C facing	D approaching
2	A proof	B belief	C evidence	D report
3	A joined	B linked	C fitted	D stuck
4	A effect	B level	C cover	D blanket
5	A regular	B usual	C common	D frequent
6	A dangerous	B harmful	C damaging	D risky
7	A path	B budget	C footprint	D expense
8	A climate	B future	C forecast	D environment

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