

- A** If a line is correct, put a tick (✓) next to the number. If there is an extra word in a line, write it next to the number.

Weather control

- 1 Forecasts might warn to us about threats posed by the weather,
- 2 but imagine if we could take out control of the weather and
- 3 prevent dangerous weather conditions from in the first place.
- 4 Controlling the weather may be the biggest technological
- 5 challenge we face. For a long of time, scientists have dreamed
- 6 of creating artificial clouds to bring rain to areas hit by drought,
- 7 but it's much harder to do than they expected that. The global
- 8 weather system is very complicated, with each part having an
- 9 effect taken on all the others. The scientists may feel they are
- 10 wasting up their time, but success could save millions of lives.

(1 mark per answer)

- B** Complete the sentences by changing the form of the word in capitals when this is necessary.

- 11 The forecast said there was a high (LIKELY) of rain this weekend.
- 12 We all know that using our cars causes (POLLUTE), but we still do it.
- 13 Forecasting the weather (ACCURATE) takes a great deal of training.
- 14 Litter is often a problem in (RESIDENT) areas.
- 15 According to (ENVIRONMENT), we could be facing a crisis within fifty years.
- 16 It was a wonderfully (SUN) day, so we decided to go to the beach.
- 17 The giant panda is (DANGER) because its habitat is being destroyed.
- 18 We didn't enjoy our walk because it was absolutely (FREEZE)!

(1 mark per answer)

- C** Complete the second sentence using the word given so that it has a similar meaning to the first sentence. Write between two and five words in each gap.

- 19 Did you see the documentary about the ozone layer? **saw**
I wonder the documentary about the ozone layer.
- 20 I saw a badger for a moment before it disappeared into the woods. **sight**
I a badger before it disappeared into the woods.
- 21 I hope the weather gets better for our trip to the mountains this weekend. **up**
I hope for our trip to the mountains this weekend.
- 22 Did you hear that the greenhouse in the park had been demolished? **torn**
Did you hear that they the greenhouse in the park?
- 23 Everything we do affects the environment in one way or another. **effect**
Everything we do the environment in one way or another.
- 24 I don't really know a lot about the work that Greenpeace does. **familiar**
I the work that Greenpeace does.

- 25 The builders have spoiled our garden. **mess**
The builders have our garden.
- 26 Dr Trent said the problems were caused by rubbish in the streets. **put**
Dr Trent rubbish in the streets.
- 27 Most people know that wasting water causes problems. **aware**
Most people the problems caused by
wasting water. (2 marks per answer)

D Choose the correct answer.

- 28 No one seems to care about the environment, ?
A does he
B are they
C is he
D do they
- 29 Do you know where a book about insects?
A can I find
B I find
C I can find
D do I find
- 30 The new law prevents people their rubbish in certain areas.
A to leave
B from leaving
C of leaving
D leave
- 31 Let's walk to the shops instead of taking the car, ?
A shall we
B don't we
C will we
D won't we
- 32 There isn't much point in trying to save electricity, ?
A is it
B isn't there
C isn't it
D is there
- 33 Don't drop your sweet wrapper on the floor, ?
A do you
B aren't you
C will you
D won't you
- 34 'I went to the exhibition at the natural history museum.'
'Oh, yes? What there?'
A saw you
B you did see
C you saw
D did you see

(1 mark per answer)

E Choose the correct answer.

- 35 There's been a in Germany and a village was completely destroyed.
A flood C shower
B drizzle D smog
- 36 Do you know what CFC ?
A sets in C stands for
B does up D gets down
- 37 Dinosaurs have been for millions of years.
A endangered C threatened
B extinct D disappeared
- 38 It's sunny, but there's a very cold so don't forget your coat.
A blowing C wind
B air D gas
- 39 If you ask me, waste is a much bigger problem than ordinary household waste.
A industrial C working
B business D employer
- 40 As towns grow, they tend to destroy the surrounding areas.
A urban C land
B commercial D rural
- 41 Jill put her wellington boots on and, as soon as it stopped raining, went out to play in the
A reservoirs C puddles
B lakes D ponds

(1 mark per answer)

Total mark: / 50