



Listening Comprehension

***Watch the video** and **take notes** about **Earth Day**.*

1) What type of document is it ?

a. This document is _____

b. The title of this video is _____

c. Who made this video ? _____

d. Where was it published ? _____

2) Listen to the beginning of the video and pick out information about:

a. When is 'Earth Day' celebrated? _____

b. Why do people celebrate 'Earth Day' ? _____

c. What activities do they do on 'Earth Day' ? You'll find more ideas on www.earthday.org/earth-day-tips/

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3) Find information about the history of 'Earth Day' :

- In 1969, a massive oil spill occurred in _____ (a city in California).
- The first 'Earth Day' was proposed by _____ (name of its creator) in_____ (date) to educate the public about environmental issues.
- In _____ (date), President Clinton decided to give him the presidential medal of _____ . This is the highest honour given to civilians in the USA.

The EPA (Environmental Protection Agency) was established in 1970. What laws did they create ?

- The EPA created the _____ act and the _____ act.
- They also made the _____ act and several other environmental laws.

4) Is Earth Day celebrated around the globe?

- In _____ (date), Earth Day goes global and is celebrated all around the world, mobilizing _____ (number) million people in _____ (date) different countries.
- Earth Day in 2000 included _____ (number) environmental groups in _____ (number) different countries.
- In _____ (date), for the 40th anniversary of Earth Day _____ (number) people gathered at the National Mall for a climate rally.
- In 2012, Earth Day achieved the goal of planting _____ (number) trees.

5) Speak about one recent PROBLEM (at the end of the video) :

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6) Why is Earth Day important ? You'll find ideas at the end of the video, or on internet.

Earth Day is important because _____

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