

UNIT 6 – GLOBAL WARMING

Worksheet 2

EXERCISE 1. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word whose underlined part differs from the other three in pronunciation in each of the following questions.

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| 1. A. <u>g</u> enius | B. <u>g</u> orilla | C. <u>g</u> lobal | D. <u>g</u> ases |
| 2. A. <u>p</u> ollution | B. <u>p</u> oaching | C. <u>p</u> hysical | D. <u>p</u> esticide |
| 3. A. <u>w</u> arming | B. <u>w</u> arn | C. <u>w</u> alk | D. <u>w</u> asn't |
| 4. A. <u>f</u> loor | B. <u>f</u> lood | C. <u>m</u> oorland | D. <u>d</u> oor |
| 5. A. <u>i</u> ncrease | B. <u>r</u> elease | C. <u>p</u> lease | D. <u>g</u> rease |

EXERCISE 2. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word that differs from the other three in the position of primary stress in each of the following questions.

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| 6. A. <u>c</u> ampaign | B. <u>g</u> lobal | C. <u>b</u> alance | D. <u>c</u> arbon |
| 7. A. <u>n</u> atural | B. <u>e</u> ndangered | C. <u>d</u> angerous | D. <u>h</u> abitat |
| 8. A. <u>r</u> ainforest | B. <u>t</u> ropical | C. <u>d</u> iscover | D. <u>a</u> nimal |
| 9. A. <u>p</u> ollution | B. <u>c</u> ontinue | C. <u>e</u> normous | D. <u>d</u> isappear |
| 10. A. <u>d</u> evastated | B. <u>e</u> nvironment | C. <u>d</u> iversity | D. <u>e</u> cology |

EXERCISE 3. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the word(s) CLOSEST in meaning to the underlined word(s) in each of the following questions.

11. We need to cut down on the emission of carbon dioxide into the atmosphere.
A. intake B. retake C. uptake D. discharge
12. Land erosion is mainly caused by widespread deforestation.
A. afforestation B. reforestation C. logging D. lawn mowing
13. In the past, a lot of countries denied having contributed to global warming.
A. agreed B. refuted C. approved D. avoided
14. Most people admit that they contribute to global warming.
A. be partly responsible for B. disapprove C. neglect D. cause
15. We must admit that people are heavily polluting the environment.
A. decline B. rebut C. deny D. accept
16. In the polluted environment, infectious diseases can be passed easily from one person to another.
A. fatal B. safe C. contagious D. immune
17. Global warming has severe impact on water supplies.

30. His company was punished ____ not having dumped the rubbish properly.
A. by B. for C. about D. because of
31. The city mayor praised all voluntary students ____ having cleaned the playgrounds for the children.
A. for B. because of C. at D. due to
32. He thanked us ____ having contributed to cleaning the surrounding environment.
A. on B. to C. with D. for

EXERCISE 7. Mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct response to each of the following exchanges. Two friends Nam and Lan are talking about the topic of global warming.

33. Nam: What are the main threats to the environment today?

Lan: ____

- A. Threats are possible dangers to the environment.
- B. Probably deforestation and global warming.
- C. Environmental pollution is a big issue for our planet
- D. We need a clean environment to live in.

34. Lan: How can ordinary people help protect the environment?

Nam: ____

- A. What can ordinary people do to help the environment?
- B. Environment really needs our help.
- C. We may use environmentally-friendly products.
- D. Both governments and individuals are to blame on.

35. Nam: Do you do anything to protect the environment?

Lan: ____

- A. I refuse to use plastic bags and try to recycle as much as possible.
- B. I use a lot of plastic bags and containers to save the environment.
- C. I'm not interested in the subject of environment.

Exercise 9. Read the following passage and mark the letter A, B, C, or D to indicate the correct answer to each of the questions.

The costs and benefits of global warming will vary greatly from area to area. For moderate climate change, the balance can be difficult to assess. But the larger the change in climate, the more negative the consequences will become. Global warming will probably make life harder, not easier, for most

