Test Unit 5 Vocabulary and Grammar

1. Complete the sentences with the words in the box.

burst drought hurricane predict reduce strike wave

1 Scientists try to _____ when volcanoes might erupt.

2 Weather forecasters try to warn people when a tornado is likely to _____.

3 The river might _____ its banks if the rain continues.

4 During a _____, crops often die because of the lack of rain.

5 There was a _____, with winds of up to 180 km an hour.

6 A tsunami followed the earthquake, and a huge _____ hit the coastal area.

7 The new sea defences will _____ the risk of flooding.

2. Choose the correct words to complete the sentences.

8 It's important to *recycle / produce* paper so that it doesn't end up on rubbish tips.

9 The increased use of cars leads to air *quality / pollution* in cities.

10 We've installed some solar *panels / energy* on the roof.

11 The ice in Antarctica is *producing / melting* because of climate change.

12 Wind power is a kind of *renewable / endangered* energy.

13 *Global / Organic* food is grown without chemicals.

14 Polar bears are now an *endangered / illegal* species.

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3. Complete the sentences with *a*, *an*, *the* or – (no article).

1 I wanted to be _____ firefighter when I was a child.

2 Vatican City is _____ smallest country in the world.

3 We live in _____ 21st century.

4 I think that_____ people will live longer in the future.

5 My uncle lives in _____ Switzerland.

6 There's _____ island in the middle of the lake.

7 Wow! Look at _____ Moon!

8 There were floods last year in _____ Netherlands.

5 Complete the sentences with the correct relative pronouns.

-who whose which where

9 John, _____ had never been interested in the environment, suddenly joined Greenpeace.

10 The price of kale, _____is a vegetable similar to wild cabbage, has doubled over the last couple of years.

11 Jo, _____ grandfather was a tribal chief, wants to learn more about Native Americans.

12 A national newspaper has just chosen Solihull, _____ I grew up, as the best place to live.

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