

## Unit 6. LOBAL WARMING

### D. WRITING

#### I. Rewrite the sentences, using perfect gerunds.

- Nam won a scholarship. We are excited about that fact.  
→ We are \_\_\_\_\_
- Entering the room, I was surprised at what I saw.  
→ When \_\_\_\_\_
- The volunteers couldn't mow the old lady's lawns because of the rain.  
→ The rain prevented \_\_\_\_\_
- Since we have become too dependent on the use of electricity, we have to find alternative sources of energy before fossil fuels run out.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_
- Tonya had dumped a lot of rubbish on the beach. She was strongly criticised for that.  
→ Tonya was \_\_\_\_\_
- In the Tree Planting Competition, the students in Group 11G planted the most trees in the schoolyard. They were praised for that.  
→ The students in \_\_\_\_\_
- After she replaced all the light bulbs in her house with LED lights, she saved a lot of money on her electricity bills.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_
- Sam had not worked hard enough in his previous job. He regretted it.  
→ Sam regretted \_\_\_\_\_
- Someone had cut down the oldest tree in the park. The police suspected Mike of doing it.  
→ The police suspected \_\_\_\_\_
- Since the farmers used too much chemical fertiliser on their farm, they now have to drink polluted water.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_
- Denis had taken an active part in the Green Summer activities. He was rewarded for that.  
→ Denis was \_\_\_\_\_
- After the students had learnt about the benefits of recycling and reusing, they started collecting waste paper, bottles, and cans to recycle and reuse.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_

#### II. Rewrite the sentences, using perfect gerunds.

- David did his homework and they went to bed.  
→ After having \_\_\_\_\_
- It is easy for anyone to learn how to cook.  
→ Learning \_\_\_\_\_
- Tony had rescued the kids from the fire. People admired him for that.  
→ People \_\_\_\_\_
- He had dumped lots of rubbish onto the beach. He denied it.  
→ He denied \_\_\_\_\_
- After Ha had read some documents about Green Earth, she decided to join the organization.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_
- I have seen him before. I remember that.  
→ I \_\_\_\_\_

7. You had saved the lives of hundreds of wild animals. Thank you for that.  
→ Thank you \_\_\_\_\_
8. They had hunted and killed many wild animals. Later they regretted what they had done.  
→ They regretted \_\_\_\_\_
9. Since Mai had refused Nam's offer of a lift in his car, she had to walk home.  
→ Having \_\_\_\_\_
10. 'You've lied to us, the villagers said. The politician denied it.  
→ The politician \_\_\_\_\_
11. The factory had dumped tons of toxic waste into the river. It was heavily fined for that.  
→ The factory \_\_\_\_\_
12. Thanh had forgotten to turn off the gas cooker before he left his house. He admitted that.  
→ Thanh admitted \_\_\_\_\_

**III. Rewrite the following sentences using Perfect Participle.**

Ex: We switched off the lights before we went to bed.

→ *Having switched off the lights, we went to bed.*

1. Zoe had practiced a lot, so she was sure of her winning in the competition.  
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2. The boy asked his mother's permission and then went out to play.  
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3. As he had drunk too much, he didn't drive home himself.  
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4. We have done two tests today, so we are exhausted.  
\_\_\_\_\_
5. She filled the washing machine and switched it on.  
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6. She had been to disco the night before and she overslept in the morning.  
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7. We had worked in the garden all day and were sunburned in the evening.  
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8. She had not slept for two days and therefore she wasn't able to concentrate.  
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9. Since I had not seen him for ages, I didn't recognize him.  
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10. I had not ridden a horse for a long time and I found it very difficult to sit on the saddle.  
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**IV. Rewrite the following sentences using After or Before.**

1. I told him off. Then I realized I was wrong.  
→ *After having told him off, I realized I was wrong.*
2. I worked very hard for the exam. Then I passed it.  
→ Before \_\_\_\_\_
3. First I considered what to study. Then I decided to major in Maths.  
→ After \_\_\_\_\_
4. She wrote a letter. Then she went to bed.  
→ After \_\_\_\_\_
5. He bought a radio. First he checked the price.  
→ After \_\_\_\_\_
6. They argued. Then they fought.  
→ After \_\_\_\_\_

7. She went out for a walk. Then she had a fatal accident.

→ Before \_\_\_\_\_

8. She decided to go away. First she faced the matter.

→ After \_\_\_\_\_

9. We read the book, then we wrote the assignment.

→ Before \_\_\_\_\_

10. She watched the film, then she wrote a report.

→ After \_\_\_\_\_