

Common Collocations to do with Global Warming, the Environment and Nature

a) Match the words in Column A to their strongest collocates in Column B. Write the answers in the column ANSWERS next to the word in Column A.

COLUMN A	ANSWER	COLUMN B
greenhouse		metals
precious		shortage
renewable		sprays
sustainable		destruction
water		converter
habitat		spill
aerosol		rain
paddy		fields
acid		development
catalytic		efficient
dumping		change
energy		energy
climate		ground
oil		gases

b) Match the words in Column A to their strongest collocates in Column B. Write the answers in the column ANSWERS next to the word in Column A.

COLUMN A	ANSWER	COLUMN B
industrial		wave
heat		farming
bush		waste
geothermal		footprint
toxic		disposal
factory		power
exhaust		waste
coastal		extinction
endangered		fumes
mass		erosion
food		chain
animal		welfare
waste		species
carbon		fire

c) Match the words in Column A to their strongest collocates in Column B. Write the answers in the column ANSWERS next to the word in Column A.

COLUMN A	ANSWER	COLUMN B
fossil		proxies
nuclear		fuels
refuse		fallout
organic		turbine
landfill		collection
compost		site
exhaust		produce
wildlife		waste
septic		fumes
recyclable		campaigner
oil		slick
climate		resources
non-renewable		tank
wind		heap