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## PRESERVING THE ENVIRONMENT

### GETTING STARTED

#### Environmental impacts



#### 1 Listen and read.

**Nam's father:** What are you doing, Nam?

**Nam:** I'm writing for my school newsletter.

**Nam's father:** What are you writing?

**Nam:** Well, the editor asked me to write a letter giving some practical advice on environmental preservation. So far, I haven't had any ideas!

**Nam's father:** Have you used the web search engine to find any information?

**Nam:** Yes, I have. However, it was confusing because I got too many search results and web pages about the environment.

**Nam's father:** Well, read all of them quickly for ideas and select the most suitable for the topic.

**Nam:** By the way, what does 'environmental impact' mean, Dad?

**Nam's father:** Uh ... it means negative effect or influence on the environment. Well, you can check the meaning using the online dictionary.

**Nam:** I'll do it right now ... Oh, yes, you're correct.

**Nam's father:** But why are you interested in environmental impacts?

**Nam:** Well, I think if we can see the environmental impacts, we'll know how to protect the environment from many threats such as deforestation, pollution, global warming and fossil fuel depletion.

**Nam's father:** Correct! Air pollution, the greenhouse effect and global warming have a negative impact on the environment. As a result, polar ice is melting and sea levels are rising. You need to focus on your topic.

**Nam:** Dad, thanks for your help!

**Nam's father:** OK. Good luck, Nam!

#### 2 Label the photos with the words and phrases from the box. Then use a dictionary to check their meaning.

pollution   polar ice melting   fossil fuels  
greenhouse effect   deforestation





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Find the words you hear in the text on p.16/Book 2 and fill in the table with appropriate information. (0) is done as an example.

Listen!!!	Word	Part of Speech (as in the text)	Definition (in English)
	0. <u>environment</u>	Noun	the air, water, and land on Earth, which is affected by man's activities
	1. _____	_____	_____
	2. _____	_____	_____
	3. _____	_____	_____
	4. _____	_____	_____
	5. _____	_____	_____
	6. _____	_____	_____
	7. _____	_____	_____

\* Ở cột Definition chọn định nghĩa đúng với từ loại và nghĩa xuất hiện trong đoạn văn!

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### Pronunciation

**1** The words in the box are three-syllable nouns. Listen and repeat. Can you add two more, using the words from the VOCABULARY section **3**?

article	animal	editor
influence	pollution	scientist
solution	chemical	confusion
protection		



**2** Listen and put a mark (') before the stressed syllable in each word.

article	influence	energy	solution
newsletter	pollution	protection	atmosphere
editor	confusion	scientist	chemical

### Do you know ...?

The syllable before **-tion** or **-sion** is usually stressed.

#### Examples:

*po'llution, so'lution, pro'tection, con'fusion, de'pletion*



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### LANGUAGE Vocabulary

2 Complete the table with the words from the box.

deforest      protect      consumption  
confuse      contaminate  
preservation      deplete      pollute

Verb	Noun
1. _____	protection
2. preserve	_____
3. _____	contamination
4. consume	_____
5. _____	deforestation
6. _____	pollution
7. _____	depletion

Tìm và liệt kê ít nhất 3 hậu tố (suffixes) để hình thành:

**- Danh từ** (trừ -ion, -ation, -ity):

**- Động từ:**

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### Grammar

### Reported speech

#### Do you know ...?

You can use **reported speech** to repeat what people have previously said.

#### Examples:

- 'I'm writing for my school newsletter,' Nam said.  
Nam said (that) he was writing for his school newsletter.
- 'Focus on your topic,' Nam's father told him.  
Nam's father told him to focus on his topic.

Notice the changes:

	Direct speech	Reported speech	
Pronoun	I	he	depending on the context
Possessive	my	his	
Verb	is writing	was writing	depending on the context and time
	focus	to focus	

**Note:** There are **no quotation marks** in reported speech.

Tìm trên mạng 1 video có chứa kiến thức liên quan đến 2 phần "DO YOU KNOW...?" trong phần Language - Grammar của Unit 9. Dán đường link của video vào ô bên dưới:

Trong video em tìm được cho nội dung của phần "DO YOU KNOW...?" có từ \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_ đến \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_