

Nature and We

1 Choose the correct word to complete the sentences that describe the world today.

- 1 The population of the world is (*growing / becoming*) smaller.
- 2 Our climate is changing. The world is becoming (*colder / warmer*). The Arctic ice is melting.
- 3 (*Not everybody / Everybody*) has clean water. There are dry places and polluted rivers.
- 4 We produce (*little / a lot of*) rubbish.
- 5 There (*are / aren't*) many endangered animal and plant species.

2 Match each sentence in Task 1 with one prediction about the future of the world below.

- A lot of people will be thirsty.
- There will be many more people in the world.
- They will disappear.
- Rubbish will pollute the land and the sea.
- Polar bears won't have enough space to hunt.

3 Match the words with the pictures.

- 1 Climate change
- 2 Rubbish
- 3 Growing population
- 4 Pollution
- 5 Endangered animals and plants

