

Vocabulary exercises Unit 6

1 Match the words and expressions with the images. (point to the picture you will see the linking tool, stretch the line to the word)



Draught

flood

global warming

green house effect

ozone layer

recycle

save water

waste water



2.

Match these words with the explanations. There are more words than explanations.

drought flood global warming greenhouse effect
ozone layer recycle save waste

- 1 when it rains a lot and rivers get too big _____
- 2 when you save old things to use the materials again _____
- 3 when you use things in an unnecessary way _____
- 4 the thing which protects the earth from the sun _____
- 5 when it doesn't rain and there is no water _____
- 6 when you stop using something or use very little _____

3.

The environment

Complete the text with these words.

droughts floods global warming ozone layer recycle save waste

(a) _____ is getting worse and worse – the temperatures keep going up and up. That's probably because of the big hole in the (b) _____, which protects us from the sun. In some parts of the planet there have been terrible (c) _____ where the water has destroyed towns and cities. Meanwhile, in Africa there are terrible (d) _____

where it hasn't rained for a long time. But in places like the USA and Europe people (e) _____ water – they use too much, without thinking. It's important to (f) _____ water, for example by having short showers, not baths. There are other things we can do to protect the earth. We can (g) _____ things like bottles or newspapers.