

Vocabulary Ex. > World Organizations

A. Read the headlines below. Match each event (A-I) with the organization (1-9) that fits best.

A. Climate crisis: rich nations undermining work to help poor countries, research suggests.

B. Budapest is the most popular World Heritage Site.

C. Global Plastics Treaty must reduce plastic production — or it will fail

D. Hundreds of Southern Nevada residents assisted by home fires in May

E. More than 300,000 grave violations against children in 18 years of conflicts

F. South Sudan: Tackling measles amid conflict and climate crisis

G. Korean Peninsula: Security Council must find unity to calm rising tensions

H. Hundreds of newly discovered species under threat in Southeast Asia's Mekong region

I. Authorities must act to reveal fate of 643 men and boys abducted by government-linked militias

1 UNESCO

2 Amnesty International

3 Red Cross

4 OXFAM

5 GREENPEACE

6 WWF

7 Doctors Without Borders

8 UNICEF

9 United Nations

B. Fill in the gaps using the correct form for each word from the box on the right. There is ONE example for you.

The Forum of Humanitarian NGOs – Colombia integrates 30 national and international organizations with a (0) presence throughout the country.

We have developed humanitarian actions serving the population affected by the armed conflict for more than two decades. In 2022, we (1) _____ the immediate needs of 2.5 million people affected by armed conflict, migration crises, and disasters.

Through more than 5,400 humanitarian (2) _____, our organizations reach the most dispersed and complex access areas in Chocó, Nariño, Cauca, Córdoba, Antioquia, Putumayo, Arauca or Norte de Santander, among other departments affected by armed conflict.

Today in Colombia, 60% of the rural population lives in areas with the presence and interference of organized armed groups. The (3) _____ of child soldiers is on the rise; every three days, there is a new mine victim. In 2022, a conservative

0. present

1. address

2. work

3. recruit



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estimate indicated that at least 343,000 people suffered forced displacement, and 102,300 were confined (70% in ethnic villages).

In recent months we have observed how armed groups seek to limit and condition humanitarian action in the territories under their influence, (4) _____ the risks for local populations and humanitarian workers.

We call on armed actors to respect humanitarian (5) _____, the principles that guide us (impartiality, neutrality, independence, humanity), and International Humanitarian Law. Humanitarian action must be guaranteed as long as immediate needs affect the lives and increase the suffering of the population, even amid (6) _____ and dialogue processes within the framework of peace.

Respect for humanitarian action saves lives and alleviates (7) _____. By 2023, we are committed to serving 1.6 million people with urgent and severe needs. Any conditions or (8) _____ on the humanitarian action that erode its principles will negatively impact hundreds of thousands of people in Colombia.

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4. increase

5. act

6. negotiate

7. suffer

8. restrict

C. Unscramble the letters in bold and find the word to complete each sentence.

Eg.: Doctors Without Borders are **eoruogacus** people who give their lives for healing others in the battlefield.

Answer: courageous

1 Cooperation and respect are **seilasent** to make peace in any territory.

Answer: _____

2 UNESCO encourages cultural cooperation to preserve places of great **nsuvaeirl** value.

Answer: _____

3 If you want to fight for the **mefrdeo** of people who are in prison for their beliefs, join AI.

Answer: _____

4 Malala challenged the Taliban to give women a place in her society through **dencioaut**.

Answer: _____

5 It is awesome to see how people can work **rvolacoelaiybtI** to make a change in the world.

Answer: _____

6 Volunteering has become a wonderful **ptupyoitron** for those who want to build a better future.

Answer: _____

7 NGOs such as Greenpeace or WWF are becoming more and more **larpoup** with young people.

Answer: _____

8 Witnessing how human rights are poorly **eceertdsp** in some countries is terrifying.

Answer: _____



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