

Breathing and Pollution: Vocabulary.

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Can You Match These Words to Their Definitions?

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| 1 buoyancy | a not pure; containing foreign or harmful elements. |
| 2 particles | b small pieces or fragments of matter. |
| 3 impure | c relating to the process of breathing and the organs involved in it. |
| 4 pollutants | d a device used to remove impurities from a substance. |
| 5 sedimentation | e to inhale air into the lungs. |
| 6 nervous system | f the upward force exerted by a fluid on an object immersed in it. |
| 7 breath in | g substances that contaminate the air, water, or soil and can harm living organisms. |
| 8 filter | h the act of becoming impacted or lodged in a confined space. |
| 9 penetrate | i to pass through or enter something. |
| 10 lung tissue | j the complex network of nerves and cells that carry messages between the brain and body. |
| 11 respiratory | k the specialized cells and structures that make up the lungs and allow for gas exchange. |
| 12 impaction | l the process of settling or depositing particles at the bottom of a liquid. |