

Use Your Skills

1 Use an appropriate relative pronoun to complete the sentences.

- 1 Global warming is a general increase in the temperatureis affecting many countries.
- 2 Michael is the man ... daughter is a well-known scientist.
- 3 A tropical forest is an area tall trees grow very close together.
- 4 This is the lady ... can show you the way to national parks without a car.
- 5 Deforestation is really bad in the mountains... many trees are cut down every year.
- 6 We live in a time ... some animals may stop existing because of hunting and pollution.

2 Read the texts below and say what the writer's purpose is in each case. Circle the best verb for each.

1

suggest
remind
review

If you want to help local insects and birds, a really good way to do it is to let your garden grow a little bit wild and not tidy it up too much. If you don't want the whole garden to be untidy, just choose one area at the back of the garden and let nature take control of it.



2

persuade
explain
warn

From the mid 1800s until the 1950s large cities in Britain, such as London and Manchester, suffered every winter from thick, yellow fog. It was caused by smoke from burning coal in homes and factories. Many people became ill from it every year. Eventually the government passed laws to control the amount of fuel that could be burnt in the cities and the fog disappeared.



3

recommend
promise
compare

There are several ways that you can use less power in your home. First of all, if you are cold, put on a jumper instead of turning up the heating. If you are hot, turn down the heating rather than opening a window. Switch the TV off when you are not using it and always buy low-energy light bulbs.

