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Threats to Wildlife

Task 2: Match the definition with the correct term

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| A group of similar organisms that are able to reproduce. | 1. natural environment |
| The act of using too much of something e.g., overfishing, over hunting. | 2. biodiversity |
| This is another word for farming. It includes growing crops and raising farm animals. | 3. habitat |
| All the living and non-living things that exist in a region naturally, not man-made. | 4. habitat destruction |
| This is the illegal hunting, killing or capturing of animals. | 5. species |
| This is created mainly by human activities. It makes Earth dirty and unhealthy. It can be found in the air, the land and the water. | 6. endangered species |
| The natural home or environment of an animal where it lives, finds its food, finds a mate and reproduces. | 7. extinction |
| This is when a habitat is destroyed and is no longer able to support the plants, animals, or other organisms that live in it. | 8. agriculture |
| This is the variety of the different types of plants and animals that exist in a particular area or in the world generally. | 9. overexploitation |
| The increase of greenhouse gases and global warming affects and changes the Earth's climate system. | 10. overfishing |
| The dying out of a species, forever disappearing from the wild. | 11. poaching |
| Humans catch so many fish that the species cannot grow back, they decrease in numbers until they become extinct. | 12. climate change |
| A species, which is not extinct, but it is in danger of becoming extinct. | 13. global warming |
| This means meeting the needs of our generation in | 14. pollution |

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| a way that allows the future generations to meet their needs, too. | |
| This is caused by human activities which make the Earth hotter and hotter. | 15. sustainability |