



**ENGLISH WORKSHOP No.3  
EIGHTH GRADE**

**NAME:** \_\_\_\_\_ **GRADE:** \_\_\_\_\_ **DATE:** \_\_\_\_\_

**A. READING AND WRITING TASK:**

Choose the correct answers:

**PRE-READING TASK**

**A. SKIMM THE FOLLOWING TEXT ABOUT "ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS",  
AND CHOOSE THE RIGHT ANSWERS:**

**1. This reading is about:**

- a. A scientific text.
- b. An advertisement
- c. A Descriptive text.

**2. How many environmental problems are described in the reading?**

- a. one
- b. four
- c. three

**3. The images in this reading are representing:**

- a. Colombian children
- b. Foreign children
- c. Children living in the downtown.

**B. READ THE FOLLOWING TEXT AND COMPLETE WITH ENVIRONMENTAL CONCERNS FROM EXERCISE 1:**



I'm Carlos. I live in N3vita, Choc3. It's near the River T3mana. My friends and I **love living** in the rainforest with all its plants and animals. **We're concerned about** illegal . This activity **pollutes** rivers and streams, **erodes** land, and **affects** our health.

I'm Diego from Ci3naga. I'm the son of a fisherman and I live near the lagoon. **I'm worried about** fish. They are dying because the level of oxygen is low. There is too much water b .

I'm Luisa. I live in Arcabuco, Boyac3. I **enjoy walking** in these beautiful mountains. **I'm concerned about** . A lot of people cut down trees for agriculture and cattle farming. It affects ecosystems and biodiversity.

**C. WHILE-READING TASK: MATCH THE WORDS WITH MEANINGS.**

1. Erode

2. Fisherman

3. Oxygen

4. Rainforest

5. Cattle farming

a. An area of tall, mostly evergreen trees and a high amount of rainfall.

b. Cattle from birth until the point at which they provide food or milk for consumption.

c. a colourless, odourless reactive gas, the life-supporting component of the air.

d. a person who catches fish for a living or for sport.

e. gradually wear away (soil, rock, or land).

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