



## LISTENING

## Task 1. Listen and fill in the blanks.



Air pollution affects the (1) \_\_\_\_\_ we breathe. It's made up of harmful gases, droplets, and particles. These make the air quality poor. Many things can cause air (2) \_\_\_\_\_. Some air pollution is caused by burning (3) \_\_\_\_\_. Oil is used to make gasoline for cars. Cars and trucks produce a lot of air pollution. Coal can give off harmful gases when it's burned. Coal is burned to make (4) \_\_\_\_\_. Renewable resources are not harmful to the air. Biomass fuels, such as (5) \_\_\_\_\_, can cause a little air pollution. It does not produce as (6) \_\_\_\_\_ as fuels. Some renewable resources do not produce any air pollution. (7) \_\_\_\_\_ energy, (8) \_\_\_\_\_ energy, hydropower,....

## Task 2. Listen and decide if the statements are True (T) or False (F)

1. Air pollution affects the air we breathe.
2. Some air pollution is caused by burning oil.
3. Coal can give off harmful gases when it's burned.
4. Renewable resources are as harmful to the air as fossil fuels.
5. Some renewable resources do not produce any air pollution.



## SPEAKING

1 · What is the main reason for thermal pollution?	a. They are non-biodegradable and create an environmental hazard.
2 · What effect does thermal pollution have on aquatic animals?	b. Nuclear wastes from nuclear power plants, mining and processing of nuclear material etc.
3 · How to minimize the water pollution due to Chemicals?	c. Carbon dioxide. It contributes about 55% to global warming.
4 · What diseases are usually caused by air pollution?	d. It affects their growth and may kill off them.
5 · Which gas is mainly responsible for global warming?	e. Hot water released by power plants and industries.
6 · What are the effects of noise pollution?	f. Sleep disturbance, high blood pressure, emotional problems and annoyance.
7 · Why are plastic bags a big environmental nuisance?	g. Rickets, throat cancer, lung cancer and breathing problem.
8 · What are sources of radioactive pollution?	h. Treat wastewater before discharging into a flowing body of water.

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**Task 2. Write the question for the underline part.**

1. \_\_\_\_\_

Water pollution is the contamination of water bodies, such as lakes, rivers and oceans.

2. \_\_\_\_\_

The river water is heavily contaminated because of toxic waste dumping.

3. \_\_\_\_\_

There are five major types of pollution.

4. \_\_\_\_\_

If I were the President, I would ban cars from city centres.

5. \_\_\_\_\_

Most of the plastic waste ends up in the oceans.

6. \_\_\_\_\_

Death or disfiguration are common effects of exposure to radioactive waste.

7. \_\_\_\_\_

Ho Chi Minh City is more polluted than Panang.

8. \_\_\_\_\_

In my neighbourhood, garbage is collected everyday.

9. \_\_\_\_\_

Every individual is responsible for solving environmental issues

10. \_\_\_\_\_

Land pollution can be prevented by the proper disposing of the litter.