

12a Earth trends

Vocabulary measurements

- 2 Match the sentence beginnings (1–6) with the endings (a–f).

- 1 The area of Antarctica is _____
 - 2 Water becomes ice at a temperature below zero _____
 - 3 The average adult should drink _____
 - 4 Thirty percent _____
 - 5 The height of the tallest tree on Earth is _____
 - 6 The weight of the International Space Station (ISS) is _____
- a of the Earth's surface is dry land.
b degree Celsius.
c fourteen million square kilometers.
d four hundred and nineteen thousand, four hundred and fifty-five kilograms.
e two point five liters of water per day.
f one hundred and thirty meters.

- 3 Write the measurements in Exercise 2 as numbers and abbreviations.

- 1 The area of Antarctica: 14,000,000 km²
- 2 When water becomes ice: below _____
- 3 Amount of water for an average adult: _____
- 4 Earth covered by dry land: _____
- 5 Height of the tallest tree: _____
- 6 Weight of the ISS: _____

- 93 Listen to three predictions of future trends on Earth. Match the predictions (1–3) with the topics (a–d). There is one extra topic.

Prediction 1 _____
Prediction 2 _____
Prediction 3 _____

a population
b food and water
c energy
d travel and tourism

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