

UNIT 7: POLLUTION

A. PHONETICS

I. Mark the stress in the following.

aquatic	chemical	atomic	economic
botanical	energetic	traditional	terrific
historical	scientific	medical	athletic
classical	dramatic	practical	characteristic
technical	poetic	national	biological

II. Write the words from the box in the correct part of the table, according to the stress pattern.

historic	specific	musical	scenic	electrical	artistic	logical	tragic	natural
horrific	scientific	political	comic	physical	technological	heroic	magic	
global	original	systematic	arrival	emotional	economical	central		
	critical	grammatical	academic	mathematical				

Oo	
Ooo	
oOo	
oOoo	
ooOo	
ooOoo	

B. VOCABULARY AND GRAMMAR

I. Match the different types of pollution to the pictures.

water pollution	soil pollution	air pollution	noise pollution
light pollution	visual pollution	radioactive pollution	thermal pollution

1.	2.	3.	4.



II. Complete the sentences with the words or phrases in part I.

1. The smoke from planes, cars and factories causes _____.
2. There are many causes of _____ including nuclear explosions, nuclear accidents and nuclear waste.
3. _____ can cause hearing loss and tinnitus.
4. _____ can be caused by unattractive views, such as power lines, billboards, Street banners, open storage of trash, ugly buildings, etc.
5. _____ can lead to the death of aquatic plants and animals.
6. _____ can happen when the temperature of a body of water increases;
7. There's just so much _____ from the ground that we simply can't see most of the stars.
8. The ever-increasing use of Chemicals such as pesticides and fertilizers is one of the main factors causing _____.

III. Complete the sentences with the words from the box.

aquatic	radioactive	contaminated	poison	pollutant
dumped	sewage	untreated	dead	effects

1. _____ or wastewater should be treated before it is discharged into the river or ocean.
2. More and more waste and _____ are poured into the water, the soil and the air.
3. The _____ material is stored in a special radiation-proof Container.
4. Oil spills can cause the death of _____ animals such as fish.
5. _____ sewage can spread disease and contaminate drinking water sources.
6. Cholera is transmitted through _____ water
7. The health _____ of air pollution include heart disease, lung cancer, and asthma.
8. Carbon dioxide is a dangerous air _____.
9. Over 150,000 tonnes of waste are _____ annually along the coastline.
10. Up to 100,000 fish were found _____ along the river last week.