

The Natural Word

i. Vocab.

- 1) **defense (n)** – Protection from harm or danger
 Shade FROM/AGAINST (v): che ánh sáng trực tiếp (bóng râm)
E.g. The shade from trees provides a **defense against** the drying effects of the sun.
- 2) **defender (n)** – A person who protects sth or sb
E.g. Defenders of the environment work to protect plants and animals from damage caused by logging. (=n, việc đốn hạ cây)
- 3) **defend (v)** – To protect against attack or harm
E.g. Fish cannot defend themselves from the effects of water pollution.
- 4) **environment (n)** – The natural world, including air, water, and land
E.g. The environment needs to be protected from the effects of logging.
- 5) **environmental (a)** – Related to the environment
E.g. Logging causes a great deal of environmental damage.
- 6) **environmentally (adv)** – In a way that relates to the environment. Về mặt môi trường
E.g. It is important to develop more environmentally friendly logging practices.
- 7) **erosion (n)** – The gradual destruction of land by wind, water, or other natural forces. Sự xói mòn
E.g. Soil **erosion** leads to the pollution of streams and rivers.
- 8) **erode (v)** – To wear away or be gradually destroyed. Xói mòn, bào mòn
E.g. When soil erodes, there are no nutrients left to help plants grow.
- 9) **extent (n)** – The size or scale of something. Phạm vi, quy mô, mức độ
E.g. The extent of environmental damage caused by logging is frightening.
- 10) **extend (v)** – To reach or stretch over a certain area or period of time. kéo dài, mở rộng
E.g. The Amazon rainforest extends from Brazil into neighboring countries.
- 11) **extensive (a)** – Large in amount or size. rộng lớn, bao quát
E.g. The Amazon rainforest is the most extensive rainforest in the world.

- 12) **extensively (adv)** – Over a large area or to a great extent. 1 cách rộng rãi, số lượng lớn
E.g. Rainforests around the world have been extensively logged.