

Lesson 2 What areas do scientists study?

1. Complete the text with words from the box.

analyzing damage environmental industrial machinery
protect resources samples threats wildlife

Part of the job of 1 _____ scientists is to research the effect on the environment caused by 2 _____ processes. Through collecting 3 _____ of air, water, soil, and food, and 4 _____ them, they are able to understand the damage being caused and the 5 _____ facing the environment in the future.

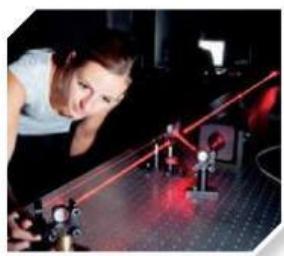
Armed with this knowledge, scientists can work on ways to control or prevent further 6 _____ to the environment. They may have to make improvements to industrial 7 _____ or suggest changes in manufacturing processes.

Environmental science is also an important factor in finding and testing new ways of producing energy using natural 8 _____ with less pollutants. They play a huge part in efforts to 9 _____ not just the human environment, but the habitat of different forms of 10 _____ all over the planet.

2. Unscramble the words for the areas of science. Then write the scientists specializing in each area.

1 ihmtescry		
2 otrntiuni		
3 yboiglo		
4 schiysp		

3. Match the scientists in Activity 2 with the pictures.





4. Circle the correct words to complete the sentences.