

READING ACTIVITY – ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICIAN TASKS

Understanding key responsibilities in environmental fieldwork

ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNICIAN READING ACTIVITY



READING TEXT

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ACTIVITY 1: MULTIPLE CHOICE

- Why do technicians measure noise levels?
 - A) To make reports about water
 - B) Because too much noise is bad for health
 - C) To control emissions
- What do technicians do after collecting samples?
 - A) They apply safety protocols
 - B) They prepare environmental reports
 - C) They promote campaigns
- Which task helps reduce air pollution?
 - A) Manage solid waste
 - B) Control emissions
 - C) Inspect facilities



ACTIVITY 2: TRUE OR FALSE

Write **True (T)** or **False (F)**:

- Technicians monitor water quality in rivers and lakes. ____
- They never collect samples of soil or air. ____
- Inspecting facilities is part of their job. ____
- They promote campaigns only in factories. ____

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ACTIVITY 3: FILL IN THE BLANKS

Complete the sentences with words from the text:

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