

Class

UNIT 2: WRITING PRACTICE

Name:.....

Rewrite the sentences without changing their meaning, beginning as directed.

1. There will be a sharp rise in the urban area in the first three decades of the 21st century.

The urban area.....

2. Greenhouse gas emissions from cities increase steadily over the past six decades.

There.....

3. The percentage of urban population in Asia rose by 50% from 1960 to 2010.

There

4. The number of megacities has nearly tripled since 1990.

There

5. Expansion of urban areas is on average twice as fast as urban population.

Urban areas expand.....

6. She would like me to buy her an ice-cream.

She would rather

7. It's time for us to go to bed.

It's time that

8. What a pity. I didn't visit my grandparents last week.

I wish.....

9. I don't have enough money, so I can't buy that book.

If.....

10. I was advised to inform the police of my being robbed.

It was advisable that