

English – Burlington Mindset B1 – Unit 8: Nature (Vocabulary Test)

1. Complete the sentences. Use the words given.

(nibble, reduce, approach, approximately, reliable, emergency, arrange, wave, certain, beware, landscape)

- I think I'll need _____ three days to paint the house.
- This photo shows the beautiful desert _____.
- Joan's friends _____ a picnic for her birthday.
- I _____ on healthy snacks when I watch TV in the evening.
- The metro system helps _____.
- I _____ my hands trying to catch her attention but she didn't see me.
- The police and an ambulance came quickly to deal with the _____.
- Stella has offered to buy a gift for Liam, and as she's _____, she'll do it.
- _____ dogs, such as poodles and collies, are good as family pets.
- The children got more and more excited as they _____ the theme park.
- _____ of the neighbor's dog because it isn't friendly.

2. Circle the correct answer:

- There is a **sleepy** / **nasty** / **safety** smell coming from the rubbish bin.
- The Taj Mahal is a **disease** / **region** / **magnificent** building in India.
- The school is **situated** / **arrange** / **spread** in a quiet neighbourhood.
- We finally reached our **guide** / **destination** / **review** after we'd sat in traffic for an hour.
- The book is **suitable** / **reliable** / **reduced** for young readers.
- Empty cans and bottles are household **issue** / **waste** / **lane** which can be recycled.
- All the students are very **concerned** / **warning** / **respectful** that the final exam will be difficult.

3. Complete the letters.

- These flowers _____ off a beautiful smell.
- From my _____ of view, the test was very fair.
- John showed us _____ his new house.
- The lunch special at the restaurant is good _____ money.
- The neighbor's big dog frightened my cat _____ and I spent hours looking for it.
- Binoculars make it possible to see things at _____.
- There are _____ of biscuits for everyone.
- Let me give you a _____ with that heavy suitcase.
- Friend offered to give us a _____ to the concert.
- Sue always takes good _____ of my dog when I go on holidays.
- I took _____ of what Jim said. I'm sure he didn't mean it.

4. Match the words with their meaning.

provide
staff
spread
pollution
environmental

a. μεταδίδω
b. μόλυνση
c. παρέχω
d. περιβαλλοντικός
e. προσωπικό (εταιρείας)

5. Make phrases and then write their meanings.

give
take
take
traffic

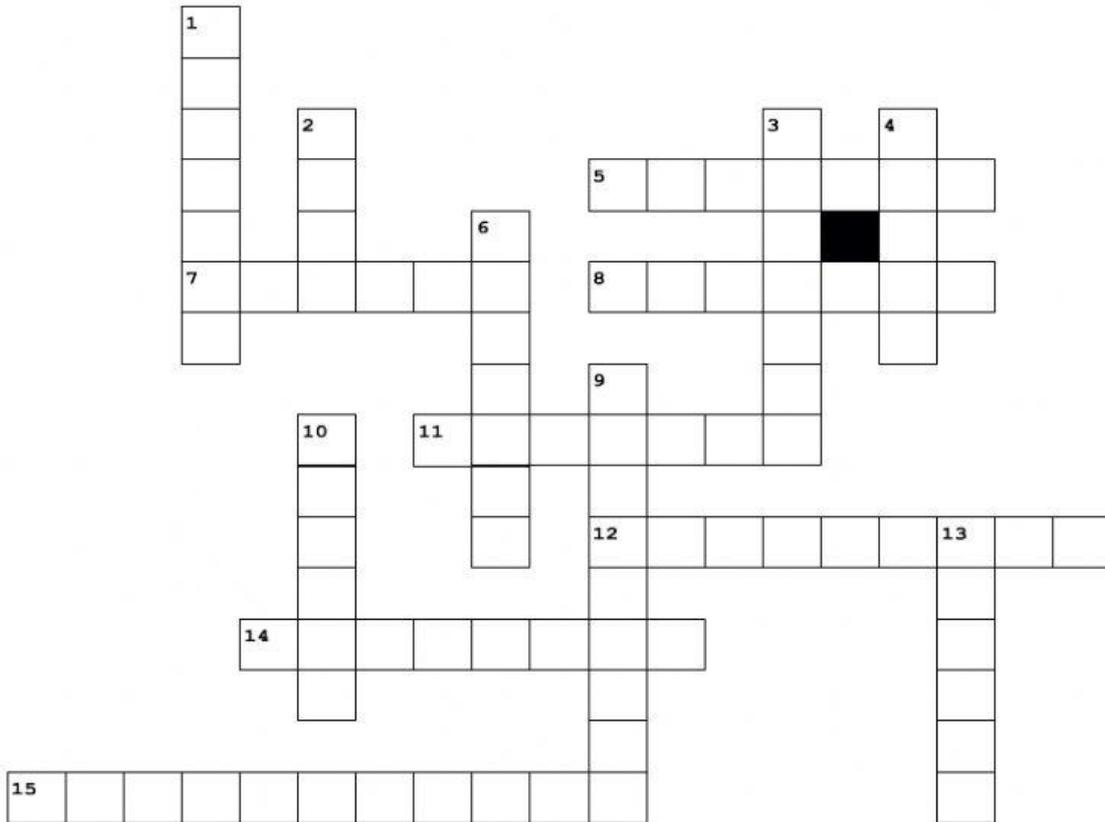
a. a break
b. ages
c. directions
d. jam

6. Match the words with their definition:

(recycle, trail, natural, near, transport)

- not far away
- place for people to walk in the countryside
- way to move people or things to other locations
- found in nature and not made by humans
- treat something already used so it can be used again

7. Read the clues and fill in the missing words.



ACROSS

- 5. illness
- 7. plants, animals and things not made by people
- 8. how food or drink tastes
- 11. make or create something
- 12. pleasant
- 14. small flying creature
- 15. popular trend for a particular period of time

DOWN

- 1. notice that something bad may happen
- 2. be right for a person or situation
- 3. work or act that helps other
- 4. important subject or problem that people are discussing
- 6. in the middle
- 9. tell people about a product
- 10. large area of land
- 13. easy to see and strong in colour

8. Complete. Use the correct form of the word given.

- a. The accident occurred at ten o'clock.. **APPROXIMATE**
- b. This movie is not for young children because of the violence.. **SUIT**
- c. Ben likes to make a good impression, so he is always **FASHION**
- d. For them, pollution may not be the worst sort of devastation. **ENVIRONMENT**
- e. They should have issued a about the weather. **WARN**
- f. We've created this policy to protect our users' online **SAFE**
- g. My skills appear to be well suited to your company's requirements. **PROFESSION**

9. Complete the text. Write one word in each gap.

There are still some people _____ say that climate change is not real ! Others say _____ it is real, but we cannot do anything to stop _____, so we need not try. A few people even say that climate change is not caused by human beings. But most people now understand that our world is getting hotter, and we _____ to do something about it. We only have one Earth, and _____ can't get another one.

Twenty years ago, people could perhaps imagine _____ climate change was not a real problem, because some scientists still had doubts. Today almost all the world's scientists agree: the world _____ getting hotter, and it is the fault of human beings. Our planet _____ going towards a climate catastrophe, but we can stop _____ worst effects. Indeed we must _____ everything possible to stop them.

The green energy revolution _____ already begun, but the challenges are still enormous. "Going green" _____ cost an enormous amount of money, and use some kinds _____ technology that do not yet exist. Also there _____ some people who believe that it will be too expensive.

Although most people care about _____ planet and know that we have to act now _____ avoid a climate catastrophe, there are other people who have different priorities. There _____ people who just don't care, _____ there are people who care more about themselves than about the world around them. There are people and big companies that just want to make money, and are _____ interested in anything that gets in their way. Most importantly, there are politicians _____ are frightened of doing anything that other people will not like; they make promises, but they do _____ keep them.

10. Find 12 words that you met in this unit. Then make 3 sentences with some of them.

P A P P R O A C H T P Y
G R W Y T S A N F Y F O
T X N H N S A S B E I H
K Q R N B E U N W S U C
G C D Q I R R R C I Q I
I O Z W U V T A T T E X
N T Y M O I A M W R W U
P R O D U C E M M E S Y
N I B B L E H A I V B T
V I X C D F C V L D Y D

F O N O I G E R Z A P R
C O N C E R N E D A U K

Sentences:

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3)
