

# AIR POLLUTION

**Air pollution is caused by:**

Vehicles smoke    Deforestation    Factory fumes    Smoke  
Wildfires            Trash-burning    Fertilizers and Pesticides  
Volcanic eruptions



Read the causes of air pollution and match them to the effects on people and our environment.

- **Deforestation**

pollutes the air and It's the major source of pollution in big cities.

- **Vehicle smoke**

pollute the air by releasing various types of substances such as sulphur dioxide, oxides of carbon into others.

- **Factories fumes**

the loss of trees and other vegetation can cause climate change, soil erosion, fewer crops, floods. increased greenhouse gases in the atmosphere.

- **Extinguishers and aerosols**

pollute the air by depleting the ozone layer.

- **Smoke**

increase carbon dioxide levels in the atmosphere, contributing to the greenhouse effect and climate change. Many animals die in the flames and others lose their habitats. Some species can be in danger of extinction.

- **Wildfires**

pollutes the air by emitting carbon monoxide and nicotine. It also affects the respiratory system, causing lung cancer.