

[UNIT 10. ENDANGERED SPECIES]

VOCABULARY

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* Choose the best option (A, B, C or D) to complete each of the following sentences.

1. Many species of animals and plants today are _____.
A. risky B. on risk C. endangered D. under danger
2. The widespread use of pesticides has _____ many rare species.
A. cancelled B. extincted C. devastated D. wiped out
3. A tropical rainforest once destroyed can never be _____.
A. repaired B. replaced C. recovered D. regenerated
4. One of the effects of acid rain is that it causes plants to _____.
A. wither B. thrive C. shrink D. contract
5. There are now over 850,000 named _____ of insects on the earth.
A. species B. families C. colonies D. varieties
6. If we do not look after our environment, zebras could become an _____ species.
A. enclosed B. endangered C. imperilled D. infrequent
7. Poisonous gases _____ many factories destroy the ozone layer.
A. over B. above C. from D. around
8. As more and more rainforest in the world is destroyed, the threat _____ wildlife increases.
A. to B. by C. with D. about
9. We can all do something to help _____ the environment.
A. detect B. defeat C. proceed D. protect
10. A lot of species have already been on the _____ of extinction.
A. side B. verge C. corner D. surface