

Vocabulary Ex. > Environmental Issues

A. Look at the images below. Complete the statements using ONE word on each line. Hints have been given for you.

			
1. don't p_____ the air	2. stop c_____ d_____ forests	3. r_____ materials	4. t_____ o_____ water

			
5. r_____ the b_____	6. s_____ endan-gered _____	7. r_____ paper, glass, and plastic.	8. s_____ o_____ the lights

B. Choose the answer (A-D) that best fits each statement.

- ____ lovers would rather live in the ____ than in the hustle and bustle of cities.
 - city
 - countryside
 - nature
 - cosmopolitan
- Due to the storm few people suffered serious ____ and a lot of ____ was caused to buildings.
 - damage
 - hurt
 - injuries
 - harm
- ____ from cars and other vehicles and ____ from factories cause a great damage to the air.
 - emissions
 - exhaust fumes
 - pollution
 - greenhouse gases
- Damage to ____ and high fire risk is being faced due to the extreme _____.
 - water
 - crops
 - floods
 - drought
- Some cities will be ____ due to air pollution since lung and chest illnesses are increasing.
 - deserted
 - polluted
 - chaotic
 - inhospitable
- Some examples of natural ____ include forests, deserts, tundra, and wetlands.
 - ecosystems
 - habitats
 - mountains
 - regions
- As with most environmental ____, tropical diseases like malaria are threats to poor populations.
 - matters
 - problems
 - issues
 - changes
- As the Earth gets ____, icesheets will slowly melt, and the level of the oceans will rise.
 - colder
 - weather
 - warmer
 - more polluted



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