

# Describing environmental issues



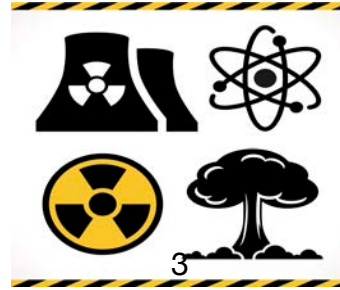
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\_\_\_\_\_ bad for our health.



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Dirty water causes \_\_\_\_\_



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\_\_\_\_\_ extremely \_\_\_\_\_  
for the environment.



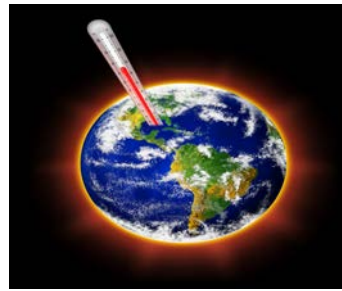
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\_\_\_\_\_ many  
kinds of wildlife.



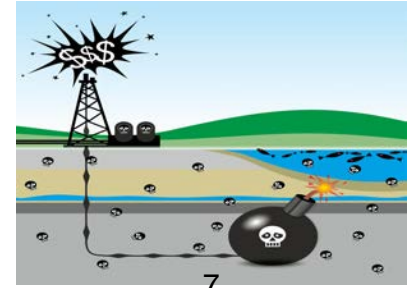
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\_\_\_\_\_ creates a  
lot of garbage.



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\_\_\_\_\_ the  
temperature of the earth's atmosphere.



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\_\_\_\_\_ water supplies.

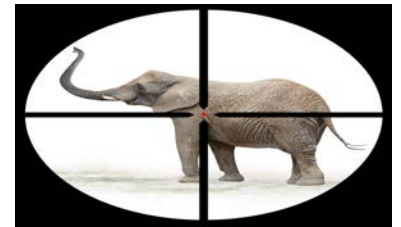


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\_\_\_\_\_ ,  
plants and animals.

### Useful vocabulary

- "bacterial infections" hazardous deforestation
- contaminate viruses droughts
- "oil spills" "extreme weather" hunting
- "endangered species" pesticides garbage
- consumerism "air pollution"
- fracking "climate change"
- flooding "acid rain" infectious



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Elephants are \_\_\_\_\_  
due to \_\_\_\_\_.



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\_\_\_\_\_ leads  
to increased flooding.



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\_\_\_\_\_ are  
a big problem for farmers.



12

\_\_\_\_\_ death and destruction.



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\_\_\_\_\_ in low lying areas.



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\_\_\_\_\_ many  
kinds of sea life.



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\_\_\_\_\_ can spread  
extremely quickly.

## Possible Answers

- 1 Air pollution from factories is bad for our health.
- 2 Dirty water causes bacterial infections
- 3 Nuclear power plants are extremely hazardous for the environment.
- 4 Pesticides kill many kinds of wildlife.
- 5 Consumerism creates a lot of garbage.
- 6 Climate change is increasing the temperature of the earth's atmosphere.
- 7 Fracking can contaminate water supplies.
- 8 Acid rain kills trees, plants and animals.
- 9 Elephants are an endangered species due to hunting.
- 10 Deforestation leads to increased flooding.
- 11 Longer droughts are a big problem for farmers.
- 12 Extreme weather causes death and destruction,
- 13 Infectious viruses can spread extremely quickly.
- 14 Flooding is a big problem in low lying areas.
- 15 Oil spills kill many kinds of sea life.