

Test 1

1. Find antonyms

- a) disposable
- b) poisonous
- c) fragile

2. Find the correct words!

- a) The preservation and careful management of the environment and of natural resources.
- b) All the plant life in a particular region.
- c) Money that you have to pay to the government so that it can pay for e.g. for public services.
- d) A process in which a substance reacts with oxygen, also the act of burning something.

3. Complete the sentences.

- a) Only 30% of the Earth's _____ is covered with land.
- b) _____ is the act of burning down trees in a specific area.
- c) _____ can lead to respiratory problems.

4. Comment on a general idea what it means to do something for the environment.

Write about 150 words.

5. Complete the table.

Country	One person	Main language
Australia		English
Canada	a Canadian	
		Chinese
	Frenchman /Frenchwoman	
Germany		
	Dutchman /Dutchwoman	
the USA		

~Good Luck~

Test 1 - Solutions

1.

- a) nondisposable
- b) nontoxic, good
- c) unbreakable, strong

2.

- a) conservation
- b) flora
- c) taxes
- d) combustion

3.

- a) Only 30% of the Earth's surface is covered with land.
- b) Deforestation is the act of burning down trees in a specific area.
- c) Toxic fumes/emissions can lead to respiratory problems.

4. Watch out!

Comment means to give a **personal view** on a certain topic.

Suggestions:

- everyone has to take a part in the responsibility for the environment
- if everyone says "well the government has to do more" then this is wrong, because
- we must learn to live a sustainable lifestyle
- we have to use renewable/natural resources e.g. wind energy, sun energy, water energy
- separate the rubbish
- use recycled paper
- don't buy products made up of tropical hardwoods
- try to save energy, by switching off the light when you leave a room, by not wasting water
- walk more often, instead of using the car
- buy aerosols without CFC

5.

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