

85 Pollution and the environment

85.1 Fill the gaps to complete these definitions.

10 marks

- 1 The air, land and water around us is our
- 2 Dirty air, land and water are all forms of
- 3 The layer of gases which stop dangerous radiation from the sun reaching the earth is called the
- 4 An increase in world temperature which is by an increase in carbon dioxide is called
- 5 Rain that contains dangerous chemicals is called
- 6 A place to put your empty bottles is called a bottle

85.2 Use words from each column to make sentences about how we should help the environment:

6 marks

Column 1	Column 2	Column 3
Try to	throw away waste save plant	aluminium cans water
Don't	cut down recycle	trees

- 1
- 2
- 3
- 4
- 5
- 6

85.3 Complete these sentences using the word on the right in the correct form.

8 marks

- 1 Smoke from factories is the atmosphere.
- 2 This is one of many problems.
- 3 Pollution is very to people's health.
- 4 Fortunately there are now many groups.
- 5 Their aim is the of all natural things.
- 6 Pollution is the environment.
- 7 The effects of this radiation can be very
- 8 waste is a big problem.

POLLUTION
ENVIRONMENT
HARM
CONSERVE
PROTECT
DESTRUCTION
DAMAGE
INDUSTRY

85.4 Fill the gaps in these sentences with words from the box.

6 marks

factory resources dumping rain forests fumes waste

- 1 It is very important that we look after natural such as water and gas.
- 2 We need to protect tropical such as the Amazon.
- 3 The company were fined for dangerous chemicals straight into the sea.
- 4 In big cities, two major sources of pollution are car exhaust and smoke from chimneys.
- 5 There are strict laws about the disposal of nuclear

Your score

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