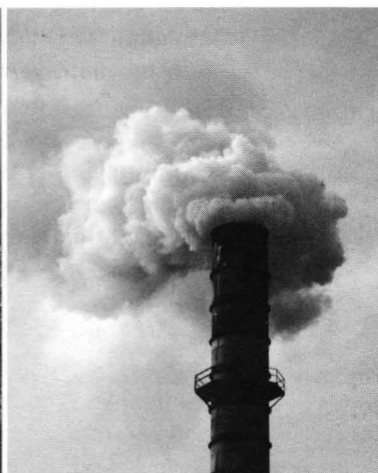


4 The world around us

Aims: Talking about the environment and climate
Using cleft sentences and complex sentences
Pronunciation: Long and short vowel sounds
Exam technique: Using news articles to improve your answers

Vocabulary: The environment



1 Complete sentences 1–7 with words a–g. The sentences are all about ways to help the environment.

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| a | Boycott | c | Recycle | e | Switch | g | Walk |
| b | Buy | d | Reduce | f | Use | | |

- 1 _____ paper, cans, plastic, glass and other items like mobiles.
- 2 _____ less water in the house and garden.
- 3 _____ the amount of household waste you produce.
- 4 _____ to energy efficient light bulbs.
- 5 _____ products that harm the environment, such as those made from mahogany, which grows in rainforests.
- 6 _____, cycle or use public transport instead of driving your car.
- 7 _____ organic foods that do not use harmful artificial fertilisers and pesticides.