

**Geography**

**School Based Assessment**

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**Research Question**

How pollution affects the residents of Eccles New Housing Scheme?

**Aim**

* To find out what forms of pollution affects the residents of the Eccles New Housing Scheme.
* Also to find out how they plan to combat these forms of pollution.

**Methodology**

HOW: The researcher distributed twenty – three (23) questionnaires. the method of random selection was chosen for the distribution of questionnaires. In some cases where individuals weren’t available he sought out other recipients to take their place. After a period of thirty –six (36) hours, he returned to the site of distribution to recollect the questionnaires.

WHEN: On the 5th of November, 2013 the researcher distributed the questionnaires and recollected them on the 6th of November, 2013.

WHERE: The distribution of the questionnaires took place in the Eccles New Housing Scheme.

Presentation of Data

**Analysis and Discussion**

**Causes**

Talk about how pollution is prevalent in Guyana. land pollution is growing pandemic in Eccles and is caused as a result of several factors.as shown below fig1 of the diagram below pollution can start by simply dumping garbage in vacant lots which 48 of the respondents admitting of doin. From the information gathered we can come to a conclusion nthat 59 % of the respondents dump approximately one or two barrels of garbage every week. This analysis will put the researcher in the position to visualize the growth and development problem to pandemic 44 % of the respondents stated they seldom collection of garbage. Hence the M & CC is responsible. 16% of the respondents identified the overflowing of bins as one of the cause of garbage build up while 20 % complained about the lack of bins being the cause of garbage build up similarly 20% indicated the destruction of bins by stray animals by the cause of pollution. With all stated the researcher has come to the conclusion that all the causes of garbage in the community is linked to the blatant ignorance obligations to the community.

Diagram

Concequences

Pollution has many dangerous on human beings and their day to day life. The concequences of pollution can be detrimental to some persons of the community. The build up of garbage affected the respondents on four main ways.

Firstly it contributes to visual discomfort and is an eye sore. Consequentially 24 % of the respondents encountered this problem. one respondent stated that they were truly disgust at the site of heeps and piles of garbage at the road sides. Pollution is a danger to health and well being of the community. 12% of the respondents experienced out breaks of diseases in their households and 8% of them fell ill as a result of these out breaks. While as astonishing 52 % indicated that this epidemic led to the breeding of households pest likes rats, roaches and flies which were responsible for most of the out breaks along with diareah as a result of water contamination. It can be concluded that the community face a great treat that bound to escalate if not resisted in some form of urgency.