

UNIT 5: VOCABULARY WORKSHEET 2

First Name: _____ Date: _____
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A. Write.

1. area where waste material is buried: _____
2. to make something less in amount: to _____
3. to get rid of rubbish: to _____ **of**
4. to sort and collect rubbish to use it again: to _____
5. the 3R's that protect the environment: **reduce**, _____, **recycle**
6. making air, water, soil, etc. dirty: _____
7. a person who is interested in the natural environment and wants to improve and protect it: _____
8. to fill a battery with electricity so that it can work again: to _____
9. to cause a particular result: to _____
10. to find a way of dealing with a problem: to _____

B. Fill in the blanks with the words from above.

1. It's time to learn the three R's of the environment: reduce, _____, recycle.
2. If we want to help the environment, we should _____ waste and not buy things we do not want.
3. This new electric car battery that can _____ in six minutes.
4. They suggested several ways to _____ the environmental problem.
5. Shall I just throw this bottle away, or do you _____?
6. _____ are working to improve the quality of our lakes and rivers.
7. Environmentalists say there is a high risk of _____ from the landfill site.
8. Cars _____ poisonous gases.
9. Some waste can be poisonous so we should _____ of it safely.
10. People dump great amounts of rubbish into the _____ every year.

C. Study and write.

1. The city council is responsible for waste _____ and street cleaning. DISPOSE
2. Factories send out toxic air _____ into the atmosphere. POLLUTE
3. There has been a dramatic _____ in carbon dioxide emissions. REDUCE
4. We try to buy reusable, repairable, and _____ products. CHARGE
5. There's no easy _____ to this problem. SOLVE
6. This packaging is _____ to the environment. HARM
7. What was once desert has become _____ farmland. PRODUCE
8. Renewable sources of energy such as wind and solar power are _____ friendly. ENVIRONMENT

VERB	NOUN	ADJECTIVE	ADVERB
dispose of	disposal of	-	-
pollute	pollution/pollutant/polluter		
-	environment/ environmentalist	environmental	environmentally
reduce	reduction	-	-
recharge	(re)charger	rechargeable	-
produce	production/producer/ product/productivity	productive	productively
solve	solution	-	-
harm	harmfulness	harmful	harmfully

area	περιοχή	to deal with	αντιμετωπίζω
waste	απόβλητα	to solve	λύνω
material	υλικό	to suggest	προτείνω
is buried	θάβεται	several	μερικοί, -ές, ά
landfill	X.Y.T.A*/χωματερή	ways	τρόποι
less	λιγότερος, -η, -ο	poisonous	δηλητηριώδης
amount	ποσότητα	gases	αέρια
to reduce	μειώνω	to dump	πετάω, παρατάω
to get rid of	πετάω, ξεφορτώνομαι	city council	δημοτικό συμβούλιο
to dispose of	πετάω, ξεφορτώνομαι	responsible for	υπεύθυνος για
to sort	χωρίζω, ομαδοποιώ	factory	εργοστάσιο
to recycle	ανακυκλώνω	carbon dioxide	εκπομπές διοξειδίου
to protect	προστατεύω	emissions	του άνθρακα
to reuse	επαναχρησιμοποιώ	packaging	συσκευασία
soil	έδαφος, χώμα	desert	έρημος
dirty	βρώμικος, -η, -ο	farmland	χωράφι
pollution	μόλυνση	renewable	ανανεώσιμες πηγές
to be interested in	ενδιαφέρομαι για	sources	
natural	φυσικό	solar power	ηλιακή ενέργεια
to improve	βελτιώνω	disposal	απόρριψη, αποκομιδή
environmentalist	περιβαλλοντολόγος	pollutant	ρύπος
to fill	γεμίζω	polluter	αυτός που ρυπαίνει
electricity	ηλεκτρικό ρεύμα	charger	φορτιστής
to recharge	επαναφορτίζω	product	προϊόν
to cause	είμαι η αιτία, προξενώ	productivity	παραγωγικότητα
particular	συγκεκριμένος, -η, -ο	solution	λύση
result	αποτέλεσμα	to harm	βλάπτω
to produce	παράγω	harmful	επιβλαβής

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