

Unit 18 Radio play

Skill Telling if something is true or not

Pre-listening Task

What are the following human activities? How are they harmful to wild animals? Fill in the blanks with the given words.

Learn these words

poaching

pollutant emission

deforestation

reclamation



1.



2.



3.



4.

Take a look at the 'Exercise' section. Then read the questions and pay attention to the following information:

- Who are talking in the radio play? Two _____.
- The radio play is about _____ and _____.
- Make a guess: What may they talk about? (Please circle the correct letters.)
 - the cause of climate change
 - the endangered animals in the rainforest
 - what humans should do to protect the environment
 - what humans do to harm wildlife



10 mins

DATE

Exercise



Listen to Track 8



Eric is listening to a radio play about two polar bears. They are affected by global warming and climate change. Listen carefully. Choose the best answers for Questions 1-7.

LISTENING

1. Why is it hard for Mother Polar Bear to find food now?
- A. She is getting older now.
B. Most ringed seals in the sea died.
C. Baby Polar Bear does not help her.
D. The weather gets warmer and the ice melts faster.

2. Baby Polar Bear cries because he _____.
- A. is too hungry
B. misses his friends
C. has nowhere to play
D. feels hot

3. Which of the following can stop global warming?
- A. melting sea ice
B. emission of greenhouse gases
C. trapping heat in the atmosphere
D. a change in human behaviour



4. Which of the following is NOT true according to the radio play?
- A. Humans have made the earth warmer.
B. Cutting down trees helps keep greenhouse gases in balance.
C. Coal burning produces greenhouse gases.
D. Greenhouse gases lead to an increase in temperature.

Tip

Q4: Eliminate the options that are true first.

5. According to the radio play, people cut down trees for _____.
- i. fuel ii. furniture iii. farmland iv. paper
- A. i, iii and iv
B. ii and iii
C. ii, iii and iv
D. all of the above

6. Baby Polar Bear is _____ what humans have done.
- A. unhappy with
B. nervous about
C. angry at
D. jealous of

7. Which of the following does Mother Polar Bear NOT mention for saving the environment?



A.



B.



C.



D.