

CPE – open clause – The Environment

Put each of the following words or phrases into the creek space below.

Sewage	organic	disposal	enlightened
acid rain	herbicides	pesticides	ecological
extinction	sustainable	deforestation	animal rights

When industrialization began, little thought was given to its (1)_____, effects. Raw, untreated (2)_____, was allowed to pollute our seas and rivers. Animals were killed for profit to the point of (3)_____. The loss of trees through uncontrolled (4)_____, caused erosion and unstable climate (5)_____, was caused by the poisonous gases man sent into the atmosphere. Chemicals in (6)_____, killed animal life (7)_____, destroyed plants. The balance of nature was disturbed It is only now that we are waking up to the problem. More natural, (8)_____, farming is advocated. Legislation controls the (9)_____, of waste products into our air and water. Wildlife organizations are becoming more militant in their fight for (10)_____. Replanting policies in some parts of the world mean that our forests should in future be (11)_____. We can only hope that growing public awareness and (12)_____, legislation will produce a world which is safe for us and will provide a good quality of life for future generations.

ANSWERS

1. Ecological
2. Sewage
3. Extinction
4. Deforestation
5. Acid rain
6. Pesticides
7. Herbicides
8. Organic
9. Disposal
10. Animal rights
11. Sustainable
12. Enlightened