

Siliana Pioneer Prep School	Mid term test 2	School year : 2018-2019
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**REDUCE  
REUSE  
RECYCLE**

**Listening comprehension : 8 pts**

**1- The listening passage is about :1 pt**

**a- Recycling**

b- the 3 R's

c- Reducing

**2-Listen and write down the things that we can recycle :1pt**

**a-clothes**

**b- batteries**

**3- Answer the questions : 2pt**

a- why does the speaker love recycling ?

**It makes him feel he is helping the environment .**

b- How do modern countries help the environment? Circle the right answer

a-they put giant dumps at the end of the street

b- they put dustbins at the end of the end of the street

**c-they put bottle banks at the end of the street**

**4- Listen and jot down an expression of possibility : 1pt**

**It can be used again**

**5- Listen and complete with the missing words :2 pts**

To help the environment the speaker buys **used** furniture .He thinks that lots of **stuff** we throw away harms the planet .

**6-Are the underlined sounds similar or different:**

Experts -were (S/d)

Feel -leave (S/d)

forest



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**1- Match the parts of sentences A with parts of sentences in B together to get a correct paragraph . There is one extra part in B (.2.5 ) pts**

A	B
<p>1. Deforestation happens when people cut down trees to use the land for farming</p> <p>2. Rainforests are valuable shelter.</p> <p>3. Thousands of rainforest plants contain substances</p> <p>4. Besides, they help to regulate the world's climate and atmosphere</p> <p>5. Together we can plant trees and create reserves for endangered species and recycle litter,</p>	<p><b>A- in order</b> to save the planet for us and for the future generations .</p> <p><b>B- as a result</b>, it can even lead to deafness.</p> <p><b>C- which</b> can be used in medicines.</p> <p><b>D- That's why</b>, we must preserve rainforests to help us solve the greenhouse effects problems.</p> <p><b>E- In fact</b>, about half of all the species of animals and plants in the world live there.</p> <p><b>F- and</b> building houses.</p>
<p>1+ f/2+E/3+C /4+D/5+ A</p>	

**2- Insert the following words in the right space below : There's one extra word (3.5 pts)**

**-disposal -balance -survival -decline-extinct- industrialization -survivors-dropped**

It is an undeniable fact that wildlife is disappearing from the planet at a catastrophic rate. According to World Wildlife Fund (WWF), the number of birds, animals, marine and freshwater creatures have ① **dropped** by almost one-third.

One reason for the ② **decline** is man's ever increasing needs and greed that have resulted in habitat disappearance . For development purposes, man has felled trees to build dams, highways and towns and this





are our natural resources. How can one person save the environment?

There are many things that we as individuals can do to (~~- persevere - preserve-reserve~~ ) the environment. We should take green steps, that is, change our habits and lifestyles to stop polluting and harming the world around us. After some contemplation, I know what I can do to contribute (~~to-for-by~~) saving our environment. I will practise the 3Rs - reduce, recycle and reuse - my dictum in life. I will not be part of the use-and-throw society.

Firstly, I can reduce consumption of paper by using handkerchiefs. I will also say 'No' to plastic bags. Plastic is not biodegradable. How many times have we read from the newspapers of fish being (~~shocked-choked- chokes~~) to death because of plastic bags? I will instead carry a cloth bag with me to carry all my shopping.

(~~Therefore- However- Besides~~), there will be less littering and pollution. Moreover, I will add to my 'No' list of disposables, especially Styrofoam and polystyrene containers. Again, I will go everywhere prepared. For my takeaways, I will bring my own tiffin carriers and containers.

This will definitely reduce the amount of rubbish I throw away. Of course, it can be quite (~~inconvenient- convenient- disconvenient~~) but 'little drops of water make the mighty ocean'.

There seems a lot to be done. I will start today. I will get my family and my friends to participate in Earth Hour. One small step toward saving the environment

**Good luck**