

# Our Environment Exercise





## A. Multiple Choice Questions (MCQs).

Choose the correct answer from the following:







**1. Smoke from burning garbage contains**

**a. Carbon dioxide                      b. Carbon monoxide                      c. Oxygen**

**2. Soil erosion takes place due to**

**a. cutting of trees                      b. animals                      c. factories**

**3. Dysentery and typhoid are caused because of**

**a. drinking polluted water                      b. eating stale food**  
**c. drinking soft drink**





## B. Fill in the blanks.

1. Smoke given out by vehicles causes \_\_\_\_\_ pollution.
2. Harmful gases mixed with water drops leads to \_\_\_\_\_ rain.
3. Metals and glass are \_\_\_\_\_ wastes.
4. Smoke emitted by factories contain \_\_\_\_\_ and harmful \_\_\_\_\_ .





### **C. State whether the given statements are True or False .**

**1. Plastics and glass can be reused and recycled.**

**2. We should cut more trees to check pollution.**

**3. Over usage of land for agriculture increase the fertility of the soil.**

**4. Burning of wastes pollute the air.**

**5. Cutting of trees lead to deforestation.**







## D. Match the following columns.

### Column-I

1. Carbon monoxide
2. Kitchen waste
3. Diarrhoea
4. Plastic

### Column-II

- (a) non-biodegradable
- (b) water pollution
- (c) air pollution
- (d) biodegradable





## **E. Answer the following questions.**

**1. What things form the environment?**

**2. Write four causes of air pollution?**

**3. What are the main causes of water pollution?**

**4. Name the harmful gases which pollutes the air.**





## Life Skill

### A. Conservation of Resources

We should learn to conserve the resources. Some of the steps that should be taken are:







- a. Do not keep the tap running while brushing your teeth or bathing.**
- b. Take only as much food in your plate that you can eat.**
- c. Use public transport instead of using your own vehicle.**
- d. Switch off the fan and light if nobody is in the room.**





**B. Study the environment in and around your surroundings/residential area and find out the major causes of land, water and air pollution.**

**C. Make a collage showing various factors responsible for water pollution.**





## D. Recycle the paper

Take some old newspapers. Tear them into pieces. Soak them in hot water for 30 minutes. Keep them stirring and blending till the papers get soft. Now add some glue and colour you wish, to the mixture. Drain out excess water. Empty the vessel on a platform. Make balls out of it by blending them. Now spread it using rolling pin and form thin paper. Let the paper dry. You can use the paper to make cards.

