

## QUESTIONS

What environmental problems do we have?  
Who is responsible for the condition of our planet?  
How do people damage our planet?  
Why are the rainforests in South Africa important for us?  
What are the results of destruction of rainforests?  
Who/What causes water/air pollution?  
What health problems does air pollution cause?  
What can we do to solve these problems? How can we help to save our planet?  
Can you name any natural resources on Earth?

## ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS

- global warming
- destruction of rainforests
- dying out of animal species
- air and water pollution
- overpopulation
- melting ice at the North and South Poles
- too much waste produced by people

## SOLUTIONS TO THEM

- We should use public transport more often than our cars, we should think about the way we travel. We can walk or cycle.
- We should recycle paper, glass, metal, plastic
- Reuse more things before we throw them away
- We must stop cutting and burning down rainforests
- We must stop killing endangered species
- Use less electricity, keep water clean, don't waste it
- We may use nuclear energy, or natural energy from the sun, wind, or water

## NATURAL DISASTERS

earthquake – zemetrasenie

tsunami – cunami

volcano eruption – výbuch sopky

tornado – tornado

avalanche – lavína

forest fires – lesné požiare

landslide – zosuv pôdy

floods - záplavy

**Some extra vocabulary:**

FIGHT FOR SURVIVAL – boj o prežitie

ENDANGERED SPECIES – ohrozené druhy

OUR FAULT – naša chyba

DISAPPEAR - zmiznúť

DYING OF HUNGER – zomieranie od hladu

ONE OF THE MAJOR PROBLEMS – jeden z hlavných problémov

DESTRUCTION OF THE RAINFORESTS – ničenie dažďových pralesov

FLOODING AND DROUGHT – záplavy a sucho

BURN AND CUT DOWN – páliť a rezať

A THING OF THE PAST – vec minulosti

POLLUTE OUR RIVERS – znečisťovať naše rieky

WASTE IS Poured INTO SEAS – odpad je vylievajú do morí

DANGEROUS FUMES – nebezpečné výpary

BECOME IMPOSSIBLE TO LIVE IN – stať sa nemožným pre život

FORTUNATELY - našťastie

CLEANER AND SAFER FUTURE

ACT IMMEDIATELY