

The Ailing Planet: the Green Movement's Role

Question 1.

..... has a most crucial role to play in this new Era of Responsibility

- (a) Agriculture
- (b) Fishery
- (c) Industry
- (d) Aforestation

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Answer: (c) Industry

Question 2.

Who said that tropical forests are "the powerhouse of evolution" ?

- (a) Edgar S Woolard
- (b) L K Jha
- (c) Dr Myres
- (d) James Speth

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Answer: (c) Dr Myres

Question 3.

Who wrote the book 'The Global Economic Prospect' ?

- (a) I k Jha
- (b) Lester R Brown
- (c) James Speth
- (d) Edgar S Woolard

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Answer: (b) Lester R Brown

Question 4.

What is the concept of Sustainable Development?

- (a) Development of the future
- (b) Development for the present
- (c) "Development that meets the needs of the present, without compromising the ability of future generations"
- (d) Environmental development

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Answer: (c) "Development that meets the needs of the present, without compromising the ability of future generations"

Question 5.

When did the Green Movement start?

- (a) 35 years ago
- (b) 15 years ago
- (c) nearly 25 years ago
- (d) 20 years ago

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Answer: (c) nearly 25 years ago

Question 6.

Who said, "No generation has a freehold on this earth. All we have is a life tenancy ___with a full repairing lease"?

- (a) Mr Edgar S. Woolard
- (b) UN World Commission
- (c) Donald Trump
- (d) Margaret Thatcher

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Answer: (d) Margaret Thatcher

Question 7.

Complete this line from the chapter 'The rich get richer, and the poor beget children ____'

- (a) to work harder
- (b) which condemns them to remain poor
- (c) to remain poorer
- (d) to get richer

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Answer: (b) which condemns them to remain poor

Question 8.

At what rate are the forests in India depleting?

- (a) at the rate of 3.7 million acres a year
- (b) at the rate of 36.7 million acres a year
- (c) at the rate of 13.7 million acres a year
- (d) None of the above

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Answer: (a) at the rate of 3.7 million acres a year

Question 9.

At what rate is the world's ancient patrimony of tropical forests eroding?

- (a) at the rate of forty to fifty million acres a year
- (b) at the rate of one million per year

- (c) at the rate of 90 million per year
- (d) none of the above

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Answer: (a) at the rate of forty to fifty million acres a year

Question 10.

What is the best contraceptive for overpopulation?

- (a) Development
- (b) Education
- (c) By saving water
- (d) Reforestation

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Answer: (a) Development

Question 11.

What is leading to deforestation at an alarming rate?

- (a) sale of fuel wood
- (b) sale of vegetables
- (c) building up of houses
- (d) sale of wood for burning purpose

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Answer: (a) sale of fuel wood

Question 12.

What will the grasslands turn into if systems become unsustainable?

- (a) turn into a barren wasteland
- (b) turn into desert
- (c) soil quality will deteriorate
- (d) Nothing as such

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Answer: (a) turn into a barren wasteland
