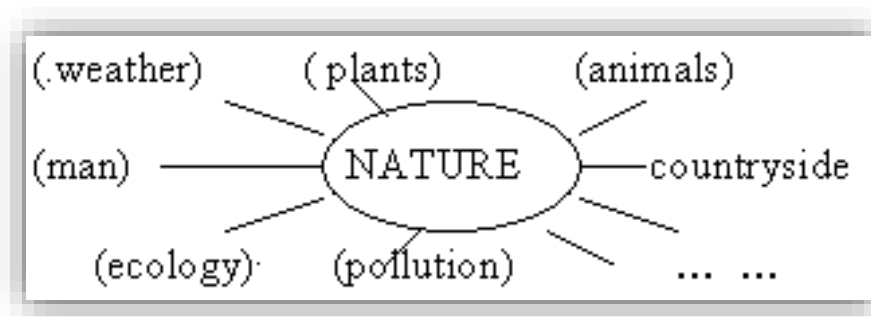


Практическое занятие № 32. Природные катастрофы, стихийные бедствия. Экологические проблемы.

Preface

Fill in the gaps in the spider gram. Think what the word 'nature' means for you.



1. Выберите правильные определения к ключевым словам урока.

<u>Pollution:</u>	1) dirty water, air and atmosphere; 2) making water, air, atmosphere dirty and dangerous for people and animals to live in; 3) people who make water, air and atmosphere dirty and dangerous.
<u>Environment:</u>	1) air, water and land, in which people, animals and plants live; 2) an organization that wants to protect the natural world; 3) something that we do to prevent air and water pollution.
<u>Ecology:</u>	1) natural balance between plants, animals, people and their environment; 2) plants growing in some area; 3) part of medicine that helps people to lead a healthy life.
<u>Greenhouse effect:</u>	1) a building in a garden or park which has glass walls and a glass roof in which you grow plants; 2) a salad made mainly with green vegetables; 3) the problem of temperature rise in the Earth's atmosphere.

Glossary:

pollution - загрязнение
weigh - весить
musk ox - овцебык
extinct - вымирать
horns - рога
tusks - бивни
climb – взбираться, карабкаться

disease - заболевание
dangerous - опасный
cause – стать причиной
accident – несчастный случай
frightened - напуганный
fear - страх
bite - кусать

3. Прочитайте и переведите текст, используя глоссарий.

Animals in danger

Penguins are killed because of pollution caused by oil from ships and other things.

Mountain gorilla that weighs over 100 kilos and is very strong lives high in the mountains of Uganda. They are killed because their hands are used to make souvenirs. Musk ox from India and Nepal is almost extinct now. Musk oxen are killed because people use their musk when making perfume.

Arabian onyx lives in Arabia and is in danger because of its horns. They are used for ornaments. African elephants are hunted and killed. People do it to take their tusks and make souvenirs from them. There are not many elephants left now.

People in danger

There are more rats than people. Rats like eating our old food. Rats can climb trees and run up walls. They can swim non-stop for three days. Wild rats are dirty and spread disease that can be very dangerous for people's health.

In our streets there are a lot of so called "street" dogs. Some of them are not dangerous but the others are. They are very aggressive and can cause a lot of accidents. A child can be frightened because of them and in the best case it can be just a fear of dogs. But sometimes they can even bite to death.

4. Определите истинность следующих утверждений.

It is true/It is false

1. Penguins die because people pollute their environment.
2. Mountain gorillas are very weak animals.
3. Musk ox is an extinct animal.
4. People kill elephants and make souvenirs from their tusks.
5. There is no place that rats can't go through.
6. All dogs are friendly and kind mammals.

5. Прочитайте и переведите высказывания. Выскажите своё мнение об их значении.

1. Plant a tree. Watch a bee. Go clean up the sea.
2. Earth is the only home we have.
3. At home or at school thinking "green" is cool!

6. Прочитайте информацию о Дне Земли. Придумайте и нарисуйте в тетрадях логотип с лозунгом этого праздника. Скажите на английском языке, что Вы включили в логотип.

You know that our Earth also has its birthday as we do. Now Earth day is celebrated in many countries on April, 22. Many people gather in parks and parade down the city streets. Their message is very simple: "Taking care of the Earth is everybody's business". So it is my business, your business, your parents' business, your friends' business.