

**Lesson Notes**

**Week 1**

**Year 11**

**Subject: English Solution**

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| Strand                   | Reading and viewing   |
| Sub strand               | Comprehension   |
| Content Learning outcome | Students should be able to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Read and understand the passage</li><li>• Attempt the questions</li><li>• Write the answers in complete sentence.</li></ul> |

**Question 1 Comprehension**

**A. Multiple-Choice Questions**

1. The word **genuine** (line 2) is the opposite of C. false.
2. **Grim realities** (line 5) refer to  
B. the fact that the world is getting warmer very fast.
3. The meaning of the word **induce** (line 17) as used in the passage is  
B. increase.
4. A synonym for **rein** (line 28) as used in the passage is D. control.

**B. Sentence Completion**

5. Mosquitoes that carry viruses are now appearing on Mt. Kilimanjaro and other cold places because climate change is now showing its drastic impacts and the natural habitat of these species are being adversely affected.
6. In the next ten years, it is imperative for people to reduce carbon emissions.
7. USA did not sign the Kyoto Protocol because it feared that it would result in large job losses.
8. What kind of people **will always be with us**?
  - People with negative attitude towards environment.
  - Those who contribute towards climate change.
  - People who pollute mother earth.
9. What is the most fearful concern for all countries?  
Sea level rise due to global warming.
10. Explain in your own words, how **emissions** cause global warming? Global warming occurs when carbon dioxide and other air pollutants collect in the atmosphere and causes climate change and global warming as it affects the ozone layer.

11. What will **require equal measures of sacrifice and science**? It means that there is a need for collective effort in curbing the issue of climate change not only few countries.

### Question 2                      Summary Writing

Give a summary of the **grim realities** by including some facts of how climate change has already caused problems. Also include some of the things that can happen in future if we are not careful. Your summary must be about **80 – 90 words**.

To write a good summary, the following features should be used:

- a) Avoid any examples, opinions and statistics.
- b) Avoid any personal like I, me, you, she, etc.
- c) Avoid lifting directly from the passage.
- d) Use your own words as far as possible.
- e) Ideas should flow in a logical order i.e summary from paragraph one or first paragraph followed by the next as they appear in the passage.
- f) Write within the word limit (this would be specified in the question).
- g) Summary to be written in one paragraph only.

Draw a margin, write the title of the summary and put the approximate number of words at the end

### Plan

#### Topic: Climate Change

- There are negative people who are destroying the environment
- Climate change is real.
- Grim realities
- Global warming
- Melting of ice glaciers
- Virus
- Carbon footprint
- Tidal waves
- Pollution
- Islands going underwater

(Any 6 ideas)

### Marking Scheme

| Points | Language | Cohesion | Total |
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| 3      | 1        | 1        | 5     |