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1. 20.3 The Environment and Society Questions

4.1.1. The "tragedy of the commons" is a reference to what?

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The "tragedy of the commons" is a reference to what?

Please choose only one answer:

- Global warming
- African landowners
- The common grazing lands in Oxford
- The misuse of private space

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4.1.2. What are ways that human activity impacts the water supply?

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What are ways that human activity impacts the water supply?

Please choose only one answer:

- Creating sewage
- Spreading chemicals
- Increasing radioactivity
- All of the above

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4.1.3. Which is an example of environmental racism?

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Which is an example of environmental racism?

Please choose only one answer:

- The fact that a disproportionate percentage of people of color live in environmentally hazardous areas
- Greenpeace protests
- The prevalence of asbestos in formerly "whites only" schools
- Prejudice similar to racism against people with different environmental views than one's own

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4.1.4. What is not a negative outcome of shoreline dredging?

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What is not a negative outcome of shoreline dredging?

Please choose only one answer:

- Damaged coral reefs
- Death of marine life
- Ruined sea grass beds
- Reduction of human population

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4.1.5. What are the two primary methods of waste disposal?

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What are the two primary methods of waste disposal?

Please choose only one answer:

- Landfill and incineration
- Incineration and compost
- Decomposition and incineration
- Marine dumping and landfills

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4.1.6. Where does a large percentage of e-waste wind up?

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Where does a large percentage of e-waste wind up?

Please choose only one answer:

- Incinerators
- Recycled in peripheral nations
- Repurposed into new electronics
- Dumped into ocean repositories

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4.1.7. What types of municipal projects often result in environmental racism?

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What types of municipal projects often result in environmental racism?

Please choose only one answer:

- Toxic dumps or other objectionable projects
- The location of schools, libraries, and other cultural institutions
- Hospitals and other health and safety sites
- Public transportation options

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