ENGLAND GCSE GEOGRAPHY EDEXCEL B · UNIT 4 · 25 QUESTIONS

People and Environment Issues: Making Geographical Decisions — Practice Test

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1 **A volcano dominates an island landscape. How many Sustainable Development Goals are there?**

- A The small number of 5
- B 10
- C 8
- D 17

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2 **A river flows through a forest. What is the biosphere?**

- A All living things
- B All the rocks on Earth
- C All the water on Earth
- D All the air on Earth

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3 **A forest provides timber for a town. What is selective logging?**

- A Burning forest
- B Cutting some trees only
- C Planting trees
- D Cutting all trees in the forest

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4 **A candle is lit during a power cut. What is energy?**

- A Power to do work
- B Fuel for cars
- C Heat from the Sun
- D Electricity only

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5 **A mountain rises behind a forest. What is the boreal forest also called?**

- A Taiga
- B Rainforest
- C Tundra
- D Savanna

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6 **A bridge crosses a river in a forest. What is deforestation?**

- A Planting forests
- B Cutting down forests
- C Protecting forests
- D Managing forests well

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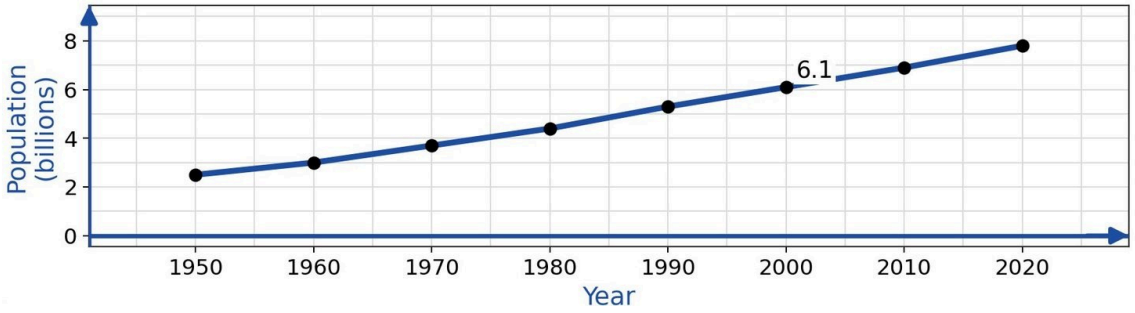
7 **The graph shows the population of the world from 1950 to 2020. In which year was the population about 6 billion?**



A 1970

B The year 2020 at the end of the graph

C 2000

D 1950

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8 **What is an ecosystem service?**

A Money earned from farming

B Benefit from nature

C Product sold in shops

D Service provided by people

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9 **What is selective logging?**

A Cutting some trees only

B Burning forest

C Cutting all trees in the forest

D Planting trees

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10 **Which of these is a non renewable resource?**

A Coal

B Solar power

C Water in a river

D Wind

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11 **What is the benefit of renewable energy?**

A Needs no land

B Always cheap

C Low emissions

D Works all the time

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12 **Why is international cooperation needed for sustainability?**

- A Problems cross borders
- B Countries can act alone
- C No country cares
- D Problems stay local

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13 **What is the name for the process of choosing between options?**

- A Research
- B Evaluation of results
- C Decision making
- D Planning

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14 **Which forest is threatened by logging in Canada?**

A Mediterranean forest

B Deciduous forest

C Tropical rainforest

D Boreal forest

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15 **What is the name for using less of a resource?**

A Waste

B Conservation

C Exploitation

D Using more of it

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16 **What is the name for energy from the Sun?**

A Solar power

B Hydroelectric power

C Geothermal power

D Wind power

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17 **How many Sustainable Development Goals are there?**

A 17

B The small number of 5

C 10

D 8

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18 **What is the name for the information used to make a decision?**

A Opinion

B Evidence

C Feeling about the issue

D Guess

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19 **What is the main threat to biodiversity?**

A Too many parks

B Habitat loss

C Climate cooling

D Animals moving areas

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20 **What is sustainable forestry?**

A Planting trees in rows

B Managing forests without harm

C Burning forest for farms and cattle

D Cutting all trees down

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21 **How can water resources be managed?**

A Saving water

B Letting pipes leak

C Wasting water

D Using more water

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22 **What is the name for the UK target for carbon emissions?**

A Carbon neutral is the same aim

B Zero energy

C No fossil fuels

D Net zero

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23 **What is the name for the global goals for sustainability?**

A Millennium Goals for the world

B Paris Agreement

C Kyoto Protocol

D Sustainable Development Goals

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24 **What is the role of a resource booklet in decision making?**

A Provides evidence

B Provides the decision

C Provides opinions

D Provides answers

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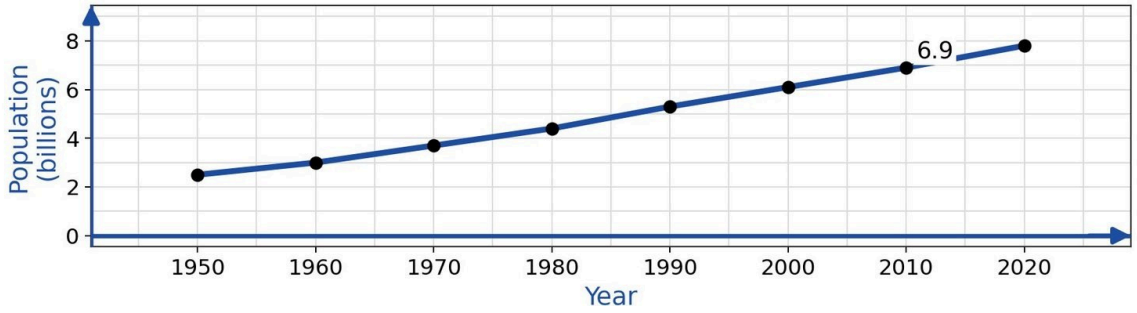
25 **The graph shows the population of the world from 1950 to 2020. In which year did the population first pass 7 billion?**



A The year 2020 at the end of the graph

B 1990

C 2010

D 1980

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ANSWER KEY

1. D
2. A
3. B
4. A
5. A
6. B
7. C
8. B
9. A
10. A
11. C
12. A
13. C
14. D
15. B
16. A
17. A
18. B
19. B
20. B
21. A
22. D
23. D
24. A
25. C

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