

6.3 Exploring Greener Options



Across

3. Using _____ resources means that others in the future will be able to enjoy the same things you have now.
7. As responsible citizens we need to examine our decisions and try to lessen our _____ on Earth and its resources.
8. Sometimes, replacing an existing structure with one that is more energy efficient can be _____.
9. Buying products that are _____ made can help the environment.
10. The three "R's" of environmental responsibility are "reduce, reuse and _____"
12. Recycling or composting products that are no longer useful means less _____ in the landfill.
13. Consumer demand has encouraged _____ to explore greener options.
14. _____ produced items that don't have to be transported long distances save on energy and minimize pollutants.
15. If you modify your behaviour in order to _____ energy, you are lessening your impact on the Earth.

Down

1. Noted environmentalist David Suzuki has warned against "_____-washing," a trend that businesses have adopted to convince consumers that their practices are more environmentally responsible than their competitors' practices.
2. Minimizing impact on the _____ should be a key consideration in purchasing decisions.
4. It is important to consider _____ options every day even when making "small" decisions such as buying ice-cream.
5. Asking students to bring litterless lunches costs no money but reduces the amount of _____ produced at your school.
6. Concern by consumers over the garbage produced by disposable containers in icecream shops led manufacturers to design _____ containers.
11. If you choose products that need less _____ to manufacture, you are reducing your impact on Earth.