GCSE science ready

Test 17: Earth 2 - Climate and Earth resources

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| Q | Answers | Marks | Syllabus |
| 01-05 | D; C; A; B; A | 5 | 3.7.3 |
| 06-10 | D; A; C; C; D | 5 | 3.7.4 |
| APPLY | | | |
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| 11 | Combustion (from house), respiration (from cow) and photosynthesis (to tree). | 3 | 3.7.3 |
| 12 | a. It has caused global warming (temperature has increased) due to reduction in the ability of the Earth to radiate heat. | 2 | 3.7.3 |
| 13 | a. Different possible answer, such as: it's a limited resource; extraction would consume more energy than recycling. | 1 | 3.7.4 |
| | b. Reduce use of trees, which remove carbon dioxide from the atmosphere. | 1 | |
| | c. Use less oil, which is a limited resource that is increasingly difficult to drill. (Also, plastic decomposes very slowly and is particularly dangerous to aquatic species.) | 1 | |
| 14 | a. Electrolysis. It is too reactive to use carbon displacement. | 1 | 3.7.4 |
| | b. Carbon displacement. It is below carbon in the reactivity series. | 1 | |
| EXTEND | | | |
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| 15 | a. The graph shows that the rise in global temperature is proportional to the rise in CO ₂ over the last 1000 years. (The rise in CO ₂ is due to human activity: pollution and deforestation.) | 1 | 3.7.3 Enquiry process: 2.9 |
| | b. Conclusions are always best supported by a wide range of readings since it reduces the probability of trends being coincidental or 'one-offs'. | 1 | |
| 16 | There are many examples: use the car less, choose food with less packaging, buy locally sourced goods, recycle, buy less and reuse more, fly less, and so on. | 3 | 3.7.4 |