





Threats to Nature Quiz Questions for Guides and Rangers - Questions

The UK's nature is in trouble.



What percentage of plant and animal species are in decline?

- A. 21%
- B. 35%
- C. 41%



What percentage of plant and animal species are at risk of becoming extinct from the UK?

- A. 8%
- B.15%
- C. 22%



Which one of these has caused the most problems for nature in the last 40 years?:

- A. Intensive Farming
- B. Climate Change
- C. House and road building



Which of these also causes problems for nature?

- A. Pollution
- B. Woods and wetlands not being managed for nature
- C. Some plants and animals which aren't native to the UK



Which of these birds is the most endangered?

- A. Puffin
- B. Tawny Owl
- C. Red Kite



How many children regularly visit a natural place close to their home?

- A. Less than a quarter
- B. Half
- C. Three quarters









Do you think that government funding for nature has:

- A. Increased
- B. Decreased
- C. Stayed the same



How many of the 20 UN biodiversity targets did the UK meet?*

- A. 15
- B. 20
- C. 6
- *According to the UK government.



Do you think that the number of people who volunteer to help nature has:

- A. Increased
- B. Decreased
- C. Stayed the same



Climate change



Climate change means that:

- A. The planet is heating up
- B. There will be less snowfall
- C. Sea levels will fall

Which of these leads to climate change?

- A. Burning coal, oil and natural gas to power our homes, cars and factories
- B. Chopping down rainforests
- C. Cow's burping



Climate change will only to be harmful to wildlife found in other parts of the world, like polar bears and penguins.

- A. True
- B. False









The Hazel Dormouse wakes up earlier from hibernation, when there isn't enough food for it to eat, because:

- A. People are making too much noise
- B. Winters are warmer because of climate change
- C. The light from houses and streetlamps wakes them



Seabirds in the UK are under threat because warmer sea water, due to climate change, means that:

- A. Seabirds can't dive into the water to catch fish.
- B. There aren't enough fish for seabirds to eat.
- C. More people are swimming in the sea and this is scaring away the birds.



How can we help to tackle climate change?

- A. Putting on another jumper rather than turning the heating up
- B. Turning the lights off when leaving a room
- C. Walking/cycling when travelling to school