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Part I: Read the text and answer the questions.

Our planet is changing. We need to help **it** change for the better and we're asking for your help to do that ! There are a lot of things that affect our planet in a bad way, the good news is that everyone can help to reduce them and do **their** bit for the environment. Everyone can make a difference by saving energy at home. When you use less energy, you save money and help protect our environment from the impact of climate change.

Energy is everywhere. We use electric energy to power TV, the kettle for tea or coffee, dishwasher, hairdryer, mobile phone, fridge, stereo, and more! All these devices and machines release unclean substances and gases that make the air we breathe impure. **These emissions** are heating the planet by acting as a blanket (cover) that traps the sun's heat inside our atmosphere. Consequently, the temperature and sea level rise.

If we make changes, there will be saving! Making changes at home can help change our future. Energy efficiency is the easiest way to reduce greenhouse gas emissions and better use for our natural resources.

If we do nothing, there will be costs! If we don't save energy at home, we will have high bills to pay and higher insurance; we will have less rain and less water to drink. We'll ask for water, food and even dream of a nice spring to enjoy! So, waste not, want not!

A/ Reading comprehension :

1) **The text is about: (0.5pt) Underline the correct answer.**

- a) The impact of technology b) The benefits of saving energy c) The benefits of technology

2) **Are these statements true or false ? (2pts)**

- a) Everyone can help in the fight against climate change.....
b) When gas emissions increase, the level of seas and temperature falls.....
c) If we don't reduce the consumption of energy at home, people will suffer from water shortage.....
d) If we don't save energy, we will be safe

3) **Answer these questions according to the text (4 pts)**

- a) How can individuals contribute to save energy ?

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- b) What causes sea levels to rise ?

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- c) How can we reduce greenhouse emissions ?

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- d) So, waste not, want not! Explain this saying in a few words of your own.

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4) **What do the underlined words refer to ? (1,5 pt)**

a) it (1§) b) their (1§) c) These emissions (2§)

5. **Give a suitable title to the text. 1pt**

6. **A. Find in the text the words that are closest in meaning to: (1 pt)**

a) preserve (1 §) = b) effect (1 §) =

B Find in the text the words that are opposites to: (1 pt)

a) increase (3 §) ≠ b) save (4§) ≠

5. **Complete the table : (2 pts)**

Verb	Noun	Adjective
To reduce		
.....	Destruction	

6 **Rewrite sentence b so it means sentence a . (2pts)**

- 1 - a) Some resources cannot be replaced.
b) We
- 2 - a) Many countries will reduce the emissions of greenhouse gases.
b) The emission of greenhouse gases.....
- 3- a) Communities have improved efforts to manage the natural resources.
b) Efforts.....
- 4- a) Fossil fuels cause global warming and pollution .
b) Global warming and pollution.....

7. **Put the verbs in brackets into the correct form 2 pts**

- a. If you (buy) three, you (get) a discount.
b. If she (put) water at 0 degrees celsius, it (freeze)
c. If my mother (know) about what I (do), she (rebuke) me.
d. If you touch that wire, you (be) electrified.

8. **Write if-conditional sentences to express the following functions. 1.5**

- a. Promise:
b. Warning:
c. Advice:
d. Prediction:

9 **Fill in the gaps with words from the following list : (1 pt)**

(oil -sunlight -Pollution- energy)

Solar power is power generated directly from It can be used for heat energy or converted into electric When we use solar power, we don't use any of the Earth's resources like coal or This makes solar power a clean power that doesn't generate a lot of