Environmental Systems and Societies DP SL

TIME 1 hour.

These tasks will check your ability to discuss environmental issues. Try to explain and justify your ideas/suggestions. You may write in bullet points if this is more convenient for you.

Finish each text with a relevant conclusion.

1. Human population has been growing rapidly during recent decades. Some scientists and politicians think that humans should control this growth by laws. Evaluate this idea.
2. There were at least five mass extinctions of species on our planet. Ecologists say that the sixth extinction is going on NOW very rapidly. Evaluate the claim that human activity is the cause of this extinction.
3. Humans produce huge amounts of pollutants because of traffic, industry and agriculture. What realistic solutions may be suggested to resolve this issue?

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