## Science 10

## **Environmental Issues Project**

**Directions:** This is a project which you must research and submit. Choose from amongst the topics listed below, or talk with your teacher if you wish to do your project on a topic which is not on the list. This project may only be submitted once, so do a good job!

## **Specifications:**

- 1. This project must be at least three pages long, not including the title page or bibliography. It should be double spaced, and typed on the computer if possible.
- 2. Your bibliography must include all sources you have used in your research, including the Internet. Your bibliography must follow the style your teacher wishes you to use.
- 3. You may use Chapter 20, *People and Pollution*, in your text as a place to start your research. Please remember: **Using someone else's words and presenting them as your own is plagiarism, this will result in a mark of zero for this unit**.
- 4. Your project will be marked according to the following:

Title page /5
Bibliography /10
Content /65
Project format /20

**Research Topics:** Write a report on any *one* of the following topics:

- 1. A brief discussion about the depletion of the *Ozone Layer*
- 2. New measures taken to improve *Sewage Treatment* and disposal.
- 3. Describe the effectiveness of *Recycling Programs* in reducing the amount of garbage.
- 4. What are *Toxic Wastes* and how should we deal with them?
- 5. The Impact of *Air Pollution* and how it may affect one's health.
- 6. Describe the benefits of *Air Care* and regulation of car emissions in the lower mainland.
- 7. What is the state of the *Salmon Fisheries* in British Columbia?
- 8. The issues surrounding the harvest and cutting of *Old Growth Forests* in British Columbia.
- 9. Explain the causes and problems associated with *Acid Pollution* in North America.
- 10. A topic of your choice approved with your teacher!