

## Year 1 IB ESS

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Students will explore key environmental movements and the issues they address, such as conservation, climate change, and environmental justice. Using the worksheet as a foundation, students will develop a project that highlights one specific movement, including its goals, strategies, and impacts. They will analyze different perspectives involved and present their findings through a creative format (presentation, infographic, campaign, etc.), connecting historical and modern environmental action to real-world challenges.

### History of the Environmental Movement

1.1 – Justify, using examples and evidence, how historical influences have shaped the development of the modern environmental movement.

Use the computer to research these historical influences. I have listed a few for you, you must add some more to this list. Please DO NOT work together. I trust that you can all complete this assignment as individuals.

Here are a few events that will start you off:

- Founding of IUCN
- Minamata
- Rachel Carson's Silent Spring Published
- Bhopal
- Whaling (save the whale)
- Gaia Hypothesis
- Chernobyl
- Kyoto
- Include Population increases (1st billion, 2nd billion, and so on)

Tell me what these are, when they occurred, and why they are significant to the modern environmental movement. Again, these are only the beginning, there are many more events that have occurred that have had an impact of the environmental movement. You must find some more (at least 5) events on your own.

Good luck, Happy Hunting!!!

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