

Air Pollution Word Search Activity

Recommended grades level(s) 9-12

Time Duration: - 15 minutes

Objective(s):

The learner will improve their vocabulary and knowledge of air pollution.

Materials and/or Resources:

Computer

Internet

Background Information:

Air pollution is a problem in many areas of the United States. It can damage trees, lakes, and make people and animals sick. It can also damage buildings and other structures. Air pollution also can cause haze, reducing visibility in national parks and sometimes interfering with aviation. The federal government regulates air pollution in order to protect human health and the environment. There are several words that are used when discussing the subject of air pollution.

Procedures:

1. Print out the word search for the appropriate grade level and let the students use it to increase their vocabulary of air pollution and air quality terms (see Air Quality Terms and Definitions for definitions of the words). (In supplementary material also)

Development Resources:

<http://www.tnrcc.state.tx.u/air/monops/airsearch.html>