

Canada's Viral Eco-Frontiers: From TikTok Trends to Climate Court Battles

Environment Canada · Practice Test · 17 Questions

1. Which Canadian documentary, co-directed by Elliot Page, explores environmental racism and water pollution in Nova Scotia?

- A) Anthropocene: The Human Epoch
- B) There's Something in the Water
- C) Fairy Creek (Understory Films)
- D) Qapirangajuq

2. What is the name of the youth-led climate action movement, inspired by Greta Thunberg, that has seen significant participation in Canada?

- A) Extinction Rebellion
- B) Fridays for Future
- C) Earth Strike
- D) Greenpeace Youth

3. The Canadian federal government has invested significantly in reducing plastic waste through initiatives like the Zero Plastic Waste Initiative and the Canadian Plastics Innovation Challenges. What is a key goal of these programs?

- A) To increase the production of single-use plastics
- B) To promote the export of plastic waste
- C) To develop a circular plastics economy and reduce pollution
- D) To ban all forms of plastic packaging

4. Which Canadian documentary, featured at the Planet in Focus festival, documents protests against old-growth logging on Vancouver Island, considered a major act of civil disobedience?

- A) Birdman of Cooper Island
- B) Incandescence
- C) Fairy Creek (Understory Films)
- D) Resident Orca

5. What type of sustainable fabric is frequently used by Canadian brands like Kotn, Frank And Oak, and Tentree for eco-friendly clothing collections?

- A) Polyester
- B) Recycled plastic
- C) Organic cotton and hemp
- D) Synthetic nylon

6. Which Canadian province is home to the Klahoose Wilderness Resort, an example of regenerative tourism focused on Indigenous-led experiences and community empowerment?

- A) Ontario
- B) British Columbia
- C) Alberta
- D) Quebec

7. What is a major renewable energy source in Canada, which in 2022 provided 61.7% of the country's electricity generation, making Canada the third largest producer globally?

- A) Solar power
- B) Wind power
- C) Hydroelectricity
- D) Geothermal energy

8. Which Canadian documentary, released in 2024, focuses on the social, economic, and geographical factors that make Black communities in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area more vulnerable to climate devastation?

- A) There's Something in the Water
- B) In Whose Backyard?
- C) A Matter of Justice: Climate Change in Black Communities in the Greater Toronto and Hamilton Area
- D) Anthropocene: The Human Epoch

9. Sophia Mathur, a prominent young climate activist from Sudbury, Ontario, is known for bringing which global movement to Canada?

- A) Youth for Climate Action
- B) Climate Emergency Mobilization
- C) Fridays for Future
- D) Global Green Initiative

10. The Canadian government's commitment to reducing plastic waste includes a significant investment of over \$183 million over five years. What is a key area this funding aims to address?

- A) Increasing the use of single-use plastics in packaging
- B) Studying the effects of micro-plastics and improving solid waste management
- C) Promoting the disposal of plastic in landfills
- D) Funding research into new forms of non-recyclable plastics

11. What is the name of the Canadian lawsuit filed by youth against the Ontario government, asserting that the province's 2030 greenhouse gas emissions target is inadequate and unconstitutional?

- A) The People v. Ontario
- B) Youth Climate Justice v. Ontario
- C) Climate Action Now v. Ontario
- D) Climate Lawsuit v. Ontario Government

12. Which Canadian city has implemented ambitious policies to reduce single-use plastics, including an 'ask-first/by-request' policy for items like ketchup packages and straws, and allowing customers to use their own reusable containers?

- A) Toronto
- B) Vancouver
- C) Banff
- D) Montreal

13. The Canadian fashion industry is seeing a rise in sustainable practices. What is a key characteristic of brands like Free Label and Wildflo Studio?

- A) They primarily use synthetic and petroleum-based fabrics.
- B) They focus on fast fashion and trend-driven production.
- C) They utilize local manufacturing and sustainable materials like organic cotton.
- D) They do not prioritize ethical labor practices.

14. According to Google Trends data, searches for 'sustainable fashion' in Canada have increased significantly over the past five years. What percentage of Canadian consumers consider sustainability when buying fashion products?

- A) 10%
- B) 25%
- C) 36%
- D) 50%

15. The federal government's carbon tax, often referred to as the 'carbon levy,' is designed to curb greenhouse gas emissions. What is the scheduled price per tonne of carbon by 2030?

- A) \$100
- B) \$170
- C) \$200
- D) \$150

16. Which Canadian film festival hosted the world premieres of documentaries like 'Birdman of Cooper Island' and 'Incandescence,' focusing on environmental themes?

- A) Toronto International Film Festival (TIFF)
- B) Hot Docs Canadian International Documentary Festival
- C) Planet in Focus International Environmental Film Festival
- D) Vancouver International Film Festival (VIFF)

17. What is the projected value of the Canadian secondhand apparel market by 2026, indicating a strong trend towards circular fashion?

- A) \$1 billion
- B) \$2.5 billion
- C) \$3.8 billion
- D) \$5 billion