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Question 1: A natural phenomenon that becomes harmful due to pollution is _____.

1. global warming
2. ecological balance
3. greenhouse effect
4. desertification

Answer: 3

Question 2: The pollutant responsible for ozone holes is _____.

1. CO₂
2. SO₂
3. CO
4. CFC

Answer: 4

Question 3: One of the best solutions to get rid of non-biodegradable wastes is _____.

1. burning
2. dumping
3. burying
4. recycling

Answer: 4

Question 4: Animal dung is _____ waste.

1. biodegradable
2. non-biodegradable
3. hazardous
4. toxic

Answer: 1

Question 5: Which of the following is biodegradable?

1. iron nails
2. plastic mugs
3. leather belts
4. silver foil

Answer: 3

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Question 6: Which of the following is non-biodegradable?

1. animal bones
2. nylon
3. tea leaves
4. wool

Answer: 2

Question 7: Name one non-biodegradable waste which may pollute the earth to dangerous levels of toxicity, if not handled properly.

1. DDT
2. CFC
3. Radioactive substances
4. PAN

Answer: 3

Question 8: In a lake polluted with pesticides, which one of the following will contain the maximum amount of pesticides?

1. small fish
2. microscopic animals
3. big fish
4. water birds

Answer: 4

Question 9: Name the substance whose accumulation in pelicans of Lake Michigan led to the formation of thin shells of their eggs.

1. CFC
2. PAN
3. DDT
4. PAC

Answer: 3

Question 10: Name the process in which a harmful chemical enters the food chain and gets concentrated at each level in the food chain.

1. concentration
2. biomagnification
3. expansion
4. pollution

Answer: 2