Environmental Science Questions Chapter 1

1. How do you define the term environment? Are humans a part of the environment?
2. How can science help us understand and solve environmental problems?
3. Describe the two main types of interactions that environmental scientists study. Give an example of each.
4. Describe the major fields of study that contribute to environmental science.
5. What is the difference between environmental science and ecology?
6. Explain how hunter-gathers affected the environment in which they lived.
7. Describe the major environmental effects of the agricultural revolution and the Industrial Revolution.
8. Explain how environmental problems can be local, regional, or global. Give one example of each.

9. Describe three differences between developing and developed nations.

10. Explain the law of supply and demand and give an example of how it relates to the environment.