

Section 3: Environmental Legislative Acts

to know the purpose of the legislation for the quiz. Be sure to **CITE ALL SOURCES**.

Understanding environmental legislation is vital for informed global citizenship and effective policy advocacy. International protocols and national laws shape protection efforts for air, water, endangered species, and human health. Fill in the missing information pertaining to important legislation in **your own handwriting**. You are expected

Legislation Names	Is this a US or World Treaty, Law or Act?	Date Enacted (Year)	Description of the Legislation (Give the general purpose and background of each legislation)	Source Cited (full URL from reputable source)
Kyoto Protocol				
Montreal Protocol				
Delaney Clause of Food, Drug, & Cosmetic Act				
Endangered Species Act				
CITES				
SMRCA				
RCRA				
CERCLA				

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Clean Water Act				
Safe Drinking Water Act				
Clean Air Act				

Open-Ended Questions: Answer the following questions using complete sentences in paragraph form.

1. Why was the Endangered Species Act considered groundbreaking when it was enacted, and what are some challenges it faces today?

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2. Select one piece of legislation from the table (there are 11 to choose from) and discuss its impact on environmental policy or public health.

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Place this section in your APES envelope and mark completed on your checklist.