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Air pollution

Imagine wherever you go you can't breathe, and toxins fill the air. Imagine air pollution so bad that you can never breathe regularly again. This is what life is going to be if we don't stop air pollution. Air pollution can be bad for humans and the earth but we can prevent it.

Pollution is bad for human's health. For indoor pollution it can cause asthma. It also can cause allergies, it cause genetic mutations. Cancer is another thing that is caused by indoor air pollution. It is does not always happen but it usually would.

The ozone layer of the atmosphere can get thinned out by air pollution. When the ozone layer gets thinner by the air pollution the sun can seep through better and it gets hotter. Then it will get so hot you will not be able to survive. That means that the sun gets stronger and then the world gets hotter. The ozone layer is good for the earth but pollution can destroy it.

People can prevent smoke from buildings and from that air pollution. As the smoke from the buildings rises it collects some Co2 then it thins the ozone layer. If you think in a magical way they can kind of be chemicals that destroy the world. This is how you can prevent pollution. How you do it is have less smoke from buildings come out. Experts have known that many new buildings materials can be harmful.

Air pollution can be indoor and outdoor, that is why you should prevent the environment of being polluted. You should save the world by helping eliminate air pollution. I hope you will change your attitude of your not liking to stop all pollution.

Caroline O'Neill

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Alligators

People want the Alligator to be killed but they should be protected.

They're already endangered reptiles. A lot of people are hunting them. The alligators need to protect themselves. The majority of the alligators in the United States make their homes in the states of Florida and Louisiana. There are over one million alligators living in each state. As of 2013, the American alligator is no longer a threatened or endangered species. They are not endangered anymore, though once was because people hunted it for its hide and meat. It is no longer

even a threatened species, and is doing just fine in the southeastern United States. There are estimated to be up to 2 million in Louisiana alone.

Alligator medicine is not a good reason. Some have blood in it and it might make the people sick or die. We should use a different medicine that's not an animal. Alligator blood has been found to be high in certain peptides that are great at killing viruses, including HIV. Alligator blood (and the blood of many other reptiles) is high in peptides, which are fragments of proteins). Learning more about these peptides could lead to the creation of medicines we'd be able to use to fight off strong viruses like HIV.

People should not be afraid of alligators. The alligators might leave the people alone. People should not be bothering them. People should be nice to the alligators. This is the fear of Reptiles in general, since alligators are reptiles this works.

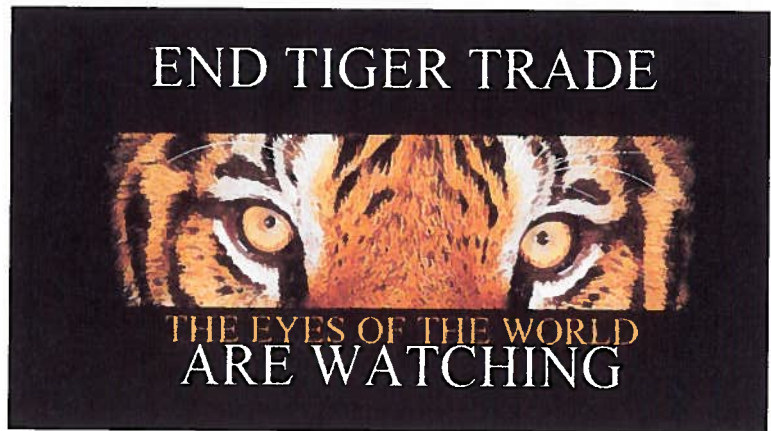
There is no specific phobia for alligators, but the phobia for reptiles is called *herpetophobia*.

These are all the things why we should not hunt or use alligators. We can use something else for medicine that's not from an animal. Maybe food for medicine.

Miriam Herman

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TIGER'S



“Help us we really do need your help” that’s what tigers would say if they could talk human tongue because these days tigers are rapidly falling in number.

The main problem is that their homes are being destroyed one by one and now there is only one place left for them to live and that is the zoo but I wish for them to be free like some of their cousins in the wild so I say “let’s work together to save the tigers and not to cause them extinct”.

Tigers are in a real danger because of the rapid growth of human’s and many other things like black markets and western medicine.

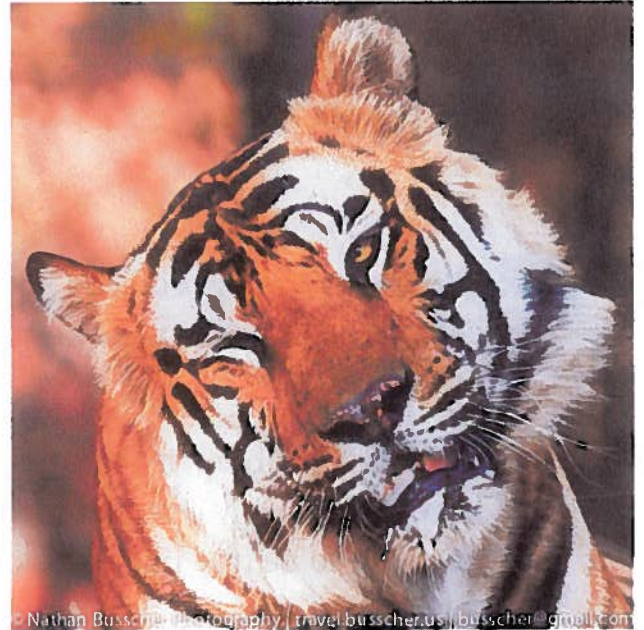
People in the eastern area have a belief that if you eat a piece of the majestic tiger you gain their fabulous skills along with it but that is not true, also they would not waste one bit of the tiger’s body because they would think it would be highly rude to the majestic beasts.

The most dangerous thing for the tigers is the constant threat of being poached for their fur because their fur can be worth a bunch at a black market and that place is very bad. The people who hunt the tigers are very bad people who are called poachers and they only care about money even if they to break the law and hunt endangered species like some tigers for their fur that worth more than \$100,000 million.

The reason I chose to save tigers is because of the horrible thing we do to them and just think “what did they do to us? “ That is what I think” but what

do you chose? "And remember even if you are a small drop there is many more in the river to help you go along the path of animal justice.

Thank you for reading!!!!



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Fracking Is UNHEALTHY for Our Environment

Have you ever heard of fracking? If you do know what fracking is? Do you know the dangers of fracking? Fracking is a horizontal drilling. Fracking makes it ten times easier to get the product that you are drilling for which I believe is just a very bad and dangerous way to get money. You should think first before you start doing dangerous fracking techniques.

One reason fracking is dangerous it could cause explosions just like drilling for coal. I know that with gasoline explosions sometimes poisons go into the air maybe it's the same for fracking. How would you like it if your fracking industry got blown up in a fracking explosion? I certainly would not want my house and my state to be blown up in a fracking accident.

We do not have enough information about fracking yet. Fracking is a very new invention so we don't know if it is safe yet. In matter a fact it is not safe. Fracking is a huge problem for our environment.

Fracking is unhealthy for our environment. Fracking contaminates drinking water. It also pollutes the water for animals. The animals don't know what fracking is. Human beings already polluted our environment so much do we really need to pollute it even more.

Do you know the dangers of fracking? Do you understand why it is dangerous for our environment? Fracking pollutes our environment. It causes explosions. It is also cost a lot of money. We don't have an infinite amount of money on earth. Now do you know the dangers of fracking?

Roman Hampton

Reasons to Stop Deforestation

Franklin D. Roosevelt once said, "Forests are the lungs of our land, purifying the air and giving fresh strength to our people." Forests provide many benefits but they are being cut down. Our country needs to stop deforestation.

Cutting down trees is bad because trees freshen the oxygen and without the trees the air is not fresh. We need air to survive.

Small animals such as squirrels, chipmunks, birds, and other small animals can become extinct because most of their homes are in trees. And their nice and cute and they help our averment

When trees fall, they carry seeds and sometimes even broken down leaves and branches, and then the wind blows in bacteria. This makes compost and can cause wild fires. Wild fires are hard to put out and they burn more trees.

We don't need wood to make a lot of stuff. We could make tables out of metal, and use less paper or recycle the paper. This would mean less cutting down trees.

GLOBAL COOLING

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