

Environment and Technology--Reality and Responsibility

People too often see the world as a place of unlimited resources, rarely considering that their actions have a direct effect on everything around them. The environment influences life and shapes human feelings and opinions. People should improve human relationships and responsibilities to the world of which they are a part.

The world is too much with us; late and soon,
Getting and spending, we lay waste our powers;
little we see in Nature that is ours;
we have given our hearts away

Think and talk:

- What is the relationship between people and nature?
- What role does technology play in our lives and in nature?
- What are our most significant technological achievements?
- How can humans work in harmony with nature and technology?
- What are the major threats to our environment?