

PRE-VOCATIONAL STUDIES ASSIGNMENT 2

(1a) Differentiate between forest and forestry.

A forest is an area of land containing different types of trees, grasses and animals while forestry is the study of forest and forest resources for the purpose of man, preserving of animals and their environment.

(1b) List five (5) forest resources.

(i) Timber

(ii) Meat

(iii) Fruits

(iv) Fishes

(v) Natural resources e. g oil

(2) Explain three (3) ways by which human activities affect the Forest.

(i) FALLING OF TREES: When people fall without replanting them it leads to reduction of trees in a forest and as we know we need trees to make oxygen.

(ii) HUNTING: Some hunters will go to forests to hunt and by doing this they are endangering the life of those animals.

(iii) BUSH BURNING: When people burn bushes, they destroy the ozone layer and vegetation cover thereby leading to soil erosions. It also causes air pollution and destroys animals, pastures and water shed points.