




Wild Wetlands

Wetlands are any area of land that is wet; examples are marshes, bogs, and swamps. In recent years the wetlands have shrunk 90% due to human activity; construction of houses, airports and drainage of wetlands for farmland are all responsible for the wetlands disappearance. Many animals live and depend on the wetlands for their survival; it is the responsibility of people to help ensure their existence in the future.

Consider the questions below and respond with your answers.

 There is constantly trash litter in and around your school, picking it up yourself and putting it in the trash is useful but not completely effective; what could you do to increase the effectiveness of the litter cleanup?

 You are interested in planting a garden and want to take the local environment into consideration; what kind of plants would you garden to help local wildlife?

 Name two more things you could do to benefit the environment and local wildlife.



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