

Spelling list: STRIPE World at Risk Geography

Key words for the World at Risk STRIPE Project for Geography

biodiversity	Biodiversity is the range and number of species in an area.
environment	The environment includes our water, air, soil, plants and animals.
recycling	Recycling helps the world.
waste	Resources are often wasted.
orangutan	Palm oil threatens the orangutans.
consumption	Consumption of resources in MEDCs is high.
deforestation	Deforestation is the cutting down or burning of forests, clearing large areas of land.
endangered	The red squirrel is an endangered species.
extinct	The dodo was a flightless bird which is now extinct .
climate	Our climate is changing due to human actions.
destruction	Some rain forests are experiencing rapid destruction .
emissions	Waste gases produced by power stations are called emissions .
electricity	Our electricity bill is much higher this year.
sustainable	Sustainable energy can be carried on without wasting things or harming the natural world.