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Fast fashion Student worksheet



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The fashion industry and its environmental impact

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Fast fashion: Clothes that are made and sold cheaply, so that people can buy new clothes often.

1. Discuss the questions.

Where can you buy fast fashion in your town?

What kinds of people buy fast fashion? Why?

What are the pros and cons of fast fashion?

Where can you get clothes that aren't fast fashion?

2. Match the words and definitions.

1) item (n)	a) a place where large amounts of rubbish are buried
2) produce (v)	b) natural materials, such as cotton or wool
3) carbon emissions (n)	c) material used to make clothes etc.
4) landfill site (n)	d) one object or unit
5) biodegradable (adj)	e) break up into small parts and disappear with time
6) decompose (v)	f) chemicals that are dangerous for the environment
7) recyclable (adj)	g) relating to the whole world
8) raw materials (n)	h) make, create
9) textile (n)	i) able to be recycled, used again
10) global (adj)	j) able to decay naturally, without causing harm

3. Complete the infographic about fast fashion. Use the numbers in the box below.

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