

Final Exam

The ozone layer is a layer of air high above us in the atmosphere. This layer contains ozone molecules which made up of three atoms of oxygen. The ozone layer is being destroyed by all kinds of things, for example, freon, which is the main chemical substance in air conditioning, refrigerators, and many other things.

Before late 1980's, scientists called chlorofluorocarbons or CFC's were considered "harmless" because they were great and used them in refrigerators, air conditioning, and many other things. But now we know chlorofluorocarbons (CFC) molecules are harmful and they are breaking the molecules of the ozone layer. This leads to the fact that there is the ozone layer and there is not as much as we need to protect us from the sun's rays.

CFC's can get through water and soil by getting small holes between molecules. Scientists say that the molecules are so small that they can get through the holes between water and soil molecules. If the ozone layer is being getting thinner, there could be three problems: global warming, freon that is used in air conditioning, and freon that is used in the ozone layer.

Reading comprehension:

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Writing exercises: write a

- short story about the environment. What kind of world would it be?

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