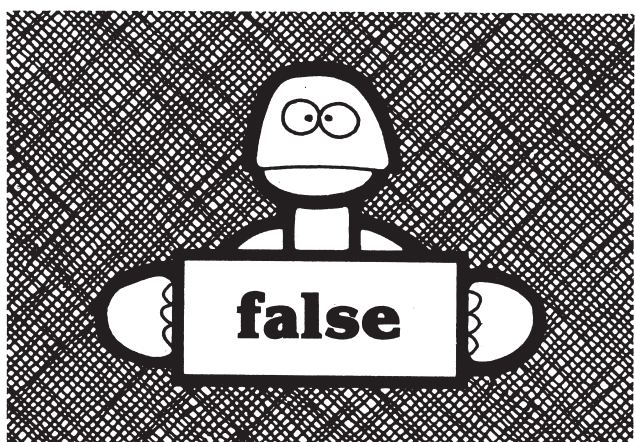
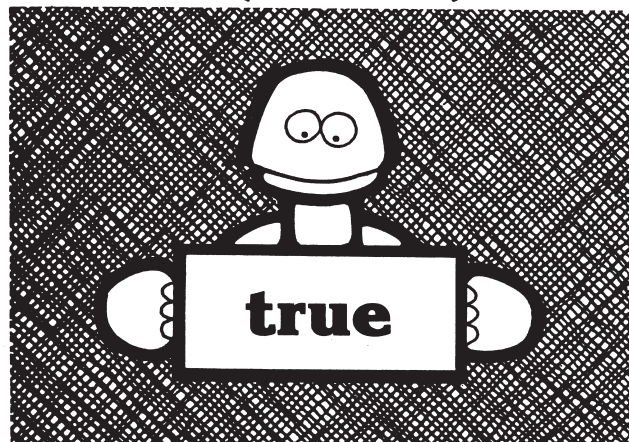
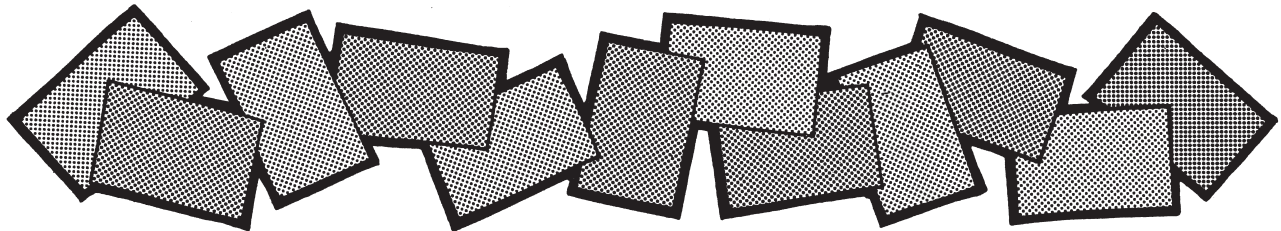


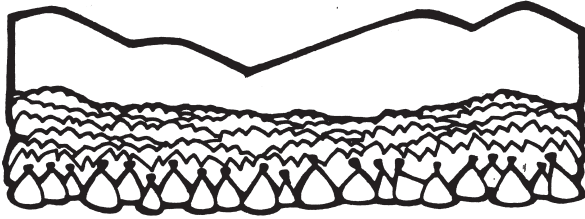
Game Instructions

1. Cut out the game cards on pages 57 through 61.
2. Color the cards if you wish.
3. Use the cards as they are or glue them to cardboard or tagboard to make them stronger.
4. Shuffle the cards and stack them face down.
5. One at a time, draw a card from the stack.
6. Turn the card over.
7. Read the statement on the card carefully.
8. Decide if the statement is true or false.
9. If the statement is true, put the card in the box marked **true**. If the statement is false, put the card in the box marked **false**.
10. When you have read each card and put it in a box, check your answers. Use the answer key on page 56.

Play this game with family members or friends. If there is more than one player, players should take turns drawing cards and should each create their own true and false stacks. When all of the cards are gone, the winner is the player who has the most cards correctly stacked.



1. Garbage trucks take trash to large open pits called landfills.



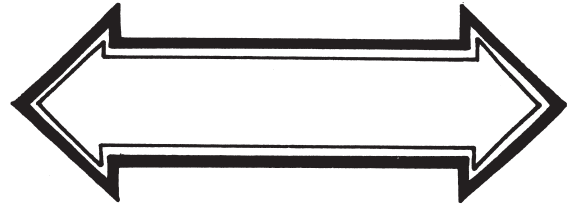
2. Recycling paper saves trees.



3. Some animals are in danger of becoming extinct.



4. Because the United States is a big country, it will never run out of landfill space.



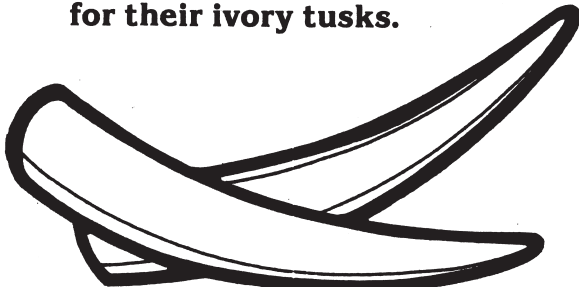
5. Water covers less than half of the earth.



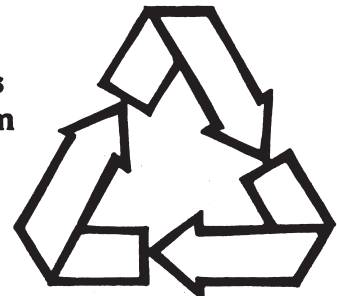
6. More energy is needed to recycle used products into new ones than to make new products from scratch.



7. People kill hawksbill turtles for their ivory tusks.



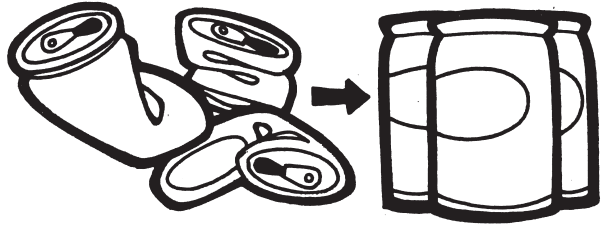
8. This symbol is printed on bags and boxes made from recycled paper.



9. **Litter** is trash that has been carefully placed in wastebaskets or garbage cans.



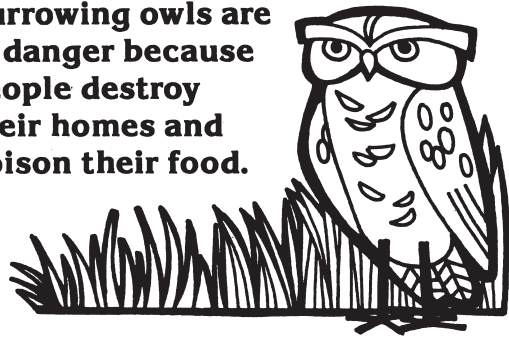
10. **Recycling** is treating things that have been used so that they can be used again.



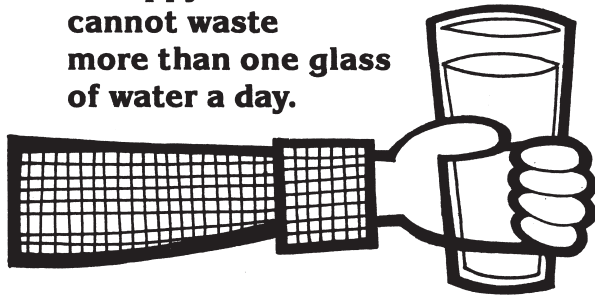
11. All of our trash must be thrown away because none of it can be recycled.



12. **Burrowing owls** are in danger because people destroy their homes and poison their food.



13. A drippy faucet cannot waste more than one glass of water a day.



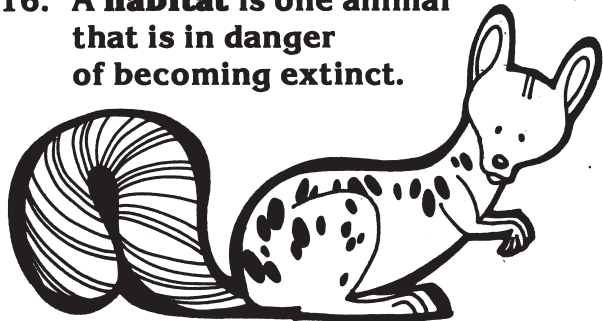
14. Only newspapers, magazines, and other paper products can be recycled.



15. Dirty water from homes and factories can poison rivers and kill the fish that live in them.



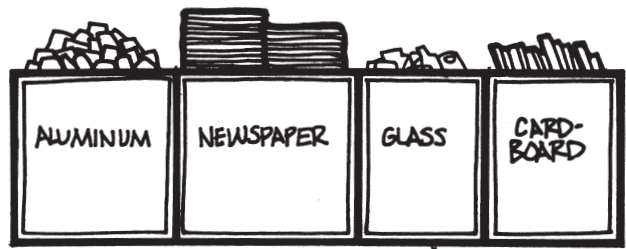
16. A **habitat** is one animal that is in danger of becoming extinct.



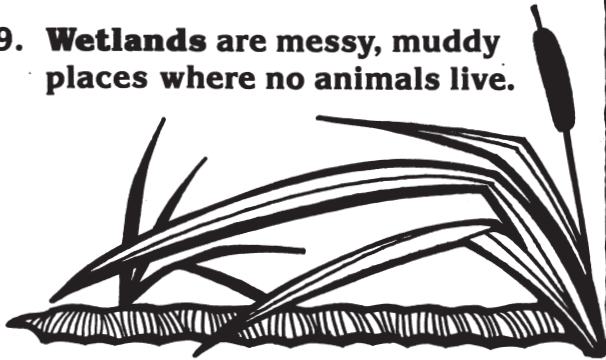
17. A roadrunner's natural habitat is the desert.



18. Recycling saves air, water, energy, and natural resources.



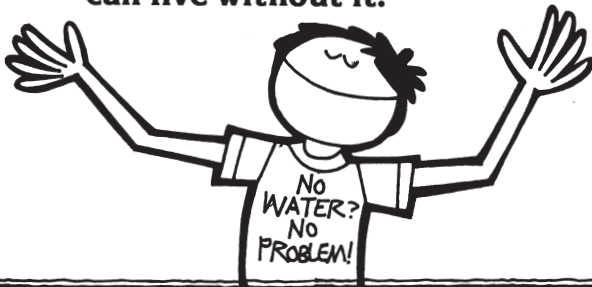
19. Wetlands are messy, muddy places where no animals live.



20. Because plastic six-pack rings bend easily, they cannot harm animals in any way.



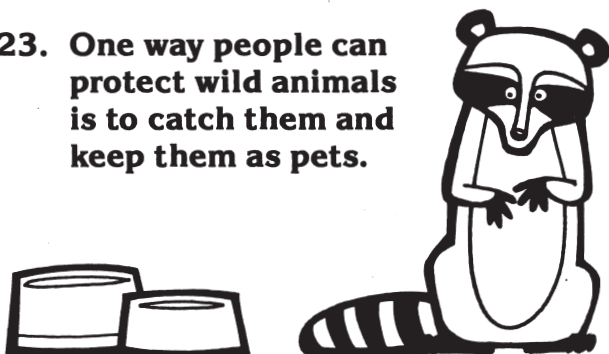
21. Fresh water is nice to have, but people and animals can live without it.



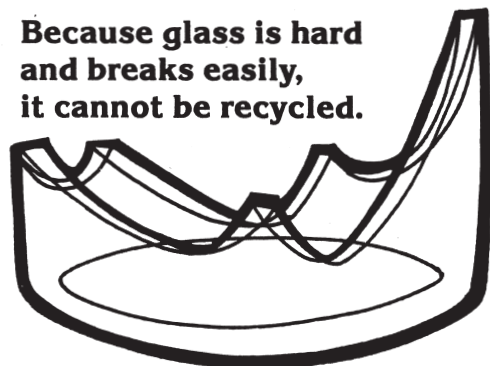
22. Each person uses about 70 gallons of water a day.



23. One way people can protect wild animals is to catch them and keep them as pets.



24. Because glass is hard and breaks easily, it cannot be recycled.



Game Answer Key

1. **True** (page 12).

2. **True** (pages 24–25). More than 500,000 trees are used each week to produce Sunday newspapers.

3. **True** (pages 26–27). Some animals are in danger of becoming extinct because people hunt them, collect them, destroy their homes, and poison them.

4. **False** (page 12). The United States is running out of landfill space. Half of the landfills in this country will be full in less than 10 years.

5. **False** (page 38). Water covers **more** than half of the earth.

6. **False** (page 17). **Less** energy is needed to recycle used products into new ones than to make new products from scratch.

7. **False** (page 27). Hawksbill turtles are killed for their **shells**. African elephants are killed for their ivory tusks.

8. **True** (page 24).

9. **False** (page 14). **Litter** is trash that has been carelessly dropped instead of being placed in a wastebasket or garbage can.

10. **True** (page 16).

11. **False** (pages 16–17). Aluminum, glass, paper, and plastic trash and yard cuttings can all be recycled.

12. **True** (page 31).

13. **False** (page 45). Even a small drip can waste more than 50 gallons of water a day. That's enough water to fill 800 eight-ounce glasses!

14. **False** (page 16). Glass, aluminum, and plastic can also be recycled.

15. **True** (page 26).

16. **False** (page 34). A **habitat** is the place where an animal naturally lives and grows.

17. **True** (page 34).

18. **True** (page 17).

19. **False** (page 34). Wetlands are the natural home of cranes, ducks, frogs, and many other animals.

20. **False** (page 15). Birds, fish, and other animals get caught in these rings and cannot tear or break the plastic to free themselves.

21. **False** (page 38). Both animals and people need fresh water. In fact, a person can live only a few days without it.

22. **True** (page 44).

23. **False** (page 37). It is not good to keep wild animals as pets. The best way to enjoy nature is to look, learn, and leave it alone.

24. **False** (page 16). During the recycling process, old glass is crushed into small pieces, melted, and made into new glass.

