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Chapter 13 Notes
Responding to Global Warming (p. 444-449)

1. Assuming that the greenhouse effect is true, how can global warming be slowed?

2. What is a “carbon footprint”?

3. What did signing the Kyoto Protocol require countries to do?

4. Did many countries sign the Kyoto Protocol? Did Canada? The USA?

5. Which groups, in general, were opposed to the Kyoto Protocol in Canada? Briefly explain their arguments.

6. How successful was the Liberal government in reducing Canada’s greenhouse gas emissions?

7. What has been the Conservative government's policy regarding the Kyoto Protocol?

8. How successful has the Conservative government been in reducing Canada's greenhouse gas emissions?

9. How has the BC government worked to reduce greenhouse gas emission?

10. Briefly define "carbon-neutral".

11. Explain how carbon offsets work.

12. What was the result the Copenhagen Climate Change Conference?