

**Answer key**

**Comprehension 1 & 2**

- 1** European countries
- 2** burning waste/rubbish to generate heat and electricity
- 3**
  - i) It frees up land in overpopulated cities. (any reasonable answer)
  - ii) It prevents dangerous chemicals from seeping into soil and underground water supplies. (any reasonable answer)
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  - i) F
  - ii) NG
  - iii) F
  - iv) NG
- 5** D
- 6** plastic's
- 7** C
- 8**
  - ii) Less waste is reused/recycled. (any reasonable answer)
  - iii) Importing waste causes pollution. (any reasonable answer)
  - iv) Ash and fumes damage the earth's atmosphere. (any reasonable answer)
- 9** C
- 10**
  - i) C
  - ii) B
  - iii) A
- 11** D
- 12**
  - i) eliminates
  - ii) overpopulated
  - iii) non-renewable
  - iv) import
  - v) outrageous
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(i) solid waste	(v) restaurants
(ii) landfill	(vi) 1.39
(iii) municipal solid waste	(vii) tonnes
(iv) ourselves	(viii) plastic