



Did you know that:

- Scientists believe that the temperature of the Earth is rising.
- The ice covering the North and South Poles is starting to melt very quickly. In parts of Antarctica, up to a metre of ice is melting every year.
- A forest the size of England is being cut down every year.

Facts about climate change

- It is predicted that by 2040 there will be no ice in the Arctic Ocean during the summer months. At the moment the ice is about 3 metres thick in summer.
- Global warming can cause changes in weather. For example if sea levels continue to rise, there could be more floods.
- Lakes and rivers may dry up.
- If there are more droughts, it may get harder to grow certain crops.
- Some animals may not be able to adapt to living in such a hot climate and become extinct.

Why not try this?

- What can you do to help slow down climate change? Make a list and spread the word!

