

## READING COMPREHENSION

### A. Level A1+ . Tick the right boxes.

1. What type of document is it ?     an internet forum     a newspaper article     the extract from a novel
2. Where was it published ?     in the USA     in England     in Australia     in Canada
3. What is it about ?
- natural disasters     the weather forecast     climate change     Hollywood's next blockbuster

### B. Level A2 / A2+ . Answer the following questions by quoting from the text

1. Find 3 consequences of climate change (in the first paragraph):  
« \_\_\_\_\_ »    « \_\_\_\_\_ »    « \_\_\_\_\_ »
2. In the future, the land will still be fertile (despite the high temperatures) :  right     wrong  
« \_\_\_\_\_ »
3. In the 2nd paragraph, find 2 other consequences of climate change :  
« \_\_\_\_\_ »    « \_\_\_\_\_ »
4. What do British experts predict ?  
« \_\_\_\_\_ »
5. Find at least 2 other consequences in the last paragraphs :  
« \_\_\_\_\_ »    « \_\_\_\_\_ »    « \_\_\_\_\_ »
6. Which insect might become invasive in Great Britain in the future ? \_\_\_\_\_
7. Why ? « \_\_\_\_\_ »
8. Why could it be dangerous ? « \_\_\_\_\_ »
9. Explain Professor Richard Bardgett's conclusion :  
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10. What does « doomsday » mean ?  jour du jugement dernier     jour du dôme     fin du monde

### C. Level B1. Answer the questions and justify by quoting from the text.

1. Find the equivalent in the text of 'high temperatures': \_\_\_\_\_
2. What will the consequence of higher temperatures on people (paragraph 3) be ?  
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\_\_\_\_\_
3. 'demand for water will outstrip supply 2.5 times' means :  
 there will be enough water for everybody in the near future     there won't be enough water for everybody
4. Explain in English what a 'doomsday' scenario is :  
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