ENVISAGING THE FUTURE
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One of the main debates was around how we can reduce the amount of greenhouse gas emissions each country is producing and move to renewable energy sources.
INTERNATIONAL CLIMATE AGREEMENT

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This agreement alone will not stop dangerous climate change.

We still need to do more.
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5. How can we support people, animals and nature that are affected by climate change?
YOUR CHOICE

What will you choose?

TAKE ACTION NOW!
I pledge to reduce my carbon footprint and to help others to do the same.

WAIT AND SEE...
I’m not ready to make the change right now. It’s not really down to me anyway.

Click on a coloured box
WHAT MIGHT LIFE BE LIKE IF WE MEET OUR TARGET?

Healthy habitats like these natural grasslands and forested slopes
WHAT MIGHT LIFE BE LIKE IF WE DON’T MEET OUR TARGET?

Fiercer and more frequent storms will bring down trees and damage property around the globe.
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