

An Inconvenient Truth – Al Gore

1.) Watch the video and answer the questions:

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- What would happen if the glaciers were to melt?

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If you look at the ten hottest years ever _____, they've all occurred in the last 14 years, and the hottest of all was 2005. *(By far, the most terrifying film you will ever see.)* Scientific _____ is that we are causing global warming.

I am Al Gore I _____ to be the next President of the United States of America. This is Patagonia 75 years ago and the same glacier today. This is Mount Kilimanjaro 30 years ago and _____ year. Within the decade there will be no more snows of Kilimanjaro. This is really not a political _____ so much as a moral issue. Temperature increases are taking _____ all over the world and that's causing stronger storms.

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2.) Match the vocabulary on the right with the translations on the left.

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	si esto ocurriera
couple	nivel del mar
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