

# Exercise 1 - Summary

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- What is “Development” in your opinion?
  - Process of improving situation, living standards, raising degree of happiness
  - Process of which better-served stakeholders cooperate to address pressing issues of the underserved
  - To make smiles and reduce tears
  - Make poor people rich
- What comes to your mind when you hear “sustainable development”?
  - Development which is well-researched, well-planned, unbiased
  - Considers global environment and limited resources
  - Inter-generational justice, being fair not only to people in current generation, but also future generations
  - Holistic, long-term oriented
  - Continuously supported so that it doesn’t get abandoned half-way

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- What do you know about policies and activities related to “sustainable development”?
  - Kyoto Protocol
  - Rio Declaration on Environment and Development
  - Agenda 21
  - Basic Environmental Law (Japan)
  - Sustainable harvesting (logging)
  - ITER (International Thermonuclear Experimental Reactor)
- What are the areas of development fields that interest you the most?
  - Energy
  - Infrastructure (transportation, network)
  - Education
  - Environment
  - Health