



Environmental Policy

Kenyon Reading Guide

Name:

Section:

Directions: Use the reading guide below to help you take notes on the book *That Wild Country* by Mark Kenyon and prepare for the written exam question. You will be able to use this when completing your in-class writing (providing it is your own).

You will also be able to use the book as an aid while writing. I will choose one of the following questions for students to write about on the day of the day of the test. These papers will be collected at the end of the test.

Question 1: Legislation

Which piece of environmental legislation has had the largest effect towards the preservation and maintenance of public lands in the United State?

While you are reading: Keep track specific mentions of pieces of legislation, what they did, and the page number(s) which they are referenced on.

<u>Legislative Act/Law</u>	<u>Brief Summation</u>	<u>Page(s)</u>

Additional Notes:

Question 2: Public Responsibility

Explain what Kenyon means that we are all “Public Land Owners” and how that lends itself to the public’s responsibility to maintain Public Lands. Cite Specific arguments with corresponding page numbers

While you are reading: Keep track of specific arguments throughout the text that will help you answer this question, and the page number(s) which they are referenced on.

<u>Argument</u>	<u>Page(s)</u>

Additional Notes:

Question 3: Personal Connections

What is the importance of experience for an individual's development as a conservationist? Cite specific examples from the text (at least 2), and an outside example (can be a personal example)

While you are reading: Keep track of examples from the text of how personal experiences can encourage conservation action. Record the page(s) for future reference.

<u>Example</u>	<u>Page(s)</u>

Additional Notes:

Question 4: Political Responsibility

Why should both major political parties in the United States (Republican and Democrat) be concerned with the issue of the preservation of public lands? Cite specific arguments from the text and be able to connect them to issues from the party’s platform.

While you are reading: Keep track of specific arguments throughout the text that will help you answer this question, and the page number(s) which they are referenced on.

<u>Party</u>	<u>Argument</u>	<u>Page(s)</u>
Democrats		
Republicans		

Additional Notes: