GREENHOUSE FACTSHEET

A GREENHOUSE IS MADE OF GLASS

It is like a glass house

The sun shines in through the glass and heats up the greenhouse

It is used for growing plants, flowers and vegetables

Plants growing in a greenhouse grow faster than outside it

Because a greenhouse is made of glass it stays warm on the inside all year around

The air in the greenhouse gets warmer and warmer and cannot escape

THE EARTH'S ATMOSPHERE TRAPS HOT AIR JUST LIKE A GREENHOUSE

PERATION

The Sun heats up the Earth's atmosphere

The atmosphere is not made of glass but has greenhouse gases that trap the heat

Examples of greenhouse gases are Carbon Dioxide, Water, Methane and Nitrate Oxide

Too many greenhouse gases can cause the Earth's temperature to increase

This increase in greenhouse gases is causing a change in the living environment in our planet



