Vocabulary practice

1. Replace the words in bold with a word with a similar meaning from the Key words.
   1. The islanders are **really hungry**. They can’t produce enough food to feed everyone.
   2. The supermarket **brings** my shopping twice a week.
   3. Everybody turned and **looked** at him when he walked into the meeting.
   4. We **looked** at the beautiful beach in front of us.
   5. My suitcase was too heavy to pick up so I had to **pull** it along behind me.
   6. People often **believe** that money brings you happiness, but they are wrong.
   7. There’s a lot in the news about GM **food produce** these days.
   8. Farmland in tropical areas can **disappear** quickly because of the heavy rain.

2. Match words from A with words from B to make expressions related to the environment. Which three expressions are in the article?

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Grammar practice

3. Complete the sentences with the where necessary. Check your answers in the text.

1. José Antonio Tuki is a 30-year-old artist on ____ Easter Island.
2. Tuki left his house on ____ southwest coast.
3. Tuki hiked north across ____ island to ____ Anakena beach.
4. When ____ first Polynesian settlers arrived, there were only a few of them.
5. Almost every job on Easter Island depends on ____ tourism.
6. ____ modern science has proved ____ builders were Polynesian.
7. ____ researchers assume ____ ancestors dragged ____ statues using ____ ropes and ____ wood.
8. They think ____ inhabitants actually pioneered a type of ____ sustainable farming.
9. For José Tuki, as he contemplates these enormous statues, ____ ambiguity is fine.
10. ‘I want to know ____ truth,’ Tuki says.

4. Whose theory do you prefer? Jared Diamond’s or Hunt and Lipo’s? Why?