

**Drag the correct word(s) from the list to answer the question.**

**public  
transportation**

**skyrise**



a) What is the name of a tall apartment building?

**urban**



b) What word describes a city environment?

c)

What is a way for many people to get to school or work at once?






The ways that people live and move around can have a big effect on greenhouse gas emissions. Where people live and work and the ways people travel in and around cities is the subject of **urban planning**. For example, city planners decide whether to allow large **skyrise** apartment buildings or new single-family homes. They plan how and where public transportation and roads will connect people's homes and businesses.





**Drag the correct word(s) from the list to complete the sentence.**

**WELL DONE!**

-  a) When it is easier for people to get from place to place in their daily lives without using cars, fewer greenhouse gases are added to the atmosphere.
-  b) Some cities ban cars from central areas, and open up roads to bicyclists and pedestrians instead.
-  c) Urban planners look for ways to connect spread-out neighborhoods to business centers with commuter trains and other forms of public transportation.



**Open Discussion:**

Describe the job of an urban planner.