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Synthesis and Transformation

An activity of "How one family is coping with climate change"

When you use different sentence structures, your writing will be more interesting to read. Here is an exercise encouraging you to explore changing sentence structures. The sentences below are adapted from "How one family is coping with climate change" (pages 8-9, *What's Up*, January 2026). Rewrite them into one sentence each using the helping words.

1. Kabale was one of the people who lived in that village. She remembers the drought as something that changed her family's life.

_____, *who* _____
_____.

2. John survived on the money given by aid groups. It was just enough to buy food and basic things. It wasn't enough to rebuild his life.

Although the money _____
_____.

3. The next crisis is climate change. There are now more rains, floods, and droughts. There are also more heatwaves, cold waves, rising water levels, and melting glaciers.

Climate change causes not only _____
but also _____.

4. Getting food and medicine is not enough. Displaced people also need help to start earning money again.

In addition to _____
_____.

5. "I like it here because I have a lot of friends," he says.

He said _____.