

Sub-heading: Urbanization as contributing factor to Climate Change

Topic Sentence	Urbanization in the recent times has <u>intensified</u> the visible signs in the Climate Change.
Explanatory sentence	The rapid population growth and migration from rural to <u>urban</u> areas requires more land, energy, and resource consumption.
Supporting point 1:	Urban sprawl and development have led to the loss of green spaces, increased carbon emission, and air pollution.
Example 1:	According to a UNDP-backed environmental analysis, Islamabad's green spaces declined from 59% to 36% over three decades due to expansion of sectors, private housing societies, and infrastructure.
Supporting sentence 2.	Urban areas also require significant energy for various purposes including powering buildings, transportation, and industries. A large portion of this energy is derived from fossil fuels, which release green-house gases (CO ₂) when burned, contributing to climate change.
Example No. 2.	According to World Bank report (2023), Urban areas, which cover less than 2% of Earth's surfaces, are responsible for more than 70% of global CO ₂ emissions.

Concluding
sentence

~~Hence, Urbanization is contributing~~
~~to major climate changes~~

sentence structure is fine