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Energy from the Sun, Wind and Water



Sort six energy sources into renewable and not renewable, then mark four facts true or false.

Name: _____ **Date:** _____

A **renewable** energy source never runs out: the sun, the wind and moving water keep coming back. Coal, oil and natural gas took millions of years to form, so when they are used up, they are gone.

1. Write each energy source in the right column.

moving water · coal · wind · oil · natural gas · sunlight

Renewable	Not renewable

2. Circle True or False.

Coal takes millions of years to form.	True	False
Wind will run out someday.	True	False
Solar panels turn sunlight into electricity.	True	False
Burning coal and oil puts smoke into the air.	True	False

Have you seen a wind turbine or a solar panel? Where?

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