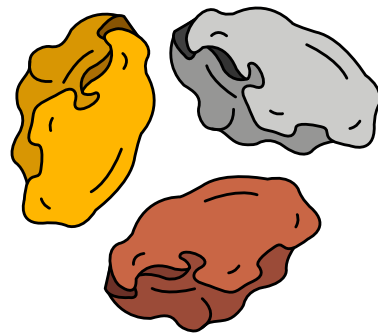
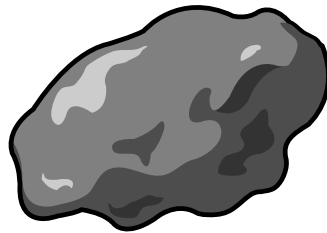
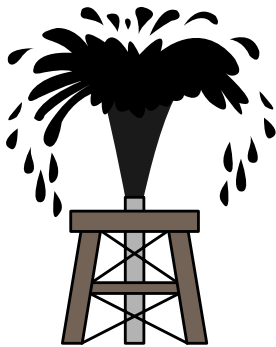
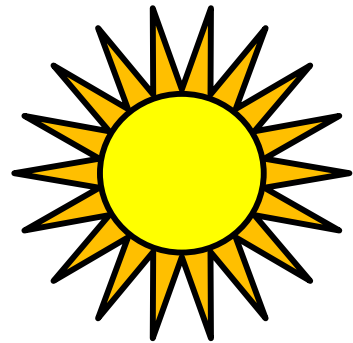
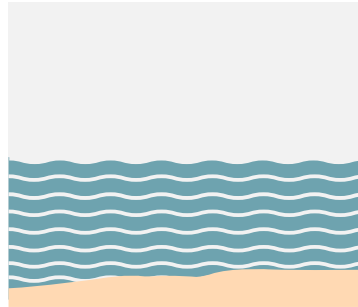
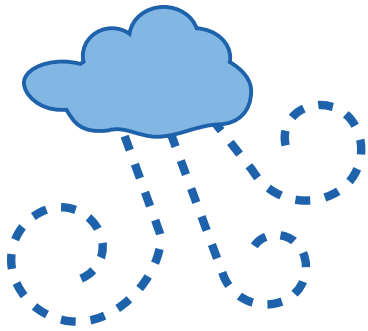
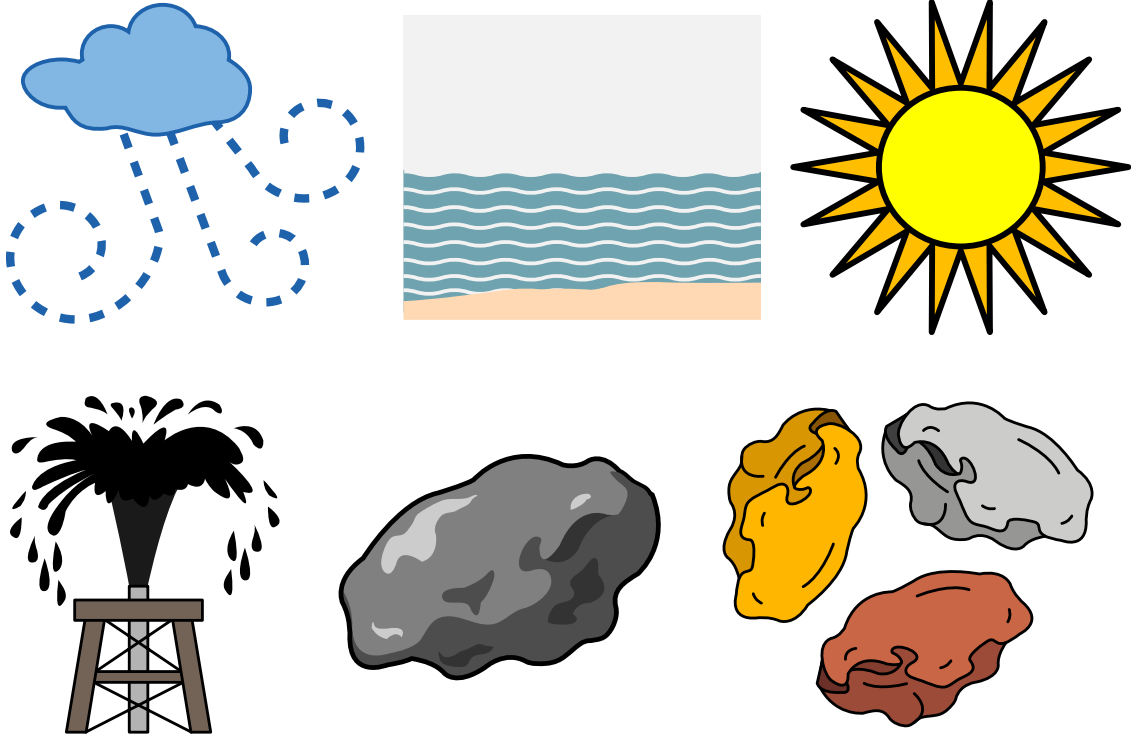


What Are Natural Resources?

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The world has many natural resources. They are found in our environment. A resource is something we can use.



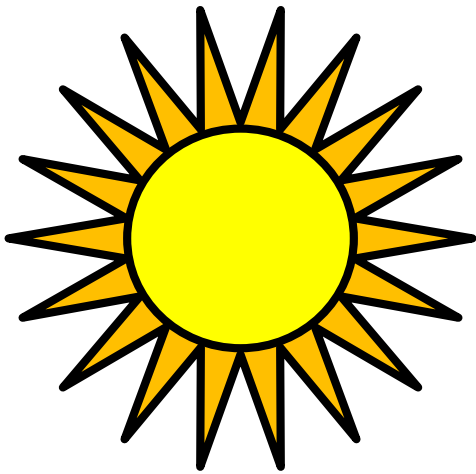
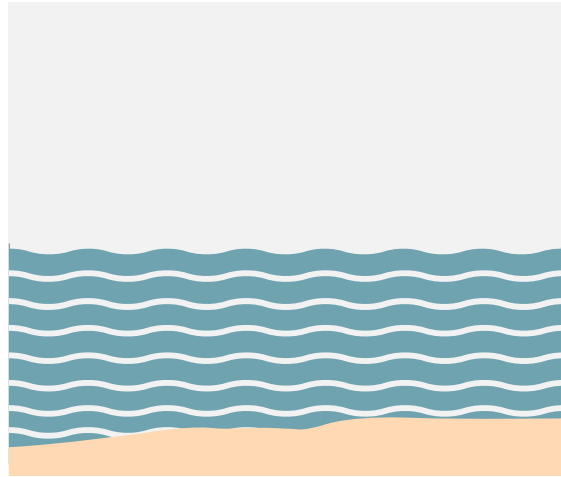
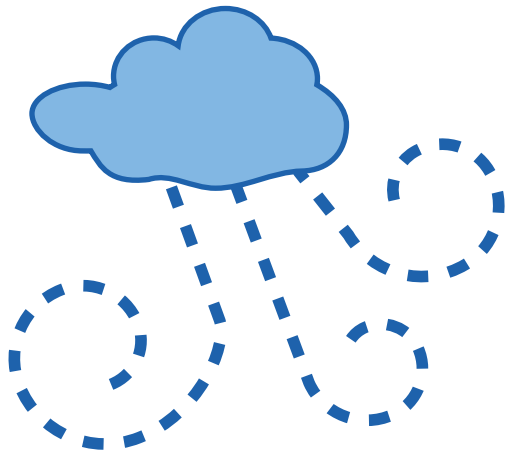
RENEWABLE RESOURCES



NON-RENEWABLE RESOURCES

A natural resource can be air, water, sunlight, oil, coal or metals. They can be a renewable or non-renewable resource.

RENEWABLE RESOURCES



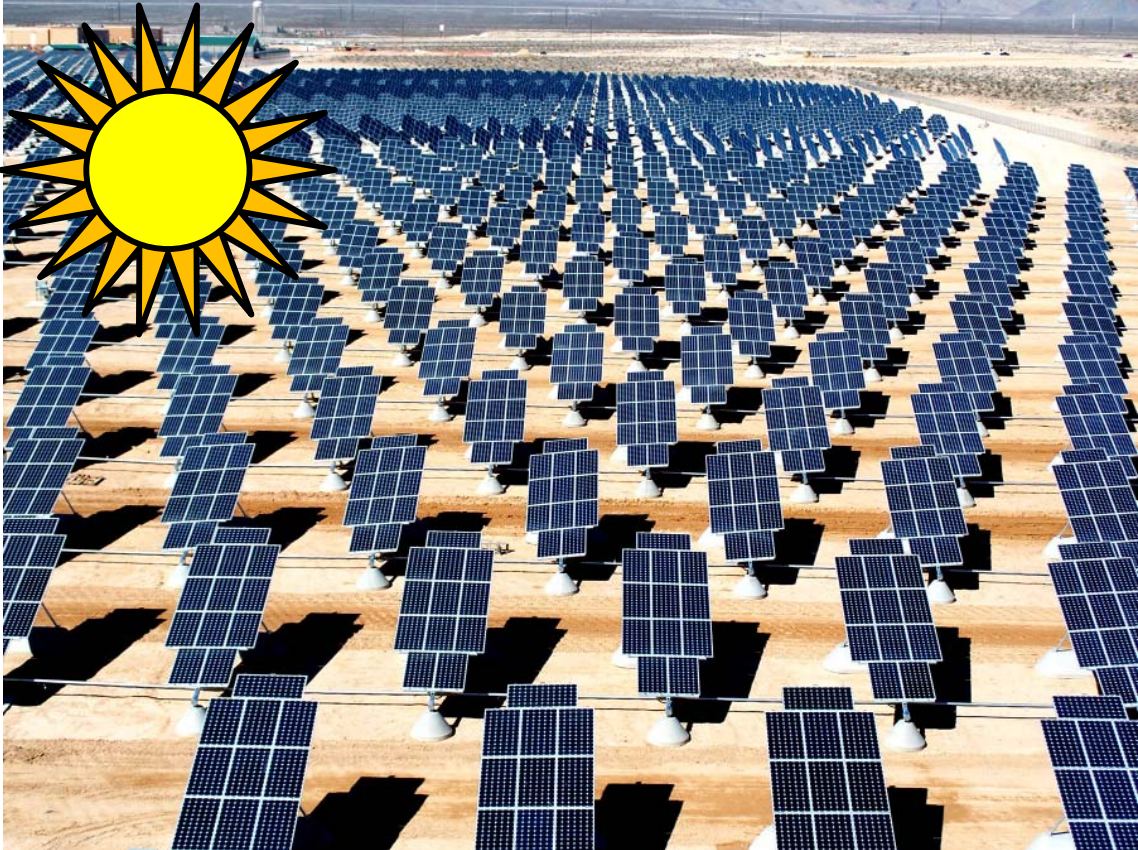
A renewable resource can be refilled. Air, water and sunlight are renewable resources.



Air is a resource. It can be used to make power. Air moves wind turbines. Moving wind turbines help make power.



Water is a resource. It can be used to make power. Water moves through dams. Dams help make power.

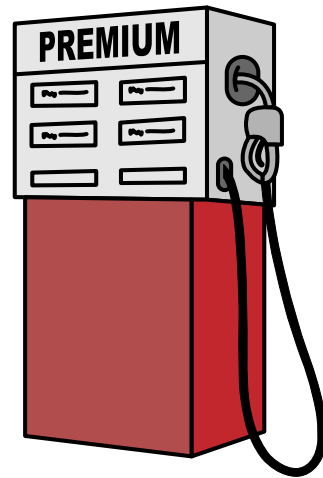
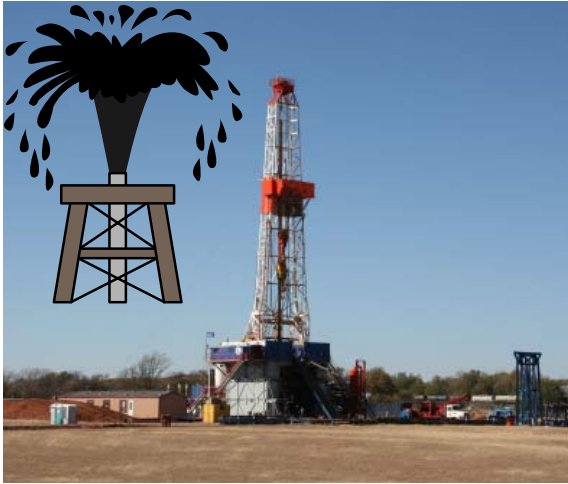


Sunlight is a resource. It can be used to make power. Sunlight is gathered by solar panels. Solar panels help make power.

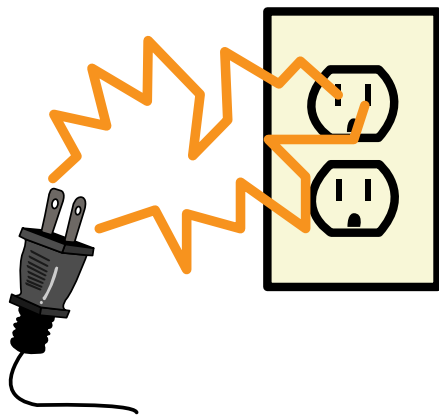
NON-RENEWABLE RESOURCES



A non-renewable resource cannot be refilled. Oil, coal and metals are found in the ground. Oil, coal and metals are non-renewable resources.



Oil is a resource. People drill and pump oil from the ground. It can be drilled on land or in water. Oil is used to make fuel for cars and planes. When the oil is used, it is gone. We need to find more oil.



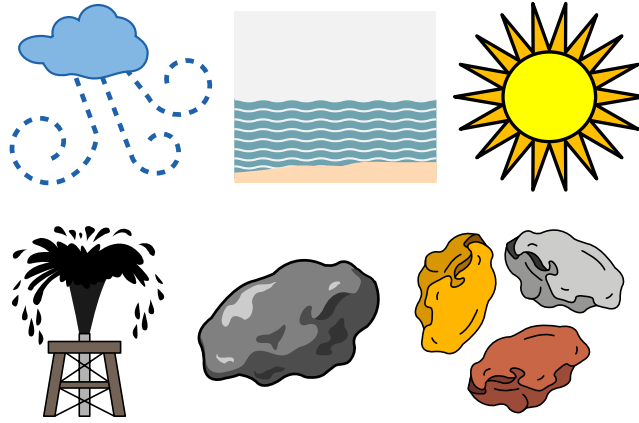
Coal is a resource. It can be found buried in the ground. People dig into the ground and gather coal. Coal is used to make electricity. When the coal is used, it is gone. We need to find more coal.



Metals are a resource. Metals are found in the ground. Metals can be gold, iron, copper and more. Metals are used to make jewelry, coins, buildings and more. When the metal is used, it is gone. We need to find more metal.



Resources can be used to power our cities. Resources can be used to make the things we need. Natural resources are very useful!



The End

yes



What Are Natural Resources?

no



<p>find</p>	<p>use</p>	<p>renewable</p>	<p>natural resource</p>	<p>air</p>	<p>water</p>	<p>sunlight</p>
<p>refill</p>	<p>make</p>	<p>non-renewable</p>	<p>oil</p>	<p>coal</p>	<p>metal</p>	<p>power</p>
<p>move</p>	<p>gather</p>		<p>wind turbine</p>	<p>dam</p>	<p>solar panel</p>	<p>ground</p>
<p>drill</p>	<p>pump</p>		<p>fuel</p>	<p>electricity</p>	<p>gold</p>	<p>iron</p>
<p>dig</p>			<p>copper</p>	<p>jewelry</p>	<p>coin</p>	<p>building</p>

Glossary



resource - a supply of something that can be used.



renewable resource - a natural resource that can be refilled naturally



non-renewable resource - a natural resource that cannot be refilled, made or grown

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