



Lesson 14

Goal 7 – Affordable and Clean Energy (2)





Lead in

Read and Answer

13% of the global population still lacks access to modern electricity.

• In some developing countries, 25% of people are in the condition with no electricity.

billion people rely on wood, coal or animal waste for cooking and heating.

Can you imagine how people may live without electricity?



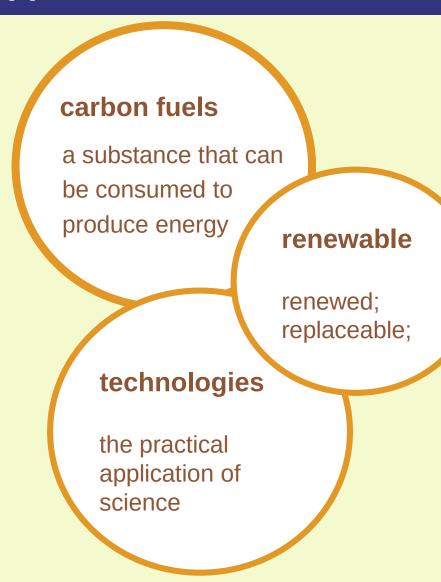


Read and Review

For a long time, coal, oil and gas have been major sources of electricity production, but burning these carbon fuels produces a lot of greenhouse gases. It will cause climate change and harm the environment and public health.

Therefore, we should use more clean energy. Energy from the water, the wind and the sun are clean and can be reused. Such energy is called renewable energy.

Renewable energy is making great progress. However, some countries do not have access to this resource due to lack of technologies. So, more attention is needed to improve access to clean energy and high technologies for people around the world.





Read and Review

Tell whether the statements are TRUE or FALSE based on the passage.

- 1. Coal, oil and gas are carbon fuels produces and they are renewable energy.
- 2. Heavy use of carbon fuels can lead to climate change.
- 3. Energy from the water, the wind and the sun are clean and cannot be reused.
- 4. Although renewable energy is making great progress, countries still devote themselves to improve access to clean energy and high technologies.



Focus on Global Issues

Read the different situations of energy use in the following countries.

In Gambia



Sintet is a rural farming village located in Western Gambia. The community lived in basic conditions with no electricity or running water.

In the dry season, they had no access to water for farming from November to late May.



In Kenya

Alton Maasai Primary School is located in the remote community in South District of Kenya.

The school's current access to water and power is through the solar panels on the roofs of the classrooms.



Focus on Global Issues

Discuss the issue of energy resources in your country.

Your country:

- 1. What are the richest and the rarest energy in your country?
- 2. What energy crisis is your country currently facing?
- 3. What are the energy waste problems in your country?





Global Issues Shooting

What can we do to reduce the problem of energy crisis?

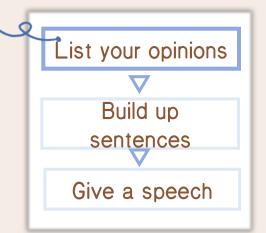
List some possible ways to reduce energy crisis from the two following perspectives.

For countries:

- To increase technical support for the development of new energy sources;
- b. "

For individuals:

- a. To save water: Turn off the faucet when you're not using it.
- b ...

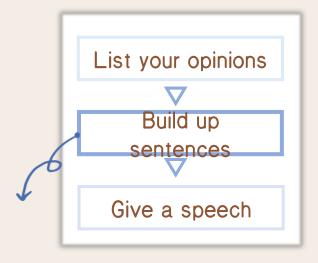




Global Issues Shooting

Sentence Patterns:

- ✓ We cannot ignore the fact that we need give priority to ...
- ✓ In my point of view, it is beneficial to us if....
- ✓ It can be seen that it's necessary to...



Sentence build-up:

	We cannot ignore the fact that we need give priority to the technical
	support for the development of new energy sources;

b.

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Speech on Global Issues

Give a speech on how to reduce the problem of energy crisis.

