

Reading Lesson

A1 Science: The Energy of a Small Town

Summary: The reading describes how a small town in Texas uses 100% clean energy.

Time: Approximately 30 minutes

Skills: Reading, Writing, Speaking

Language focus: Vocabulary

Materials needed: One worksheet per student

Reading

Have students read the text and identify the types of clean energy mentioned. Have students discuss what they think is the energy of the future.

Key:

Solar energy and wind energy.

Vocabulary**Key:**

1. d 2. e 3. a 4. b 5. c

Comprehension**Key:**

1. Texas 2. 100% 3. solar / wind 4. expensive / pollution 5. clean

Thinking

Have students respond to the question in small group discussion. Ask them to write down the best clean energy option(s) for their town.