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Should we use Renewable or Non-Renewable Energy

We use energy for lots of necessary things like warming and lighting our homes, cooking food, charging our devices, powering our factories and even when travelling. However, some people question which energy type is more reliable; Renewable or Non-Renewable. This balanced argument will look carefully at both the advantages and disadvantages of each.

Most people believe that renewable energy is better for the environment because it is a natural resource that does not increase global warming. For example Solar power and wind power use the sun and the wind to produce power naturally and so are not bad for the environment. Renewable energy can be used now and in the future because it is natural and so will not run out.

However, there are also some disadvantages of renewable energy. For example Solar power is only generated during daylight, ^{but} at night or during cloudy weather, energy must come from another source. Wind power stations are ^{also} quite large and can be considered as unattractive and expensive to set up ^{and they} produce lots of noise affecting people as well. Wildlife such as birds and bats often get hurt or even killed when they fly into the giant wind turbines.

To conclude, there are both negatives and positives to Renewable energy. Above I have looked at them in detail and have decided that renewable energy is the best. It causes the least amount of damage.

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