







Renewable and non-renewable energy sources

We get energy from different things. These things are called energy sources.

Some of these energy sources, like coal and gas, have a limited supply. These are called **non-renewable** sources.

Some of these energy sources, like wind and sunlight, will never run out so they are important sources of energy for the future. These are called **renewable** energy sources.

Non-renewable sources	
	We can burn coal in fires at home. Power stations burn coal to make electricity.
	We can use gas to cook food. Gas can come into your home through pipes.
Renewable sources	
	Sunlight on solar panels makes electricity.
	Wind farms use wind to make electricity.