

Science Fables

The Treasure That Never Runs Out

Story Quiz

This quiz follows Lila, Jay, and Ranger Maya as they discover natural resources—renewable and non-renewable—and how we can use them wisely.

1. What is a natural resource?

- A. Something made only in a factory
- B. Something that comes from nature
- C. Something found only underground
- D. Something that cannot be used

2. Which of these is a renewable resource?

- A. Coal
- B. Oil
- C. Sunlight
- D. Natural gas

3. Why are coal, oil, and natural gas called non-renewable resources?

- A. They can be replaced every year
- B. They take millions of years to form
- C. They come only from trees
- D. They are made by people

4. Which action helps us use natural resources wisely?

- A. Leaving the tap running
- B. Letting a car idle for a long time
- C. Turning off lights when they are not needed
- D. Throwing reusable items away

5. What promise did Lila and Jay make?

- A. To collect as many rocks as possible
- B. To use resources wisely and care for the Earth
- C. To stop visiting nature parks
- D. To use more fossil fuels

Answer Key



1. B — Something that comes from nature

A natural resource is something that comes from nature.

2. C — Sunlight

Sunlight is a renewable resource because nature keeps replacing it.

3. B — They take millions of years to form

Coal, oil, and natural gas are non-renewable because they take millions of years to form.

4. C — Turning off lights when they are not needed

Turning off lights when they are not needed helps us use natural resources wisely.

5. B — To use resources wisely and care for the Earth

Lila and Jay promised to use resources wisely and care for the Earth.