EXPLORING ENERGY Program Quiz

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Directions: At the end of the program there is a quick quiz. You can answer the questions on this sheet.

- How are potential and kinetic energy different from each other?
- 2. What are the seven main forms of energy?
- 3. The law of conservation of energy states that energy is neither created nor destroyed. What does this mean?
- 4. What are nonrenewable resources? Give some examples of nonrenewable resources.
- 5. What are renewable resources? Provide some examples.
- 6. What are some of the problems associated with burning fossil fuels?
- 7. Why are nonrenewable resources also called fossil fuels? How were they formed?
- 8. Why is the conservation of energy so important?
- 9. What are some things people can do to conserve energy?

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A. Directions: Give a definition for each of the following terms.

- 1. potential energy
- 2. kinetic energy
- 3. friction
- 4. air resistance
- 5. mechanical energy
- B. Directions: The following questions need a short answer.
- 1. Give a definition for nonrenewable resources and identify some of these resources.
- 2. What are renewable resources and what are some examples?
- 3. How are potential and kinetic energy related?
- 4. How does a roller coaster demonstrate potential and kinetic energy in action?
- 5. Give a description for each of these renewable resources.
 - a. solar energy
 - b. wind energy
 - c. geothermal energy
 - d. biomass energy
 - e. hydropower