

EIA Releases New Energy Education Resource for Teachers and Students

Energy Explained, a new website recently launched by the U.S. Energy Information Administration (EIA), celebrates Energy Awareness Month with the most comprehensive energy education resource available from the U.S. Government.

Energy fuels life, economies, and the entire solar system, yet few students understand the importance of energy and its role in our lives. Energy Explained clearly conveys the facts and latest data about energy. The site is full of graphs, data, and scientific information that can add depth to high school curricula in Science, Math, or Social Studies. The site explains where gasoline comes from, what determines the price of electricity, how much renewable energy the United States uses, and hundreds of other energy topics.

Visit www.eia.doe.gov/energyexplained to use Energy Explained in your classroom.

Energy Explained allows easy navigation between major energy topics:

- . What Is Energy?
- . Use of Energy
- . Energy and the Environment
- . Nonrenewable Energy Sources
- . Renewable Energy Sources
- . Secondary Energy Sources

Note to teachers: Some of the content in Energy Explained also appears on Energy Kids. The content in Energy Explained is more in-depth and includes additional graphs and links to further reading.

For high-resolution files of the Energy Explained logo or graphics, contact Jonathan Cogan at 202-586-8800 or jcogan@eia.doe.gov.

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