



## TRAINING LESSON 4 - Part 1

Title	Renewable energy
Part of the training course referred to in this lesson	<ul> <li>X Part 1 General information about sustainability and CE</li> <li>Part 2 Specific Information about:</li> <li>Wood sector</li> <li>Plastic sector</li> <li>Agrifood sector</li> </ul>
EQF level	Level 3
Where the lesson was tested	During the lesson of Physics with 1st gimnasium class students at Kedainiai Vocational Educational Training Centre, <a href="https://www.prc.kedainiai.lm.lt/">https://www.prc.kedainiai.lm.lt/</a>
General Learning objective(s) according to the Bloom Taxonomy	Create Produce new or original work (design, assemble, construct, investigate, formulate)  Evaluate Justify a stand or decision (appraise, argue, defend, critique, select, support)  Analyze Draw connections among ideas (differentiate, organize, relate, compare, distinguish, test, experiment)  Apply Use information in new situations (execute, implement, solve, use, demonstrate, operate)  X Understand Explain ideas or concepts (classify, discuss, describe, identify, locate, translate)  Remember Recall facts and basic concepts (define, duplicate, list, memorize, repeat)
Specific learning objective(s)	After the lesson:  Students will recognize the energy source - fossil fuel;  Students will understand the limitations of fossil fuel resources.  Students will learn about an alternative to fossil fuels - renewable energy.
Cognitive, socioemotional and behavioural outcomes based on	SDG 4 Quality Education Cognitive learning objectives:  The learner understands the important role of culture in achieving sustainability.  The learner understands that education can help create a more sustainable, equitable and peaceful world.





☐ Life-cycle management

## Socio-emotional learning objectives: The learner is able to recognize the intrinsic value of education and to analyze and identify their own learning needs in their personal The learner is able to recognize the importance of their own skills for improving their life, in particular for employment and entrepreneurship. The learner is able to engage personally with ESD. Behavioural learning objectives: The learner is able to contribute to facilitating and implementing quality education for all, ESD and related approaches at different The learner is able to use all opportunities for their own education throughout their life, and to apply the acquired knowledge in everyday situations to promote sustainable development. **SDG 13 Climate Action** Cognitive learning objectives: The learner understands the current climate change as an anthropogenic phenomenon resulting from increased greenhouse gas The learner knows which human activities – on a global, national, local and individual level - contribute most to climate change. The learner knows about the main ecological, social, cultural and economic consequences of climate change locally, nationally and globally and understands how these can themselves become catalyzing, reinforcing factors for climate change. Socio-emotional learning objectives: The learner is able to explain ecosystem dynamics and the environmental, social, economic and ethical impact of climate change. The learner is able to encourage others to protect the climate. The learner is able to collaborate with others and to develop commonly agreed-upon strategies to deal with climate change. The learner is able to understand their personal impact on the world's climate, from a local to a global perspective. Behavioural learning objectives: The learner is able to evaluate whether their private and job activities are climate friendly and – where not – to revise them. The learner is able to act in favor of people threatened by climate change. The learner is able to promote climate-protecting public policies. Green skill(s) ☐ Creative problem-solving □ Management skills addressed $\quad \ \Box \ \, \text{Forward-thinking}$ □ Impact quantification

 $\quad \ \, \Box \; \text{Monitoring skills} \\$ 





	☐ Analytical skills	☐ Science skills
	X Lean production	X Waste management
	X Maintenance and repair skills	X Environmental auditing
	□ Pollution prevention	☐ Ecosystem management
	□ Eco-design	□ Other
Duration	20 min	
Structure and content of the lesson	INTRODUCTION  Renewable energy is energy that is taken from natural sources. Sunlight and wind, for instance, are such sources that are regularly restored. There are plenty of renewable energy sources in the environment.  Fossil fuels - coal, oil and gas are non-renewable sources that take hundreds of millions of years to form. Burned fossil fuels produce energy, causing harmful greenhouse gas emissions, such as carbon dioxide.  Used renewable energy creates lower emissions than burning fossil fuels. Transition from fossil fuels, that currently produces the biggest amount of emissions, to renewable energy is a key factor to address climate change. Sources of renewable energy are now cheaper in most countries, and generate three times more jobs than fossil fuels.	
	electromagnetic, nuclear, mechanical  Main sources of energy: floc biofuel, tidal energy, hydroelectric plan  Types of energy by sources; Non-renewable energy - its sources impossible to replenish them after use Renewable energy- its resources are of in a relatively short time. As a result, t Non-renewable energy sources: oil, co	rmined by nature. Thermal, chemical, ods, wind, sun, nuclear power plants, nts, coal, geothermal energy.  are characterized by the fact that it is a This includes fossil fuels. Characterized by natural replenishment they are always available.
	RENEWABLE ENERGY  ■ The advantages and disadvantally non-renewable energy - disadvantally products affect the environment; It Responsible for acid rain;  After using up - it is not easy to refill.  Renewable energy — advantages: Cr	ges: Produces greenhouse gases; By- May pose a risk to human health; eates less pollution; Doesn't run out sources; Geopolitical conflicts are less lanet.





	Renewable or regenerative "green" energy is energy that comes from natural sources that are replenished at a rate that exceeds its consumption. Examples of such renewable sources include sunlight and wind.  The main principle of using renewable energy is to extract it from environmental processes or renewable organic resources and provide it for technical use.  Renewable energy sources or renewable energy resources are energy resources in nature, the occurrence and renewal of which are determined by natural processes.
	TOPIC 3: FUTURE ENERGY SOURCES  Hydrogen energy. Advantages: Hydrogen is the most common chemical element on Earth that is able to replace energy production, areas of transmission and consumption, help to solve transport, environmental issues. Hydrogen is an ecological, non-polluting fuel.  Problem: Expensive production and storage.  Nuclear fusion. Advantages: Nuclear fusion, a reaction during which nuclei of light elements such as hydrogen combine isotopes - deuterium and tritium. A large amount of energy is released during the reaction, no radioactive waste is released, greenhouse effect pollutants.  Problem: The problem of fusion reactors is to maintain a continuous synthesis reaction in high temperature.
	CONCLUSIONS  Renewable sources and energy efficiency can ensure that CO2 emissions associated with energy production are reduced by nine tenths.
References	https://news.stanford.edu/news/2014/february/fifty-states-renewables-022414.html https://e- seimas.lrs.lt/portal/legalAct/lt/TAK/9bf1ba80d76211ecb1b39d276e924a5d?i fwid=yymmqwq5y
Interactive questions for R3	The most promising new generation energy source:     a) helium;     b) hydrogen;
	c) oxygen.  2. Which of the following is known for its dependence on meteorological conditions, time of day and high price?  a) wind power plants; b) hydroelectric plants; c) solar batteries.  3. What will be the effect on greenhouse gasses if people would reduce their use of fossil fuels, increase the energy saving, and improve the thermal insulation of buildings? a) would not change; b) increase;

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Also, it is not indicated which one is the correct one. \_Assigned to Žilvinas Kapočius\_





	c) would reduce.	
	<ul><li>4. The beginning of the energy path on Earth:</li><li>a) The sun;</li><li>b) Moon;</li><li>c) Mars.</li></ul>	
Keywords	energy, fuel, resources	
Questions for reflection	<ol> <li>Group energy sources into renewable (R) and non-renewable (N): wind energy (R), nuclear power (N), oil (N), solar power (R), natural gas (N), water power (R), geothermal energy (R); coal (N).</li> <li>Draw a circular cycle and indicate the energy transformations: sun – plants – animals – manure – gas – power plant.</li> <li>Reclamation, fossil fuels, deforestation, increase of the greenhouse effect. How will you comment on this?</li> <li>Solar energy is used to heat water and premises.(a) What is the simplest device used for this purpose? b) The metallic surface of those panels is black and lustreless. Explain why? c) Do you think the pipes that circulate the water should be made of plastic or copper? Why?</li> </ol>	
Additional resources	Advantages and disadvantages of different energy sources	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CRyhs6jybiY	
	GCSE Physics - Advantages and Disadvantages of Energy Resources	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Y5Wr1F1jrmQ	
	Renewable Energy 101	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T4xKThjcKaE	
	Renewable Energy Sources - Types of Energy for Kids	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Giek094C_I4	
	Shinn L. (2022). Renewable Energy: The Clean Facts	
	https://www.nrdc.org/stories/renewable-energy-clean-facts	
	Solar Energy Advantages and Disadvantages - Solar to the People	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MDWs5ESAxYQ	
	Types of Energy   Energy Forms   Energy Sources and Uses	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=63t0Y2ACoh4	
	Types of energy   Physics Animation	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jhKejoBqiYc	
	Forms of Energy	
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=E3MnZ-bj1lw	





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