



Title: Plentiful Petroleum Products	
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Course: Language Arts Social Studies	Duration: 1 class period (roughly 45-55 minutes)
Grade: 9-12	
Objective: Students will evaluate and analyze information to determine the usage of petroleum and the changes in the oil industry.	
Summary of Lesson: Students will evaluate visuals to determine whether the items contain petroleum or use petroleum. This activity will lead into a timeline activity which uses the history of the oil industry.	
Standards	
CODE	STANDARD
MI.7.E.2	Analyze the influence improved factors of production have on the productivity of individual industries (e.g., technology, education, training, specialization, division of labor)
CCSS.ELA-Literacy.RH.9-10.3	Analyze in detail a series of events described in a text; determine whether earlier events caused later ones or simply preceded them.
Teacher Excellence Support System (TESS): 1d: Demonstrating Knowledge of Resources, 2c: Managing classroom procedures, 2e: Organizing physical space, 3b: Using questioning/prompts and discussion, 3c: Engaging students in learning	
Instructional Strategies and Practices: Summarizing and Note Taking, Technology, Visuals	
Bloom's Level: (Highest Level Only) Evaluation	
Materials and Resources: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Computer, Internet connection • Student Handout 1 Plentiful Petroleum Products Activity • Student Handout 2 Plentiful Petroleum Products Student Research 	



- Plentiful Petroleum Products Exit Slips
- Web Resources:
 - Arkansas Energy Rocks <http://arkansasenergyrocks.com>
 - Illinois Oil and Gas Association <http://www.ioga.com/Special/PetroProducts.htm>
 - Refining Crude Oil video clip- <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8fCsJoWHBFg>
 - Articles and video clips of how we get our oil. (*Has clip from Dirty Jobs and Mike Rowe on an oil rig.) <http://science.howstuffworks.com/environmental/energy/oil-drilling.htm>
 - American Petroleum Institute <http://www.api.org/oil-and-natural-gas-overview/classroom-tools/energy-industry-videos>
 - Extreme Oil Timeline <http://www.pbs.org/wnet/extremeoil/history/index.html>

Formative Assessment:

Questions and answers during the student activity, Student Research handout, Exit Slip.

Notes to Teacher:

For this lesson students will need the internet and computers. It may be done with a 1:1 ratio of student to computer or it may be completed in small groups if desired. This 2:1 buddy system would allow stronger readers to work with those who may need assistance.

Student Activity

Procedure:

1. Select the option for conducting the activity.

OPTIONS:

- *Hand out the student worksheet and have students complete it as a paper and pencil activity.*
 - *The activity could also be done on a Smartboard™. This would allow students to come to the board to physically write on or divide the pictures.*
 - *If you would like to get the students up and moving you could print each one of the pictures individually and pass these out as the students enter the room. Then ask the students to show their product and STAND if they have used or interacted with this item in the past year. Then have the students move to, for example, the LEFT side of the room if they think that their item contains or uses petroleum. Move to the RIGHT side of the room if they think their item does not contain or use petroleum. Allow students to discuss their items and why they chose that particular side of the room.*
2. Distribute Student Handout 1 or product pictures to students or display handout on the Smartboard™. Conduct selected option.
 3. After students have completed the activity in the handout have the students view the video clip “Refining crude oil: Where is it used? What products and applications” (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8fCsJoWHBFg>) Students will probably be surprised to learn that EVERYTHING on their handout contains or uses petroleum.

(*This clip has the announcer with what seems to be a British accent.☺ This will



be an interesting variation in language.)

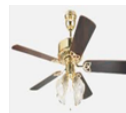
4. Now distribute Student Handout 2 research sheet. The students will view the timeline from the PBS resource and answer the questions after analyzing the timeline.
5. If there is time remaining in the class period show the site <http://science.howstuffworks.com/environmental/energy/oil-drilling.htm>. It has interesting reading and short video clips that may be used. For example it has a clip of Mike Rowe from the TV series "Dirty Jobs" on an oil rig.

Student Handouts: (Printable copies of the handouts are available at <http://www.arkansasenergyrocks.com/educators/index.html>. Select Curriculum, then 9-12 Lesson Plan – student handouts accompany each lesson plan.)

Plentiful Petroleum Products Student Handout 1

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____

Student Activity: Examine the following items. How many of these do you interact with or use in a year? (Circle your choices.) Now label the items that you feel contain or use petroleum with the letter "P".



Four-wheeler Business Backpack Computer Car School bus Cooler Flip Flops
Sunglasses Ceiling Fan Kite Plane Fishing Pole Lipstick Factory Shotgun Shells Purse
Tape School Sleeping Bag Tennis Shoes Volleyball Lawn Mower Umbrella
Perfume/Cologne



**Plentiful Petroleum Products
Student Handout 2
Student Research**

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____

Use the internet to research and analyze information in order to answer the following questions.

Go to the website <http://www.pbs.org/wnet/extremeoil/history/index.html> to view the timeline of oil usage.

1. According to the timeline, how did the Persian military use oil?

2. Before 1815 oil was used for a multiple of health issues. Cite two of these uses from the article and the year on the time line listed:

3. Describe the event that is often cited as a key moment in the birth of the commercial era of petroleum.

4. What invention caused a recession in the oil industry?

5. Describe the impact on the oil industry after Henry Ford incorporated the Ford Motor Company.

6. In 1951 two chemists discovered new plastics. How were these used and what changes did this make for consumers?

7. After examining the entire timeline, determine whether the early events caused the later changes in the oil industry or did they simply just happen by random chance in that order? Cite two specific instances from the timeline that support your ideas. Be sure to write your answer using complete sentences.



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Exit Slip

Name: _____ Date: _____ Class: _____

You have just analyzed a timeline and classified items that contain petroleum. Now write a Tweet about today's lesson that could be used for a class twitter feed in order to inform others about what you learned today. You have 140 characters to inform our Twitter followers. 😊

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