Uses of Solar Energy

A. Choose the Correct Answer:

1. What is solar energy?

- a) Energy from the wind
- b) Energy from the sun
- c) Energy from water
- d) Energy from fire

2. Which of the following devices uses solar energy?

a) Refrigerator

- b) Solar cooker
- c) Washing machine
- d) Gas stove

3. What is a benefit of using solar energy?

- a) It causes pollution
- b) It is free and renewable
- c) It runs out quickly
- d) It is only used at night

B. Fill in the Blanks:

- 1. Solar panels convert sunlight into ______.
- 2. Solar energy is a _____ source of power.
- 3. People use _____ cookers to prepare food using sunlight.

C. Case Study:

A family decides to reduce their electricity bill by using solar energy.

- They install solar panels on their rooftop to generate electricity.
- They also use a solar water heater to heat water for bathing.
- The family enjoys lower electricity costs and helps reduce pollution.

Case Study Questions:

- 1. How did the family reduce their electricity bill?
- 2. What device did they use to heat water?
- 3. How does using solar energy help the environment?
- 4. Why is solar energy a good choice for homes?

D. Short Answer Questions:

- 1. What is solar energy used for?
- 2. Name two devices that use solar energy.
- 3. Why is solar energy considered eco-friendly?

E. Long Answer Questions:

- 1. Explain how solar panels work and how they help in saving electricity.
- 2. Describe the advantages of using solar energy at home.
- 3. How can solar energy help reduce pollution and conserve natural resources?