

Question		Answer	Mk
1.	a.	Which form of renewable energy had the greatest capacity in 2009?	Onshore wind 1
	b.	Which form of renewable energy had the greatest capacity in 2018?	Solar 1
	c.	Name two forms of energy that are NOT shown on the graph.	Coal, oil/gas, nuclear, wood etc. 2
2.	a.	What did coal used to be, millions of years ago?	Plants 1
	b.	Explain how coal is used to generate electricity.	Four marks for these four things or similar, in the correct order. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coal is burnt to heat water • Water becomes steam • Steam turns a turbine • Turbine powers a generator that makes electricity 4
3.	a.	Is sunlight renewable?	Yes 1
	b.	Explain one pro and one con of using solar power instead of coal.	Award one mark for a point and a second if it is explained in some detail. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • It doesn't create CO2 • It's renewable (won't run out) • It's relatively cheap <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Takes up a lot of space • NIMBYs may object • Produces a lot of GHG in the creation of it. Any other valid points. 4
4		Which form of energy production is best for the UK? Explain your answer. Aim to talk about a range of different sources of energy. Be sure to come to a definite conclusion as to which is best and WHY.	For this question, use the following best fit from the table below.

Level 1	Describes one form of power and briefly states why it would be best. Low quality of English – SpaG (Spelling, punctuation and grammar)	1-2
Level 2	Explains and compares two or more types of energy. Answers that explain two types but mention further types should get high marks in this bracket. Comes to a basic conclusion as to the best form of energy. Good SPaG – some mistakes but not many.	3-7
Level 3	Explains and evaluates a range of energy production methods (3+). Comes to a clear, reasoned conclusion. Excellent SPaG with very few errors.	8-10

When you have found a mark out of 24, use this grid to show what grade you have achieved:

Marks	Grade
10 or less	2
11-14	3
15	4c
16	4a
17	5c
18	5b
19	5a
20	6c
21	6b
22	6a
23	7c
24	7b