## GED SCIENCE LESSON 12

## EARTH'S RESOURCES

**Competency:** 1. Distinguish between renewable and nonrenewable resources. 2. Examine the factors involved in soil formation.

## **Learning Objectives:**

- Classify resources as being renewable or nonrenewable.
  Illustrate a soil profile.

## Learning Activities:

1.	Read pgs. 134-141 Steck-Vaughn GED Science text and answer all the questions.
2.	Visit the <u>WI Department of Natural Resources</u> Website for a discussion on global warming and fossil fuels.
http://www.dnr.state.wi.us/org/caer/ce/eek/earth/air/global.htm	
3.	List several renewable and nonrenewable resources.

\_\_\_\_4. Describe different methods of conserving natural resources.

\_\_\_5. Name several types of pollution.

\_\_\_\_6. Define a mature soil and immature soil.

\_\_\_\_7. Draw a soil profile showing the different layers of soil.

\_\_\_\_8. Choose a recycling idea from the <u>WI Department of Natural Resources</u> Website to use at home or work.

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