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### Quiz: Fossil Fuels

**Directions:** Select the answer that best completes the sentence

1) Energy Journalist Robert Bryce says, "having electricity doesn't guarantee wealth, but not having it almost always means \_\_\_\_\_."

- A) less pollution
- B) hard work
- C) racism
- D) poverty

2) Today, in much of the world, \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) lack of electricity results in lower crime rates
- B) solar energy is the primary source of electricity
- C) millions of people have little access to electricity
- D) electricity providers are unwelcome because they change people's way of life

3) According to the video, in India, more than one million people die each year from \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) starvation caused by the lack of electricity
- B) diseases because people cannot refrigerate their food
- C) climate change caused by the use of fossil fuels
- D) indoor air pollution

4) Robert Bryce argues that massive requirements for renewable energy \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) increase costs, which hurt lower- and middle-class Americans the most
- B) reduce energy costs, which benefit lower and middle-class Americans
- C) reduce energy costs because renewable energy resources such as wind and solar are free
- D) are needed to reverse the deadly effects of climate change

5) The main point of this video is that \_\_\_\_\_.

- A) the world is rapidly running out of fossil fuels such as oil and gas and that the government needs to develop alternative fuels
- B) continued use fossil fuels is imperative to get people the electricity they need
- C) use of fossil fuels in the United States means less electricity for other countries
- D) America should share its renewable energy technology with poor countries

**Fossil Fuels – Answer Key:**

1. D
2. C
3. D
4. A
5. B