



Are we helping to save the planet?

This week, the Parish is inviting you to explore the themes of transport and energy use, using this quick quiz.

It's fun and quick to fill out, and we've added some facts to help us all to think about what more we can do.

Transport and energy use QUIZ

Circle the answer closest to what you do, then add up your score! e.g. **(B)**

1 How many miles do you drive your car or a car in a month?

- A None or up to 200 miles B 200-500 miles
C 501-1,000 miles (under 12,000 miles a year) D Over 1,000 miles (over 12,000 miles a year)

2 My car is ...

- A An electric or hybrid car B A petrol car
C A diesel or SUV D A minibus or tank E I don't have a car!

3 I take the bus, cycle or walk ...

- A Only occasionally/at weekends B To get the kids to school
C To get to work or shops D I walk as far as the car door

FACT: Transport contributes 25% of all greenhouse gas emissions in the UK.

Source: International Energy Agency 2020

PLEASE TURN OVER ...

4 My home is insulated to ...

- A A high rating, 'A/B' standard B I don't know/It's not my house
C A medium rating, 'C' D It's not great, but I intend to improve it

5 My boiler has ...

- A A 'B' or 'C' energy efficiency rating B An 'A' efficiency rating
C I don't know D I don't care

6 In my home, most of the appliances (oven, Hi-fi, TV) are ...

- A 'A' rated for energy efficiency B Bought on price not energy efficiency
C On standby all night D I don't know. I'll check

7 My energy supplier uses ...

- A A mix of renewable and non-renewable energy B 100% renewable energy
C coal, oil and gas D Solar and wind power from my garden/roof E I've no idea!

8 When I leave the room I ...

- A Leave the lights on B Like to think of my house as a lighthouse
C Sometimes switch off the lights D Always switch off the lights

FACTS: Energy supply for electricity contributes 27% of all greenhouse gas emissions in the UK.

Source: International Energy Agency 2020

But the good news is that our CO₂ emissions have fallen by 49% since 1990.

Source: UK government statistics, Department for Business, Energy & Industrial Strategy 2021

WE CAN MAKE A DIFFERENCE!

Find out more from the Parish website:

<https://www.jameswilliam-reading.org.uk/parish-environmental-group/>

"The idea of unlimited growth is based on the lie that there is an infinite supply of the world's goods." Pope Francis

WHAT'S YOUR SCORE?

- 1 A 4, B 3, C 1, D 0;
2 A 3, B 1, C -1, D -3, E 3;
3 A 1, B 3, C 3, D -3;
4 A 3, B 0, C 1, D 2;
5 A 1, B 3, C 1, D -2;
6 A 3, B 1, C -2, D 1;
7 A 2, B 4, C -2, D 1, E -2
8 A -2, B -3, C 1, D 2

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