



Story of a Watt

Imagine you are a watt of electricity. Tell the story of your journey from energy source to end use. Things to consider:

1. What was the original energy source (coal, hydro, solar, wind)? Does the source impact the path you will take to end use?
2. What are some of the places you might get “lost” along the journey? (Remember, not all of the electricity generated at the power plant makes it to people’s homes.)
3. What might it “feel” like to go different stages in your journey like a turbine or transformer?
4. What is the end use? Who uses that watt of electricity? Is it used for an important job, or is it wasted?

Be as detailed and CREATIVE as you can!