

## Tasks 13 A

### POST-READING TASKS

**Task 5. Match the words in the left column to their definitions in the right column:**

1- 2- 3- 4- 5- 6- 7- 8- 9- 10- 11- 12-

1 a discovery of smth	<b>a</b> to make a substance or place dirty or no longer pure by adding a substance that is dangerous or carries disease
2 at the flick of a switch	<b>b</b> to be dirty and/or untidy
3 alternative energy	<b>c</b> to be used up or finished
4 fossil fuels	<b>d</b> to arouse noisy arguments about something that is not very important
5 gasoline	<b>e</b> to make somebody's living conditions better than before
6 renewable energy	<b>f</b> to make something full again by replacing what has been used
7 to be a little messy	<b>g</b> an act or the process of finding somebody/something, or learning about something that was not known about before
8 to cause squabbles flash	<b>h</b> in a flash / like a flash / quick as a
9 to contaminate	<b>i</b> type of energy that can be replaced naturally such as energy produced from wind or water
10 to improve people's lives	<b>j</b> electricity or power that is produced from the sun, wind, water, etc. in ways that do not use up the earth's natural resources or harm the environment
11 to replenish	<b>k</b> fuel such as coal or oil, that was formed over millions of years from the parts of dead animals or plants
12 to run out of smth	<b>l</b> a liquid obtained from petroleum, used as fuel in car engines, etc.

**Task 6. Fill in the correct preposition(s):**

- 1 to improve people's lives ----- decades
- 2 ----- human history
- 3 ----- the flick----- a switch
- 4 ----- some point

- 5 the quality ----- the air
- 6 to cause squabbles-----countries
- 7-----of those downsides
- 8 the hunt has been ----- for alternatives
- 9-----definition
- 10 renewable energy comes ----- natural processes