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Bellringer: Choosing an Energy Source

Suppose you went camping. How would you cook your food?



What's Cooking?

Four different methods used to cook food are listed in the chart below. Each of these methods uses a different energy source (wood, gas, charcoal, and solar energy respectively). Imagine you are going on a camping trip and need to choose one of these methods to cook with. If possible, discuss the pros and cons of each cooking method with your classmates. Then, circle the method you would choose. In the "Explanation" column, explain why you chose this method and why you didn't choose the other three methods.

Cooking method	Explanation
Open fire	
Gas cooker	
Charcoal grill	
Solar cooker	