



BRAIN WARM-UP

INDUSTRY: A group of related companies or organizations based on their main business activity¹

INNOVATION: A new idea or method for developing a product or service²

INFRASTRUCTURE: The basic set of structures and facilities needed for an area to function³

More than 4 billion people in the world do not have access to the internet. (This is called ' <i>digital divide</i> ') ⁴ What are three things you <u>could not do</u> without the internet? 1 2 3	For most of human history, we have relied on coal, oil, and fossil fuels to create energy. The purpose of renewable energy innovations is to slow down climate change. ⁵ What is one example of evidence of climate change?
Almost 2 trillion dollars has been invested into research and development (innovation) worldwide. ⁶ How many zeros are in 2 trillion?	Name 3 industries that are important to your community. 1. 2. 3.

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