

U4L3A9 | Sustainable Resource Management: Government Proposal

overview

This is a follow-up activity to Activity 3. In Activity 3, you conducted an inquiry into the state of sustainable resource management in Canada, and compared it to Norway, according to the learning goals and success criteria below. In this activity, you will **ACT** on your learning from Activity 3 by submitting a proposal to the Canadian government that outlines recommendations for more sustainable management of our oil industry.

learning goal

- To understand the Canadian government's policies on environmental protection
- To analyse the validity of these policies using the Alberta oil sands as a case study
- To compare Canada's perspective on oil extraction with that of Norway

success criteria

- To investigate a variety of materials and complete assigned activities.
- To work cooperatively with group members to explore and share information.

Inquiry Question

- How do Canada's sustainable resource management practices compare to that of Norway, another wealthy oil producing nation?

Activity

Using the information from your inquiry above, how is the Canadian government performing in its mandate for environmental protection?

In groups of three, draft a proposal to the Canadian government on behalf of the citizens of Canada that provides five recommendations for managing our oil industry in a more sustainable manner (environmentally, socially and economically).