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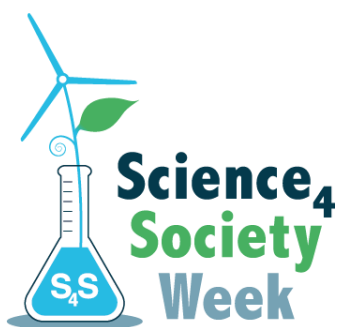
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New phones are often more energy efficient than older ones, so we should be able to replace them as often as we can so we can use less energy for each phone call or video download. Also we are helping to create more jobs in industry by buying new stuff.

Fact: Scientists think that unless we use less energy from polluting sources now, global warming is likely to exceed 2°C in a few decades and that will be seriously devastating.

Issue: Energy efficiency is needed in our attempt to reduce emissions and tackle climate change. So using more efficient phones is one way of doing that.

Question: Why should we pay more to be able to be more efficient?



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