

Cookers

Cookers can be fuelled by many different methods:

- gas
- electricity
- combination of both gas and electricity
- solid fuel. *Can you give examples of solid fuel?*
- oil

Cookers normally consist of three different parts:

Hob – burners of various sizes (ceramic / induction / gas). *Check out your hob!*



Grill – dual element grill or may double as a second oven



Oven – fan oven, convection oven, gas burner, self-cleaning oven



Modern features of Cookers

(Look up difficult words in your dictionary or try www.dictionary.com)

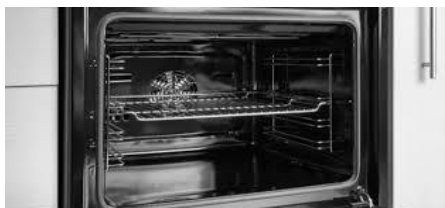
- Automatic timer – preset to switch on and off



- Thermostat - works by keeping the temperature constant
- Dual grill/ring – only heats half of the grill or ring depending on how much is necessary. This is very energy efficient



- Fan oven – this circulates the heat around the whole oven, therefore ensuring that all food in the oven cooks evenly
- Ceramic hob – this is heat resistant glass sheeting over the plates
- Self-cleaning oven – lining in oven burns off food particles when the oven is set to a high temperature



- Push button ignition - on gas ovens.