This activity book includes some lyrics for our Sing-Along Water Songs

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Where Is Water Stored and How Does It Move?

Fill in the crossword puzzle using words on this page and the next that have ** after them.

Across:
1. top layer of ground that consists of broken down rock, plants, and or animals
2. water sinking through soil and into the groundwater
3. plants sweating (evaporating water through leaves) to cool down
4. large natural stream of water flowing towards the ocean
5. a huge mass of ice slowly forming on land
6. body of salt water that covers about 3/4 of the earth
7. large body of water surrounded by land
8. water that infiltrated into land and is now underground
9. Earth’s natural system for holding moving water in the sky
10. life that can make food from sunlight
11. life that cannot make food from sunlight, but eats plants and or other animals
12. rain or melted snow running downhill
13. water changing from liquid to gas (water moves into the air)
14. rain, snow, sleet, or hail
15. water moving around and into the earth
16. water changing from gas to liquid (happens in clouds)

Down:
1. 41. **
2. ocean **
3. plants **
4. clouds **
5. soil **
6. groundwater **
7. lake **
8. river **
9. glacier **
10. EE _
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13. EE _
14. EE _
15. EE _
16. EE _
Sing these Water Cycle Songs

Sprinkle, Sprinkle, Little Drop (Sing to the tune of Twinkle, Twinkle Little Star)
Listen online at abcwua.org/education/Sing_Along_Water_Songs.html

1. Precipitation **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
I can see the rain or snow,
sleet or hail, you never know.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

2. Infiltration **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
When you land upon the ground,
don’t forget to sink way down.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

3. Transpiration **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
All the plants need water and leaves
to sweat and cool when it’s 90 degrees.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

4. Runoff **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
If you rain upon a hill,
you’ll fall down like Jack and Jill.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

5. Evaporation **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
When you land upon the ground,
you float up without a sound.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

6. Condensation **
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll stop.
Holding hands you make a cloud,
fluffy and white or dark and loud.
Sprinkle, sprinkle, little drop.
How I wonder where you’ll STOP!

Remember that words with ** after them are answers for the crossword puzzle!

Do you know where Albuquerque’s drinking water comes from? Unscramble these letters to find out.

T G A O U D N E R W R

V R I R E

We get our drinking water from _______ _______ _______ _______ and the _______ _______.

Water Travels in a Cycle
(Sing to “She’ll Be Comin’ Round”)

Water travels in a cycle; Yes it does!
Water travels in a cycle; Yes, it does!
It goes up as evaporation,
forms a cloud as condensation,
then comes down as precipitation,
Yes, it does!
Name that Song
To find the words of the song title, just color in the picture below using this key
1 - blue 2 - black (do this one first) 3 - light blue 4 - silver or white

My ice water is missing this morning.
There's no solid ice in my glass.
It melted and became a liquid,
and evaporated to gas.
Water, water, it’s solid and liquid and gas, oh yes!
Water, water, it’s solid and liquid and gas.

Sing this song to the tune of “My Bonnie Lies over the Ocean.”
To hear a different version of this song, go to abcwua.org/education/Sing_Along_Water_Songs.html
Don’t Flush Your Trash

Sing to the tune of “The Monster Mash.” (Listen online)

Down in the sewer, swimming around, the creature from the black water sewer is found
It’s made up of Band-Aids, wrappers, and more, leftover medicine and dirt from the floor.

(chorus)
Don’t flush your trash.
Don’t flush that monster trash!
Don’t flush your trash.
Don’t let us hear the splash.
Don’t flush your trash.
You’ll catch on in a flash.
Don’t flush your trash!
Don’t flush that monster trash.

Fats and grease really do the trick to keep the trash together and make it real slick.
So don’t pour bacon grease down your drain - then we’ll never see that creature again!

(chorus)

Do these things belong in the toilet or in the trash?

Draw a line to show where it goes.

This one has been done for you! Never put plastic in the toilet!
Once you add a movement, keep doing it until the end. (Listen at abcwua.org/education/Sing_Along_Water_Songs.html.)

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "Pump river water with your right hand."

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "Mix clumping stuff with your left hand."

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "Kill all the germs with your right foot."

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "Filter out dead germs with your left foot."

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "Add the chlorine for the pipes with your head."

Yo! My name is Rico. And I work at the Drinking Water Plant. I clean and pump river water to your family. One day, my boss came up to me and said, "Yo, Rico, are you busy?" I said, "No." He said, "You've got to mix that cleaned river water with the underground water, and you just flip that mixer switch with your hips."

I said, "Wait, I think I'm busy! Yes, I'm BUSY!!"

HELP!! These steps are all mixed up. Use clues from the song to put them in order.

1. PUMP WATER
2. 
3. 
4. 
5. 
6. 
Save 2 (Gallons of Water Each Day)

Sing to the tune of "Hand Jive." Listen online.

Save water when you wash; follow my easy hints.
Wet your hands; turn it off; soap 'em up; then rinse.

You can sing in the shower if it's a short show.
Five minutes is enough; take your bows and go.

Save water when you brush; it's so easy to do.
Don't let water gush; turn it off when you brush.

Chorus:
Look up. Bright blue sky!
Look down. Dirt and rocks!
Look around. It's dry!
It's up to you to save two . . .
two gallons of water each day.

You can stay in the tub till the water gets cold.
But don't fill it up; water's better than gold.

Chorus:
Look up. Bright blue sky!
Look down. Dirt and rocks!
Look around. It's dry!
It's up to you to save two . . .
two gallons of water each day.

In one day a water waster would use 10 gallons of water to wash her hands five times.

I am a water saver.
I turn the water off while washing, so I use half as much water. How much water is that?

In one day a water waster would use 2 gallons each time she brushes her teeth. That is 6 gallons of water in one day.

I am a water saver. I turn the water off while brushing, so I use half as much. How much water is that?

A water waster would use 30 gallons of water for one shower.

I am a water saver.
I shower for 5 minutes, half as long. How many gallons do I use for my short showers?

A water waster would fill the tub almost to the top. That would take 60 gallons of water.

A water saver uses one third of a tub of water. How much water would a water saver use to take a bath?

How much water did the water waster use? How much water did the water savers use?
Water Poem

W A T E R

Answers

Acrostic Water Poem

Write a poem using the letters that spell WATER. Here is one for DROP:

Diving through the sky
Rain splashes
On my skin
Puddles on the street

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