

Water Around Us

Grade K • SCIENCE • Students identify familiar sources of water and common ways people use water. •
Standards: K-ESS3-1

Look at each question about water. Write or say your answer.

1. We drink WATER when we are thirsty. Is water important for us? (yes or no)
2. When it rains, water falls from the sky. What is RAIN made of?
3. You turn on the FAUCET in the kitchen. What comes out?
4. A LAKE is a big area of water on land. Can you get water from a lake? (yes or no)
5. We use water to WASH our hands. Does washing with water help keep us clean?
(yes or no)
6. A RIVER is water that flows across the land. Is a river a place where we can find
water? (yes or no)
7. Plants need water to grow. What do we use to give water to plants in a garden?
(hose or pillow)
8. We use water to take a BATH. Name one other way we use water at home.
9. A POND is a small body of water. Which is bigger, a pond or a lake? (pond or lake)
10. Name two places outside where you can find water.

Answer Key — Water Around Us

For the teacher / parent. Do not distribute with the worksheet.

1. yes
2. water
3. water
4. yes
5. yes
6. yes
7. hose
8. drinking (*Accept any reasonable answer such as drinking, washing dishes, cooking, or brushing teeth*)
9. lake
10. rain and river (*Accept any two reasonable answers such as rain, river, lake, pond, ocean, or stream*)