

Water Conservation Activity Book



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A tale of Raleigh Otter and his friends

Answers

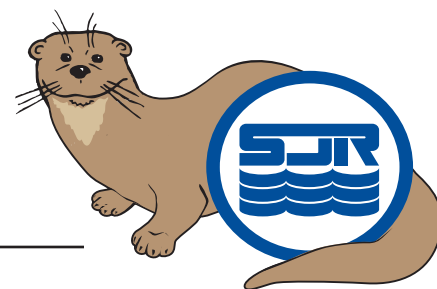
Dear teacher or parent,

The St. Johns River Water Management District designed this book to teach young people how important Florida's water resources are, while fostering a natural curiosity and enjoyment of learning. This book contains engaging games and pictures, woven into an interesting and educational story. Answers to the activities can be found on the inside back cover of this book.

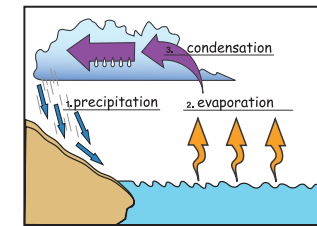
More than 95 percent of us in northeast and east-central Florida get our drinking water from wells drilled into the ground. Use of this groundwater, however, exceeds the rate at which it is being replenished. We are investigating new sources of water to help meet our future needs. But a healthy future for Florida requires water conservation and an understanding of water-related issues.

For more information on our region's water resources, visit us on the Internet at floridaswater.com, or contact us at

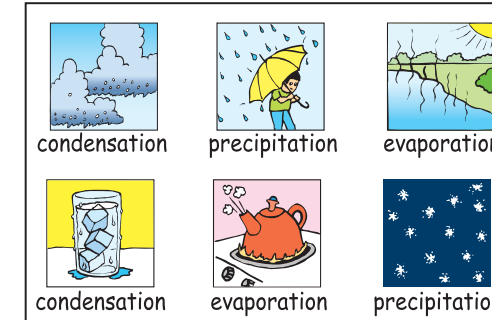
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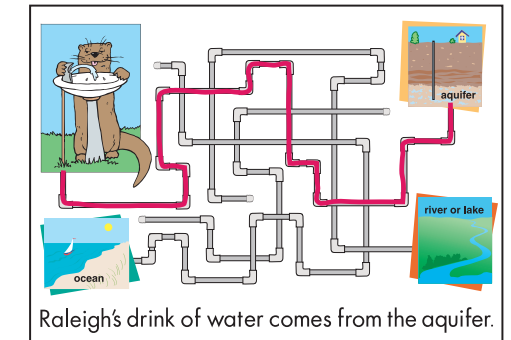
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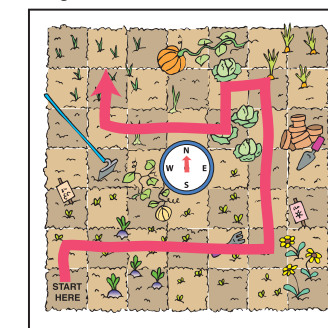


Raleigh's drink of water comes from the aquifer.

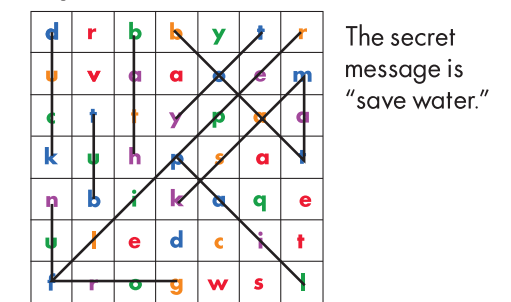
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64 water balloons are not colored. That is 64 percent.

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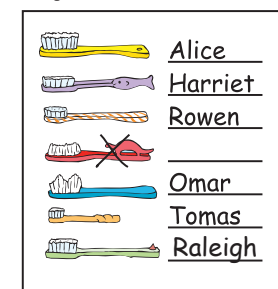


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The secret message is "save water."

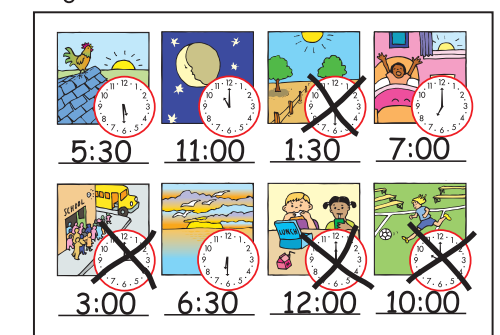
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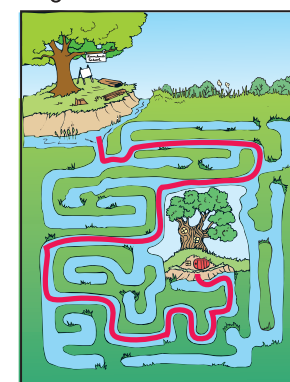
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Richard uses 36 more gallons of water than Suzie.

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They hike 1 mile to the lookout tower.

They hike 1 1/2 miles to Frog Pond.

Rowen has to walk 2 extra miles.

Hiking back to the trail start from the Very Large Oak Tree adds up to 3 miles. Hiking on to the trail finish is only 2 miles and is shorter.

Alice and Tomas cross the creek 4 times.

Raleigh will have hiked 5 miles if he hikes the entire trail.

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