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Water We Drink: Learn and Practice

From lake to tap, and how to save it

Read each question. Circle the best answer.

💡 Drinking Water

- Drinking water comes from lakes, rivers and wells.
- Treatment plants filter and clean it before it reaches our taps.
- Saving water protects this precious resource.
- lake: treatment plant: pipes: your tap

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B. Paint turns into water C. Paint cleans drains
D. Drains lead to the Moon

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C. A short shower D. Leaving a hose on

3 💧 A tap drips all day. Why should it be fixed?

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C. Drips waste lots of water D. Drips help the pipes

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C. To remove dirt and tiny bits D. To add sand

5 What does a water treatment plant do?

A. Makes water salty B. Colors water
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6 🚰 Where does tap water usually come from?

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