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Clean Water for the World

Replace the missing words.



Clean, _____ drinking water is something every person needs. Clean water keeps our bodies and homes clean.

In parts of the world, people struggle to _____ clean water to keep their families healthy.

Only 3% of the water on Earth is drinkable, fresh water. The rest is mostly ocean water and glaciers.

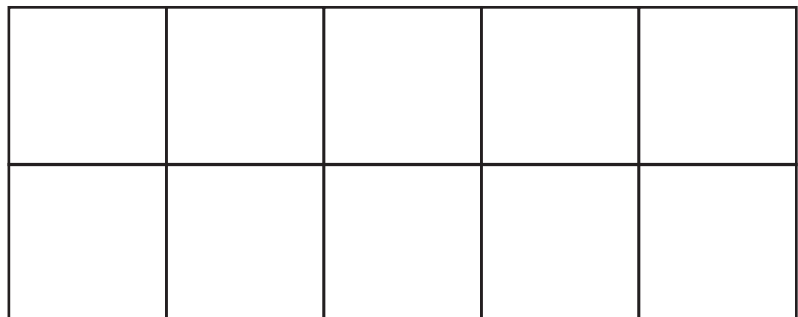
Droughts (long periods of time with very little rain) cause water _____. In some places, people must walk several miles a day carrying _____ containers to bring water home.

Often this water is dirty and unhealthy to _____.

Rotary to the Rescue

Rotary International is an organization with 1.4 million members around the world. Rotary members, called Rotarians, volunteer their time and raise money to help solve many problems in the world. And one of the biggest problems in the world is the need for clean drinking water.

In the lower grid, draw what you see in each space on the upper grid to draw the Rotary logo.



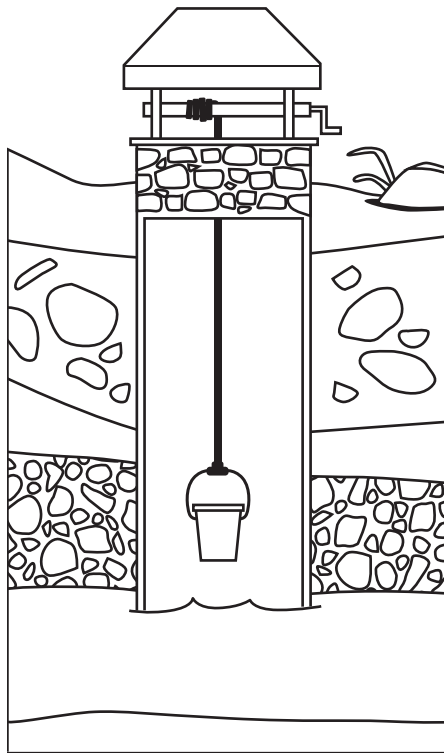


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Water Wells

When it rains, water sinks into the soil and into underground pools.

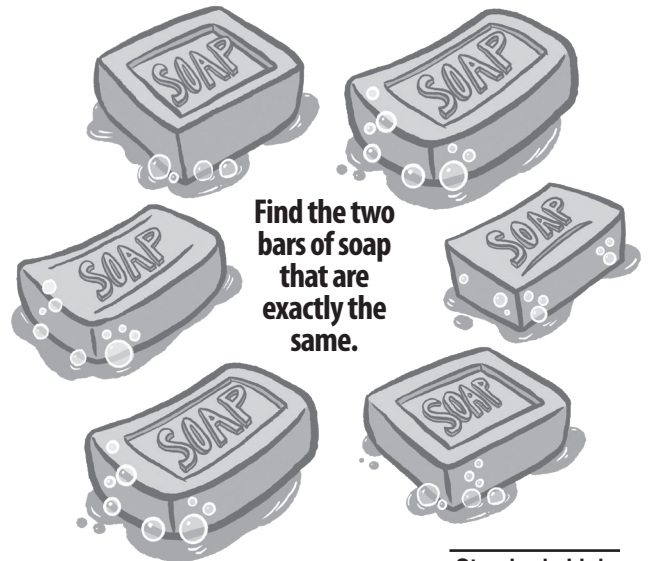
To bring water to the surface, wells are needed. Wells help bring water to the surface for people to drink, bathe, and water crops. Rotary is helping people build wells.



Clean Hands Prevent Disease

When clean water and soap are available, people don't get sick as often. That's because regular hand-washing helps prevent germs from hanging around to cause trouble.

In some places, schools don't have enough restrooms and clean water for students. Rotary International works hard to build restrooms in schools in many countries.



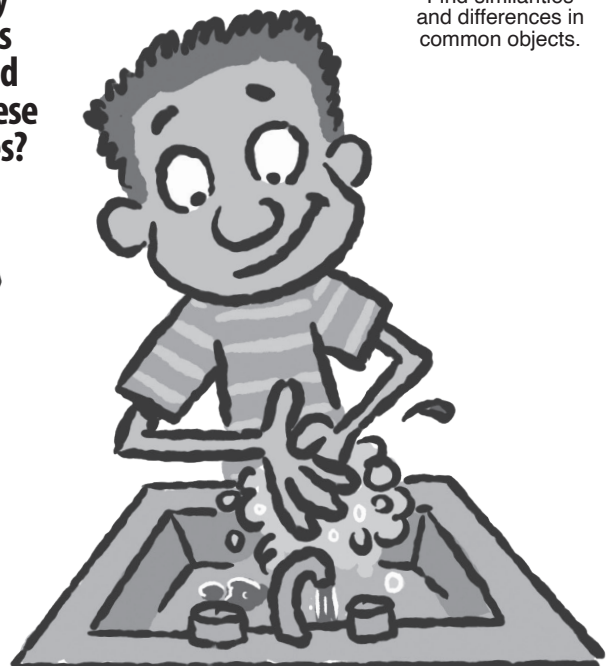
Find the two bars of soap that are exactly the same.

Standards Link:
Find similarities and differences in common objects.

Bubbles Take Away Troubles

Washing your hands with warm soap and water several times a day helps keep you healthy. Sing the "Happy Birthday" song as you wet your hands with warm water, lather them with soap, and rinse the soap away. Be sure to dry them completely.

How many differences can you find between these two pictures?



Standards Link: Health: Understand the importance of regular hand-washing to prevent illness.



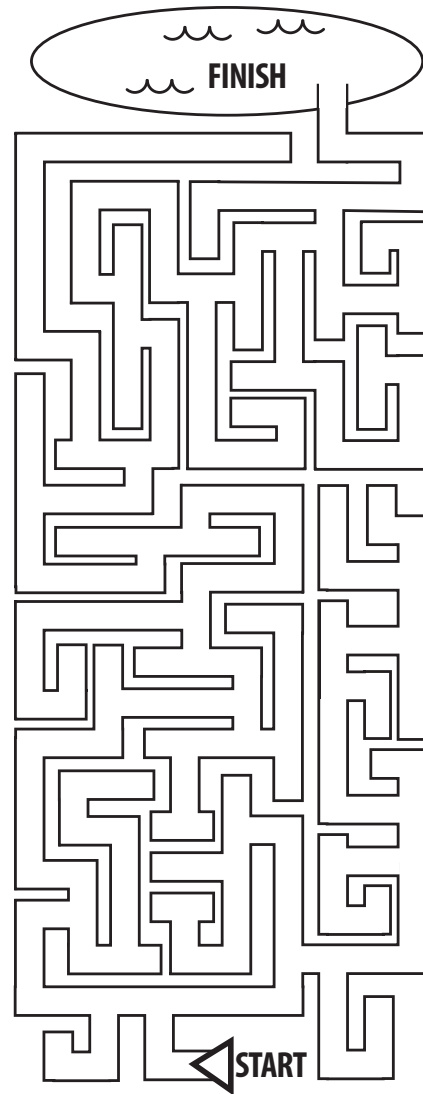
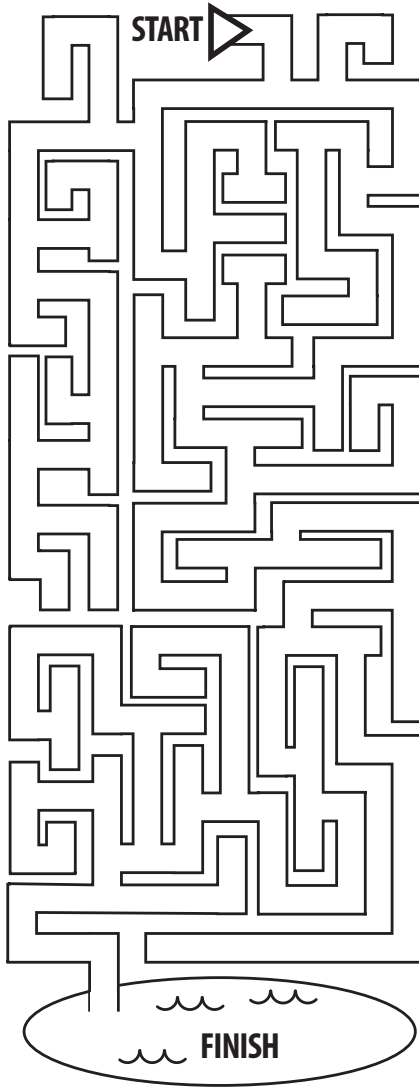
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Kid Scoop Together

Water Maze

Race against a family member to see who can reach the water first.



Clean Water Poster

Look through the newspaper for photos of things that require clean water. Look for photos of people, fruits and vegetables, animals, etc. Cut them out and paste them on a large sheet of paper to create a poster. Write **“CLEAN WATER MAKES A BETTER WORLD”** at the top of your poster.

Standards Link: Life Science: Illustrate the importance of water in humans, agriculture, and wildlife.



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Puzzler

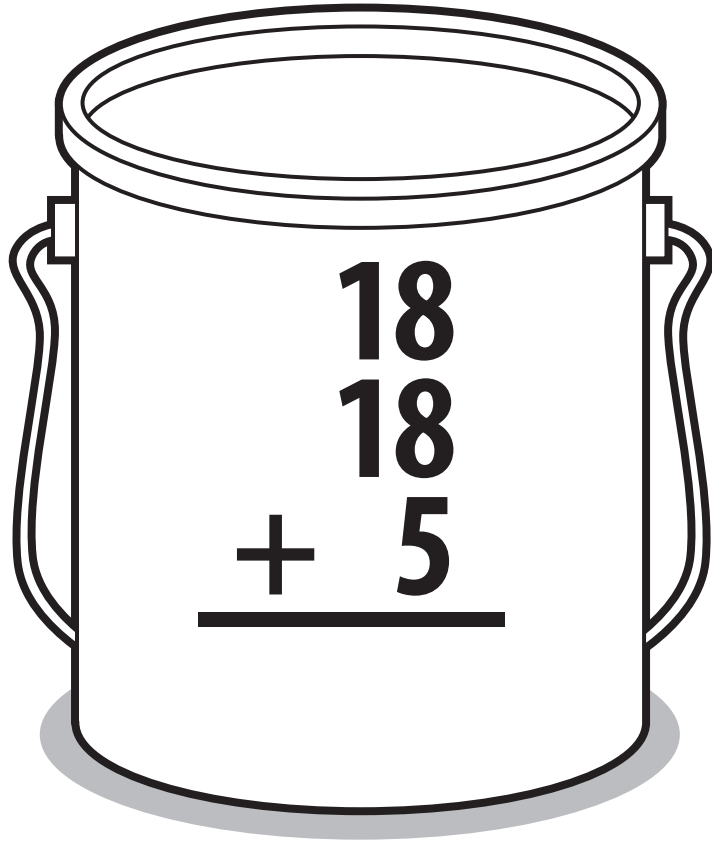
Dry Desert Danger

This is a five-gallon pail. Do the math to see how much it weighs when filled with water.

5 gallons of water weighs _____ pounds!

Can you lift this much? Do you weigh more or less than this bucket of water?

Children in some dry desert areas must spend a lot of time helping carry buckets of water home for drinking, cooking, and cleaning. It's not at all easy, especially under the hot desert sun.



Standards Link: Math: Calculate sums and differences below 100.

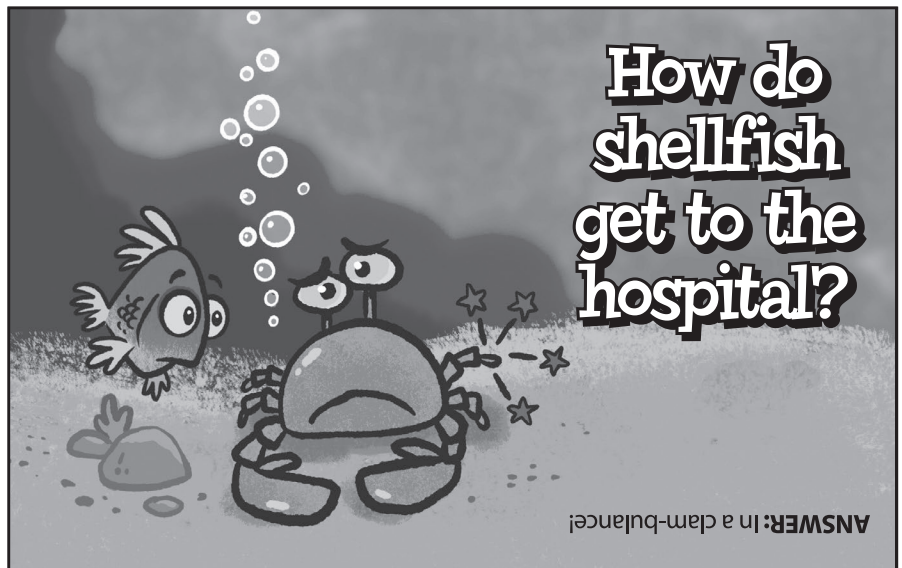
VOCABULARY BUILDERS

WELL

The noun **well** means a hole dug in the ground to reach water below the surface.

I used a bucket on a rope to pull up water from the **well** at my aunt's farm.

Try to use the word **well** in a sentence today when talking with your friends and family members.



How do shellfish get to the hospital?

ANSWER: In a clam-bulance!



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Write On!



Kids Care About the Earth

What are ways you and your friends take care of our planet?



Community Heroes

Rotarians are community heroes. Look through the newspaper for stories about people in your community who are helping others. Make a list of the kinds of problems they are helping solve. Share the list with a family member.

Standards Link: Write to express an opinion.



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Kid Scoop Jumbo Word Search

Find the words by looking up, down, backwards, forwards, sideways and diagonally.
Then see how many of these words you can find in today's newspaper.

BATHE
BUILD
CLEAN
DRY
HEALTHY
HELP
HOME
PAIL
POOLS
RAIN
ROTARY
SOAP
WATER
WELLS
WET



Standards Link: Letter sequencing. Recognize identical words.
Skim and scan reading. Recall spelling patterns.



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Answers

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Replace the missing words

- clear
- find
- shortages
- heavy
- drink

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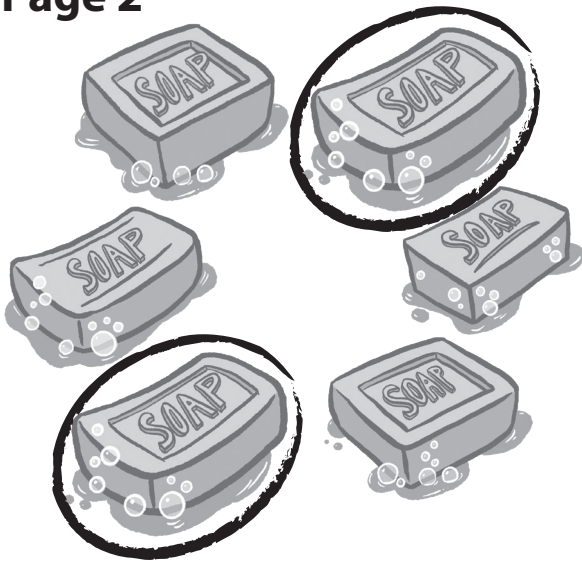
Puzzler

41 pounds

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