

For the Teacher:

Clean Water Listening Task

Functional Language <i>Students will need</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <i>Do you know what the most important ____ is?</i>• <i>In other words...</i>• <i>What can we do to ____?</i>• <i>We must protect our ____.</i>
Vocabulary <i>Students will need</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• vocabulary of clean water: <i>clean, water, natural resource, Earth, substance, body, disappearing, drink, sick, die, important, chemical, insect, clean, hurt, careful, garbage, sink, river, lake, human, ideas</i>• Numbers/Percentages: <i>Sixty percent = 60% Seventy percent = 70%</i>
Grammar <i>Students will need</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Modal + verb: <i>We can use...</i> <i>People need to drink...</i> <i>We must protect...</i>• Adverb clauses: Adverbial + Subject + Verb

	<p><i>If they don't...</i></p> <p><i>When we clean...</i></p>
<p>Assessment</p> <p><i>Teachers can check for success by</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ask students, “How can we protect clean water?” and “How much of a human body is made up of water?” and “How much of the Earth is made up of water?” and “What will happen if people don’t drink clean water?” • have students re-tell each other about the importance of clean water using as much information as they can remember from the audio. • Have students in groups discuss a different topic related to clean water—such as “clean air”—and use as much of the same language as they can.

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How can we protect clean water?

Do you know what the most important natural resource is? It is water. Water is *all* around us. There is more water on Earth than any other substance. 70% of the Earth is water.

Water is in us, too. WE are 60% water. In other words, our bodies are made up of mostly water.

So, water is everywhere but... clean water is disappearing. People need to drink clean water everyday. If they don't, they get sick. They die. So, clean water is important.

What can we do to keep water clean?

We can use fewer chemicals in our lives.

When we kill insects with chemicals, we hurt water.

When we clean our homes with chemicals, we hurt water.

We can also be careful with our garbage.

When we put garbage in the sink, we hurt water.

When we leave garbage near a river or lake, we hurt water.

Water is so important to humans and to Earth. We must protect our clean water. I hope you have some new ideas about what to do now.

How can we protect clean water?