

# **Keep Water Safe**

### **Clean Water**

Water from various sources like ponds, lakes, rivers, etc. is not clean. It is made dirty/impure because of various activities like...



- 1. Bathing animals in the water bodies.
- 2. Washing clothes/utensils.
- 3. Throwing garbage in the water body.
- 4. Waste products/sewage from houses or factories getting mixed into water bodies.

All such activities make water impure.

Drinking impure water can make us sick. Some of diseases caused due to dirty water are cholera, dysentery, typhoid etc. We should drink clean and pure water. Water can be made clean by filtering it.

Nowadays, we have RO water filters to purify it.

To make water germ free, we can boil it.





#### **Boiling water**

Ask the children to always drink clean water.

Teacher's Tip

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## How Can We Save Water?

Water is essential for all living things. We should not waste water at all. We should always use it wisely. Read and follow these tips to save water:

- 1. Take a bath using a bucket and a mug instead of shower.
- 2. Wash fruits and vegetables in a bowl and reuse it for plants.
- 3. Keep the tap closed while brushing your teeth.
- 4. Empty your water bottles in the garden.
- 5. Get the leaky taps repaired soon.
- 6. Keep the water covered.



## Let's Recall

- \* Water is one of the basic need of living things.
- \* We should drink clean and pure water.
- \* Boiling and filtering can make water pure.
- \* We should not waste water.
- \* We should follow the tips to save water.

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# Let's Answer

A. Tick  $(\checkmark)$  the correct word:

- 1. We should drink (clean / dirty) water.
- 2. Take a bath using a (bucket / shower).
- 3. Keep the water (covered / uncovered).
- 4. Keep the tap (closed / open) while brushing your teeth.
- B. Tick (✓) the actions where water is being saved and cross (✗) where it is being wasted:



Classmate Jender Heart High School <u> Class - II</u> Date - 03.07.24 Subject - Environmental Studies Jeachers - Ms. Havjit Kaur, Ms. Jyoti Arora, Ms. Rufinder Kaur Lesson-6, Keep Water Safe Q1. Fill in the blanks -1. Orinking impure water can make us <u>sick</u> 2. We should drink clean and pure water. 3. Water can be made clean by filtering it. 4. Jo make water germ free, we can boil it. Q2. Tick (~) the covert word: 1. We should drink (clean/dirty) water. 2. Jake a bath using a (brucket/shower). 3. Keep the water (covered/uncovered). 4. Keep the tap (closed/open) while legushing your teeth.

Classmate 2 Q3. Answer the following questions: Q1. Why various water sources are becoming dirty? And Washing clothes/ utensils in the water bodies. 2. Throwing garbage in them. O2. How can we purify water? Ar. We can boil water. 2. We can use RO water filters to printy water. Q3. How can we save water? Ar. Jake a bath using a bucket and a mug. 2. Empty your water bottles in the garden. Last page