Natural Resources and Communities

Grade 3 Social Studies Worksheet - Building Confidence

Name _____ Date _____

Circle the answer.

1. Which of these is a natural resource?

   a brick wall a plastic bottle fresh water

2. Which resource in the ground helps crops grow?

   rich soil beach sand salt water

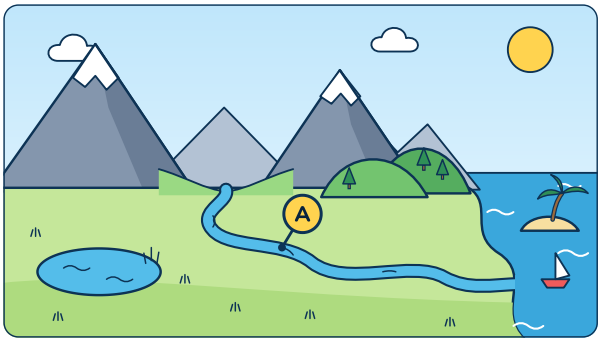
3. How do people use trees from a forest?

   to build homes and make paper

   to make metal cans

   to make glass windows

4. Look at the picture. How can the water at A help a town?



   It gives wood for building.

   It gives sand for glass.

   It gives water for drinking and farms.

5. Why should people not catch too many fish?

   Fish would get too big. Boats would cost too much. Fish could run out.

6. Which resource can make electricity on a windy hill?

   soil fish wind

7. What is a natural resource?

something from nature that people use

something sold only in stores

something made in a factory

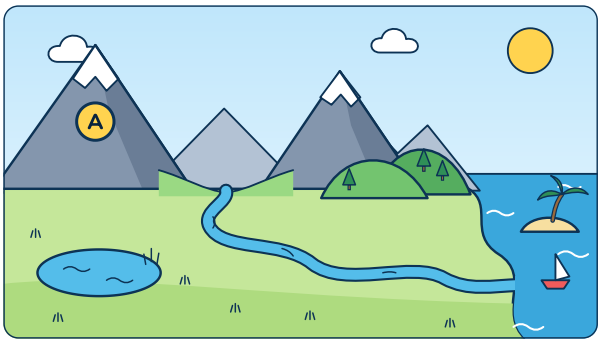
8. Which resource will never run out?

oil sunlight coal

9. A town plants a new tree for each tree it cuts. What does this protect?

the ocean the forest the wind

10. Look at the picture. Which resource could people dig from the land at A?



seashells stone for building salt water

Scan to get this marked free. No screen time for your child.
Print it · do it in pencil · scan it · PencilGo picks the next sheet.

Natural Resources and Communities

Answer Key - Grade 3 Social Studies Worksheet - Building Confidence

Circle the answer.

1. Which of these is a natural resource?

   a brick wall a plastic bottle **fresh water**

2. Which resource in the ground helps crops grow?

   rich soil beach sand salt water

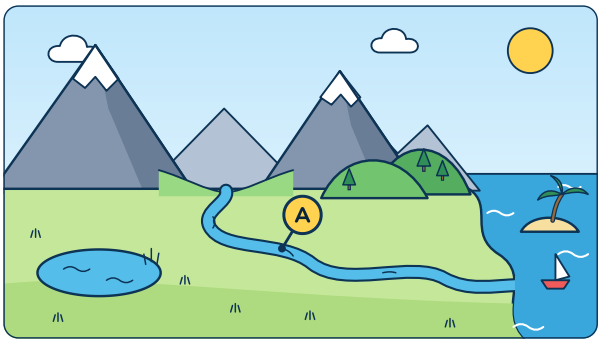
3. How do people use trees from a forest?

   to build homes and make paper

   to make metal cans

   to make glass windows

4. Look at the picture. How can the water at A help a town?



   It gives wood for building.

   It gives sand for glass.

   It gives water for drinking and farms.

5. Why should people not catch too many fish?

   Fish would get too big. Boats would cost too much. **Fish could run out.**

6. Which resource can make electricity on a windy hill?

   soil fish **wind**

7. What is a natural resource?

something from nature that people use

something sold only in stores

something made in a factory

8. Which resource will never run out?

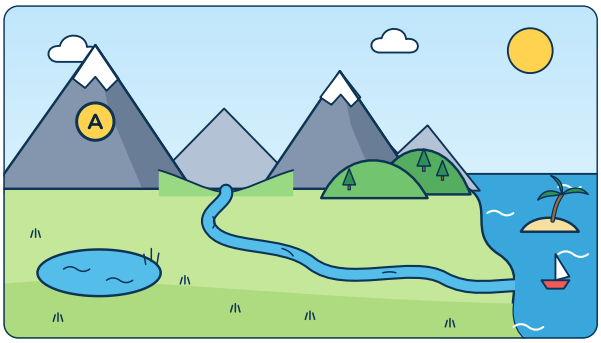
oil sunlight coal

9. A town plants a new tree for each tree it cuts. What does this protect?

the ocean the forest

the wind

10. Look at the picture. Which resource could people dig from the land at A?



seashells stone for building salt water