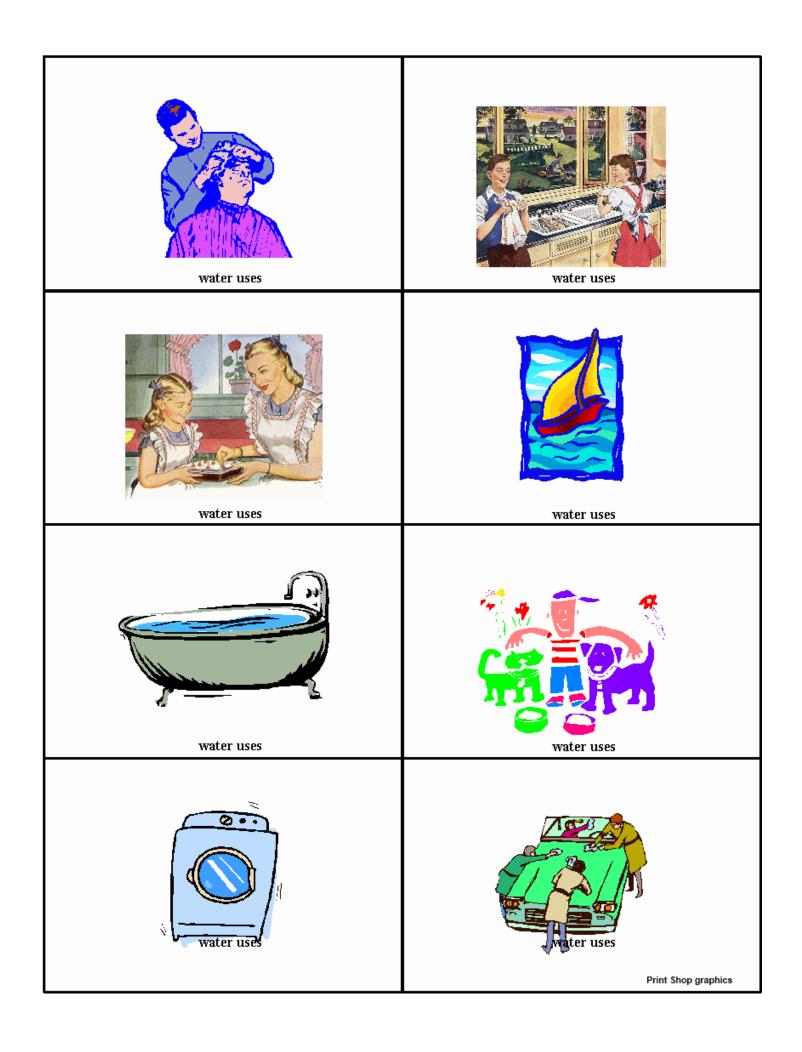
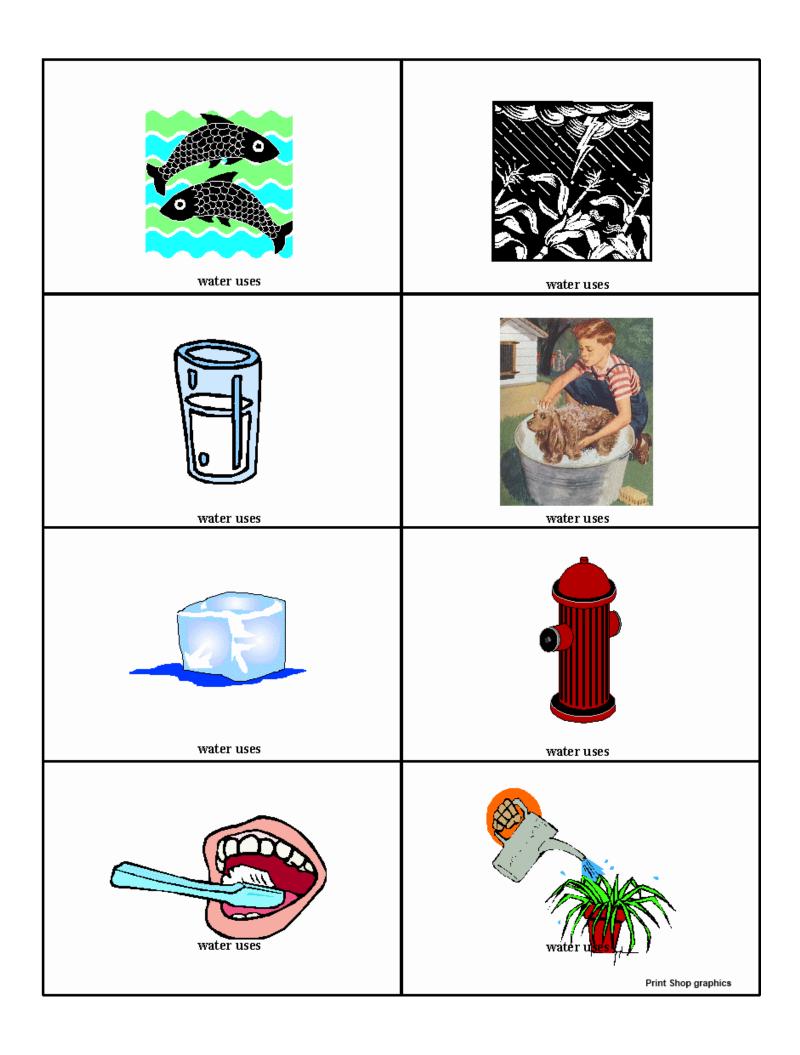
WATER USES GAME BOARDS CARDS, IDEAS, INSTRUCTIONS

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GAMES-CARD GAME IDEAS AND INSTRUCTIONS

*2 SETS OF CARDS

Individual child

1. Matching game-Match the cards.

Group Game

- 1. **Go Fish Method-**Divide one set of cards evenly among the children. Turn other set over. Let children take a card from the stack. If they have a match, the keep both cards & put them in their own pile. They continue to play as long as they get a match to a card in their hand. Play the game until all the cards have been matched.
- 2. **Concentration** (memory) match-Turn cards over. Child turns cards face up trying to get a match. If he gets a match, the cards go in his pile. If no match, it is the next child's turn to play. Play until all the cards have been matched.

*1 SET OF CARDS

Group Game-many of these games can also be played with one child.

- 1. **Pantomime**-Choose water cards that can be pantomimed. Give a card to one child to act out and let other children try to guess a water use.
- 2. **Treasure hunt-**place cards about the room or expanded area. For a <u>clue based treasure</u> hunt, give them a clue as to where 1st card is. When child/children/team finds the first card, that card gives a clue as to where the next card is. This continues to the end of the treasure hunt. For a <u>treasure map based hunt</u>, kids follow the map. At the end there can be something exciting made with water such as icies.
- 3. **Floor pocket game**-place cards in the pockets. Child tosses beanbag and tells what the water use is. Make a simple fish beanbag with a sock stuffed and tied off, leaving enough for a tail. Add button eyes.

- 4. **Collage'-**Print pictures for collage on water uses. Teach the emphasis points as they do collage'.
- 5. I've Got a Secret-Teacher picks a card, says "I've got a secret and I am going to let you guess what it is." Take a card from the deck of cards and gradually describe the picture allowing children to guess what the teacher is describing. EXAMPLE: "I have a picture of one way we use water. We use water to clean something big.....

 Sometimes we pay someone else to clean this.......Sometimes a machine cleans this....... We go to church in this.......(Car)

*LOTTO

Lotto where the teacher has the only board in the game (this requires only one board and 2 sets of cards. One set of cards is for showing the picture as you call out the card.

1. Pass of	out the lotto cards to the children. Ask who has the picture of
a	(show picture), Let child bring card and place it on the
lotto l	ooard.

*PICK A POCKET-Teacher pocket apron or vest (fishing vest works). What do I have in my pocket? Put the pictures of WATER USES in the pockets. Let each child find a picture and tell teacher what the water is used for. Put duplicate types of SEASHELLS or BOATS in the pockets. Let children pull out the shells and match the duplicates.

Put Bible verses on the boats and then line the boats in the correct order.

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SMALL WATER USES PICTURES & IDEAS

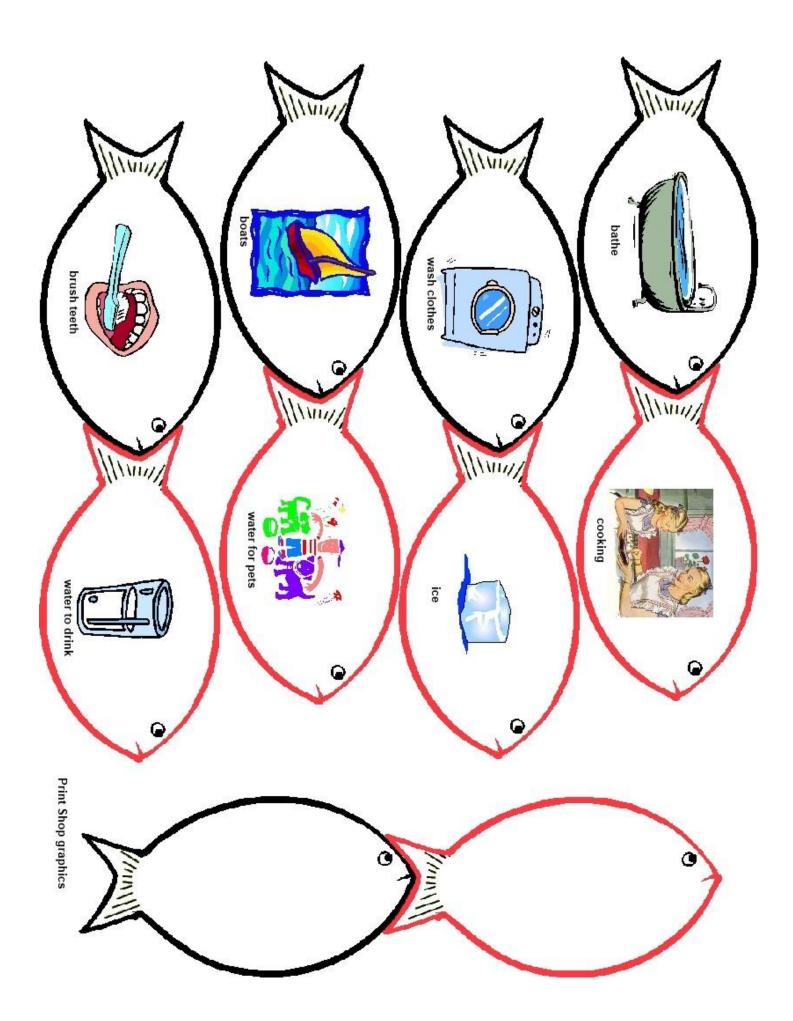
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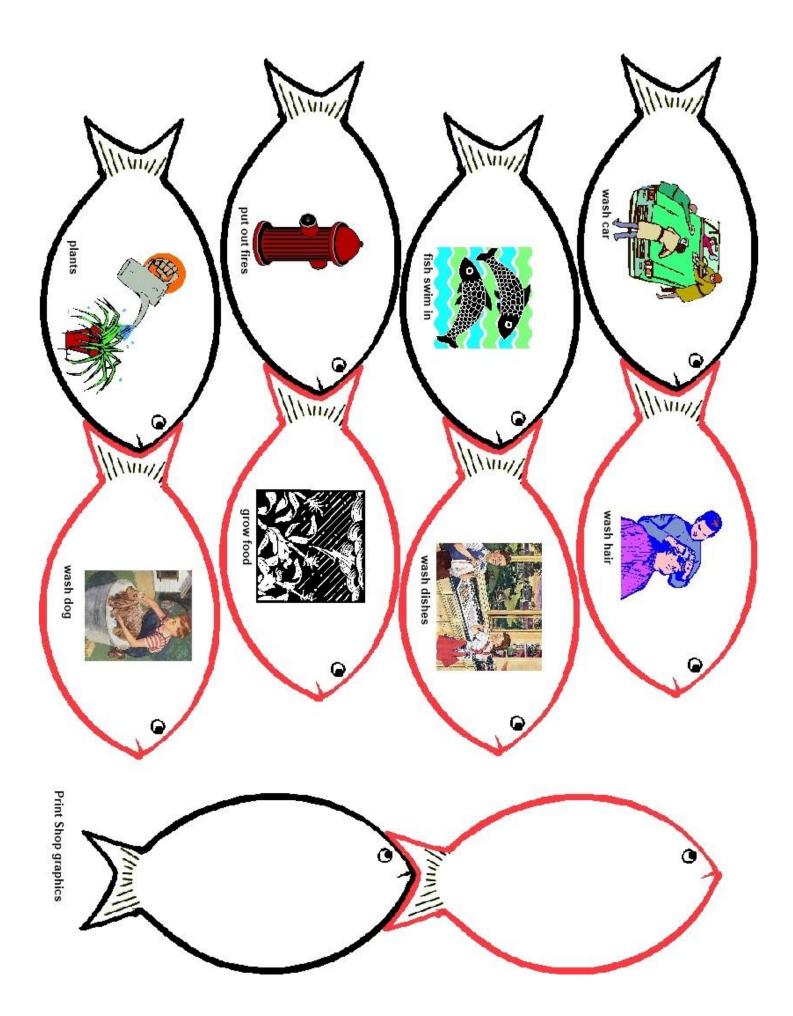












1-Small pictures (4 sets to a page) may be used to make a small water uses booklet by the children, or in a collage where they may add their own drawings, stickers, etc. They may be used as markers to match up to the larger picture or to match up to the game cards.

2-Seashells-With the ocean theme, glue or tape the small pictures to underside of seashells. Put in pan or pool of sand, grits, or Styrofoam peanuts and let children find the shells and describe water uses.

3-Going Fishing Game-Cut fish apart. Add a metal paper clip to the mouth or a metal prong to the eye. Make a fishing pole with a magnet at the end to catch the fish. Discuss how water is used. Thank God for water and for all the other things in the pictures. Add more pictures or some Bible verses to the blank fish.

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