

Water Report

Water is our most important resource. We use it every day, for washing, cooking, drinking and even for electricity. Even though it is useful, it can be very dangerous, which will be explained later on. But another question is what the future of water is? These questions will all be answered. This report will reflect on dangers, uses and conserving water.

Water is very dangerous. One way is ice, where it can expand and destroy objects. An example is in the winter; they expand and destroy water pipes, destroying the water supply for a while. Ice is strong enough to break glass and metal when expanded. A second way water is dangerous is the place we get it from. Tap water is often filled with chlorine, a chemical which kills bacteria but makes people dizzy and even sick sometimes. Bottle water isn't that better either, because it sometimes contains the plastic from the bottle and it consumes unneeded resources. Also, Bottle water is tap water with a label. Another way is that water carries diseases, such as hepatitis. The last way water is dangerous is through natural disasters. A flood often destroys small towns and parts of cities, and is very dangerous. Tsunamis often destroy entire cities and are caused by underwater earthquakes. An example of a tsunami is the Japan 2011 tsunami which killed 9,000 people.

Careful with editing

Well done excellent use of specific information

Even though water is dangerous it is also very useful. The first obvious way is that every living thing needs water to live. We also use water to clean, whether it is dishes, yourself or clothes. Water is used by us for electricity at hydro dams. Most of Manitoba is powered by hydro plants. In hydro dams, water is funnelled to push electric turbines which generate electricity. We have used water as a power source for a long time and we use it a lot. The first hydro dam was built in 1872 and today one-third of the world's power is hydro electricity.

Very good connection between these paragraphs

Dirty water related diseases cause the most deaths in the world. They kill 3.3 million people a year and cause 80% of diseases. Using a filtering system, we can kill all bacteria and make water clean. If people get clean water, related deaths can

Some re-organization needed

decrease by 40%. With cleaning water, we also have to conserve it, because we can only use 1% of all of Earth's water. On average every person in the world uses 60 litres of water a day. We can save water in different ways. Technology allows us to use low flush toilets, which allow us to use less water. Low-flow caps on shower heads and taps allow us to reduce the amount of water out of taps and shower heads.

Everybody in the world should care about water. We should care about how to take proper precautions about diseases, and not to take tsunami and flood warnings lightly. We should also care about saving water, because we can only use 1% of Earth's water (plus if you save water you save money too)! If we run out of water, we run out of life.

Strong point
Well done!

The future of water is a very difficult thing to understand. Scientists might be able to make so we can make fresh water out of salt water, but there is also the possibility we might run out. If we do run out, the Earth will look barren and all life will cease to exist. As you can see, water is our most important resource. We have to conserve it, or the planet will be doomed. We also have to take care, because water is a very dangerous substance.

- Nice little page
 - Very interesting opening paragraph,
 - I like how you made a point and then supported it with specific information (Very effective writing)
 - Way to go Chris! I would like to use your report as an example of the type of work I am looking for.
- Keep up the great work!
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