

## ClearWater Kids -

## Welcome to the world of ClearWater Kids!

We look forward to seeing you at <u>www.ClearWaterKids.org</u>, an interactive website that inspires kids to discover nature and treasure and protect water as a way of life.

The website is a virtual version of ClearWater Farm located on Lake Simcoe in the Town of Georgina in York Region. Since 2016, the farm has been a place for kids to explore and learn about nature and the importance of water in our lives. ClearWater Kids now provides similar opportunities to kids all over the world on a KIDSAFE-certified platform.

Sign up for a <u>free account</u> and get access to nature and water -- themed activities:

- Activity sheets
- Book recommendations
- Curriculum connected themed guides
- Experiments
- Games
- Trading cards
- Videos
- Virtual yurt
- And more

Meet our time-traveling, water-wise superhero guide, Potato the Chicken. Why is she named Potato? Because her favourite food is potato peels. <u>Read Potato's story here</u>.









## **Creating Accounts for Your Students**

We suggest teachers sign up for their own account to get to know the website and all that it offers.

Kids can start exploring <u>www.ClearWaterKids.org</u> with Potato the Chicken. To take full advantage of what the programs offer, including saving activity progress, accessing trading cards and receiving trophies, students need their own accounts. Teachers can use their own email to register each student at <u>www.ClearWaterKids.org/Register</u>. When a username and password is picked for each student, an email with a verification code will be sent. Enter the code in the website's registration page.

Ensure a record is kept of each student's login information.

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# Introductory Scavenger Hunt: Introduce your students to the world of ClearWater Kids!

Introduce kids to the world of ClearWater Kids through an Introductory Scavenger Hunt. Once they have their individual logins, students can:

- Find the "Do Fish Fart" game
- Find a trading card (hint: look for the glowing orbs)
- Make a trade with Potato the Chicken at the Trading Tree
- Add a decoration to their yurt
- Find and watch water-themed videos on CWKTV









### Resources

Visit the ClearWater Kids Parents and Educators site <u>here</u>. You will find our engaging themed guides, which include a discussion starter video, outdoor activities, experiments and suggestions for ways kids can take action to help the planet. All content has been developed with input from Science North educators, classroom teachers and kids themselves. You will also find hands-on activity sheets to download.

Below are our recommended water-connected resources for teachers and students.



1. Resource: Protecting Our Water Themed Guide

#### Included Video: Clean Up on Aisle Water

"Ava, Ari, and Potato the Chicken give a demonstration of how not filtering stormwater can cause plastics and chemicals to wash into water bodies and affect plant and animal life there, and how the food chain includes what humans eat."

**Included Activities:** 

- Aquatic Investigation
- Watershed Wake-Up Call
- Toxin Tag
- Be a Water Protector (Take Action)

Supplementary Activity: Grow Food from Food (Activity Sheet)



#### 2. Resource: Save Our Water Themed Guide

#### Included Video: Save the Water

"What does brushing your teeth have to do with a swimming pool? Ava and Ari list all the ways in which we waste water in our daily lives." Included Activities:

- Water Cycle Review (Water Cycle Demo, Water Cycle in a Bag)
- Where Does Water Go?
- Make a (Water Supply and Usage) Model

Supplementary Activity: Nature Search (Activity Sheet)



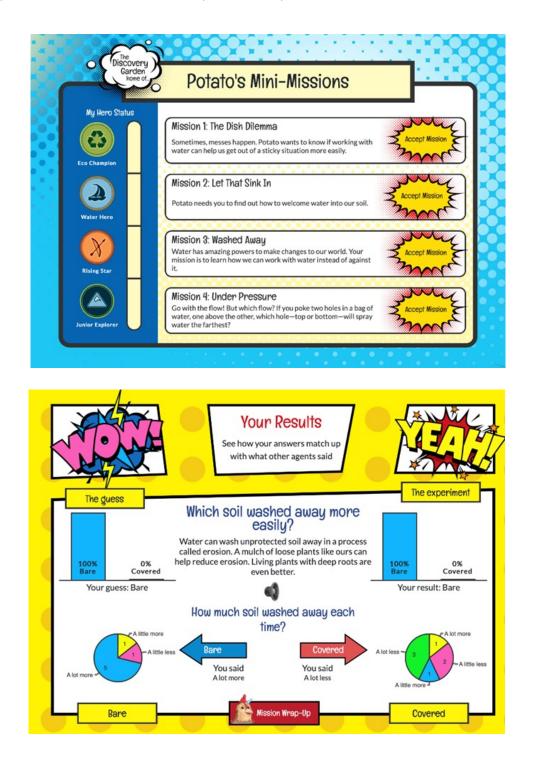




## **Additional Water-Related Activities**

#### Mini-Missions on clearwaterkids.org!

Perfect for a take-home activity, all new mini-missions are located at the Discovery Garden on the main map. Kids can complete Potato the Chicken's fun mini-missions to study how water acts in different situations using materials found around the home. Then they record their results, compare their results with other "eco-agents" and complete all four mini-missions to level up to eco-champions!







## **Videos**

#### How to Make Water Walk

Learn how water moves in plants with the help of Vivian and her "How to Make Water Walk" experiment. Then try it yourself!



#### Thirsty World

What does a toad have to do with a potato? Ava and Ari go nose to nose with a toad, soaking up water in the garden and see a potato doing exactly the same thing! You can show off with a similar experiment using celery.

Thank you for joining the world of ClearWater Kids. We hope that all young visitors to the site will see themselves as ClearWater Kids, part of an ever-growing community that is excited to learn more and work with others to help make the world a better place.

