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Reading Sheet one

We have been learning about climate change and how it affects us and our world.

All of our class has been wondering what we can do to make things better.

So we have been looking around where we live to see what we can do. We are very lucky as our school is close to a lake. Lots of people have bought houses in our town so that they can be by the lake, but because our country has not had much rain for a long time the lake has started to dry up.

Our teacher has been helping us find out things we can do to help. She arranged for the land care people to come and talk to us too. They have been talking to the whole school and now we have decided to clean up around our lake and try to make things better for the birdlife there. The first thing we are going to do is to rake up all the rubbish on the edge of the lake. We have big bags to put the rubbish in. We all have rubber gloves and tongs to keep us safe from sharp objects. It will be a good thing to make the edge of the lake a safe place to go. After we have cleaned the area up, we are going to plant trees all around the lake. The people who have been helping us are getting the right trees and lots of people from the town are coming down to help us too. We know we can't change all the problems caused by the drought but if we do what we can, it will have to make things a bit better. Our lake is very special. We are learning lots of information about the birdlife around it and we want to keep it our special lake.

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Comprehension sheet one



- 1. What do the children from this school have close to them?
- 2. What are the children hoping to do?
- 3. Why do the children want to clean up around the lake?
- 4. What is the first thing the school will do?
- 5. Why is it important to try to clean up our environment?
- 6. What could you do to help our world?

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Activity sheet one

Use your dictionary to find other words that rhyme with lake and make a list.

Choose three words and see if you can put them into one sentence.

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the rhyming words.		
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		make
floor	door	
floor		fake
race		