



Water Week Scavenger Hunt

Signs of water systems are everywhere in your neighborhood, helping keep our City clean and safe. Take a walk with an adult around your neighborhood and see if you can spot items that Public Works has installed to manage our three water systems: drinking water, wastewater and stormwater. **Remember to stay on the sidewalk and keep an eye out for cars.**

Creek

stormwater enters the creeks, eventually ending up in the Salish Sea



Storm Drain

moves rainwater to our local creeks, lakes and Bellingham Bay



Fire Hydrant

to help put out fires



Water Main Access

accesses water pipes buried under the road that carry drinking water to our homes



Sewer Cover

accesses underground sewer pipes that transport sewage to the Wastewater Treatment Plant



Location Reflector

in the road help fire fighters locate fire hydrants



Water Meter

measures the amount of water a household uses



Find something that is using water in your neighborhood:

Keeping our water clean is very important for the health of our community and wildlife, how will you help? (check all that apply) ___ pick up dog poop, ___ wash your family car at a car wash instead of at your home, ___ use phosphate free fertilizer, ___ don't litter, ___ check your family car for oil leaks. **For the Explore Some More passport code, share what you will do to keep our water clean by emailing waterschool@cob.org.**