

WELLAND GOULDSMITH SCHOOL
CLASS – 2 SCIENCE WORKSHEET (CHAPTER 9)
TOPIC : SOURCES OF WATER

SYNOPSIS :

The place from where fresh water comes is called its sources.

Different kinds of regions (such as hills and plains) have different sources of fresh water. Rain is the chief source of water.

1. Fresh water sources in the hills – People in the hilly regions may get fresh water from natural lakes, streams, springs or wells.

2. Fresh water sources in the plains- People in the plains me get water from lakes, ponds, rivers, tanks and wells.

Rainwater or water from melting snow gets converted in these water bodies.

Wells- Wells are dug by people. There are different types of wells.

- Common wells
- Hand pump
- Tubewells

Safe drinking water – All fresh water sources dry up if there is no rain for a long time. Hence, rain is the chief source of fresh water. All fresh water may not be safe for drinking because it may contain germs that causes diseases.

1. Write True or False :

- a. River water is safe for drinking. _____
- b. Rain is the chief source of water. _____
- c. It is safe to drink boiled water. _____
- d. Water easily becomes unfit for drinking. _____
- e. Drinking impure water is harmful for our health. _____

2. Write 5 uses of water :

_____, _____, _____, _____ and _____.

3. Name 2 sources of fresh water in each of the following regions :

Plains =

Hills =

4. Name any 2 types of wells :

_____ and _____.

TEXTBOOK EXERCISES :

- **Pages 53 and 54:** Exercises A, B and C.
- Draw and name 2 types of wells.

