

This is Recycled Water

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1 This is the treatment plant by the bay.

2 This is the water recycled today.

1 At the treatment plant by the bay.

3 This is the pipe; it's purple, not gray,

2 That carries the water recycled today.

1 At the treatment plant by the bay.

4 This is the grass, so green where we play,

3 Watered from pipe; it's purple not gray,

2 That carries the water recycled today

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5 These are the flowers, a pretty bouquet

4 Just like the grass so green where we play,

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6 This is an artichoke and strawberry buffet,

5 They grow like flowers, a pretty bouquet,

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7 This is the fountain with a recycled spray,

6 Next to the artichoke and strawberry buffet,

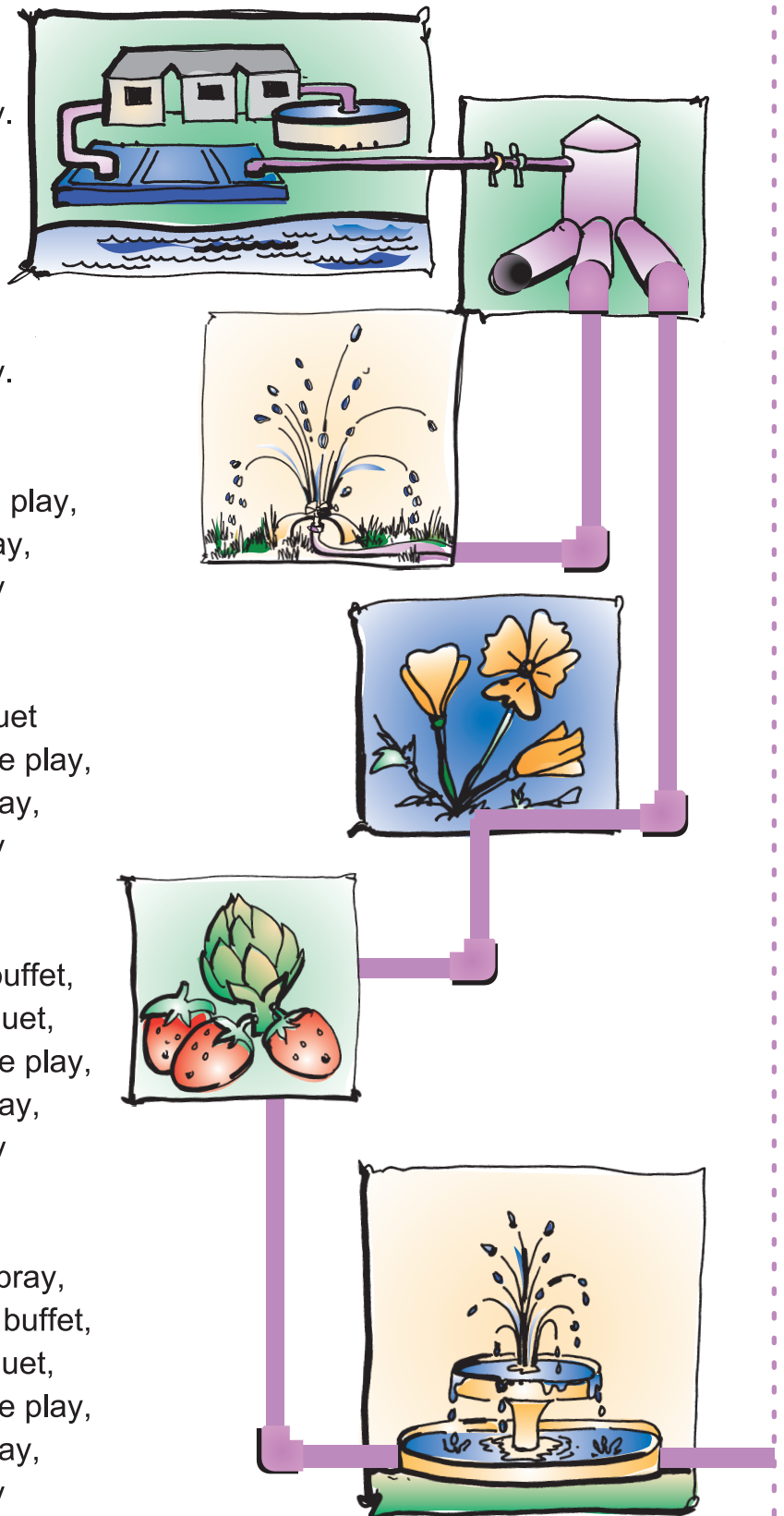
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- 10 This is the water district seeking a way
To save more water every day,
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