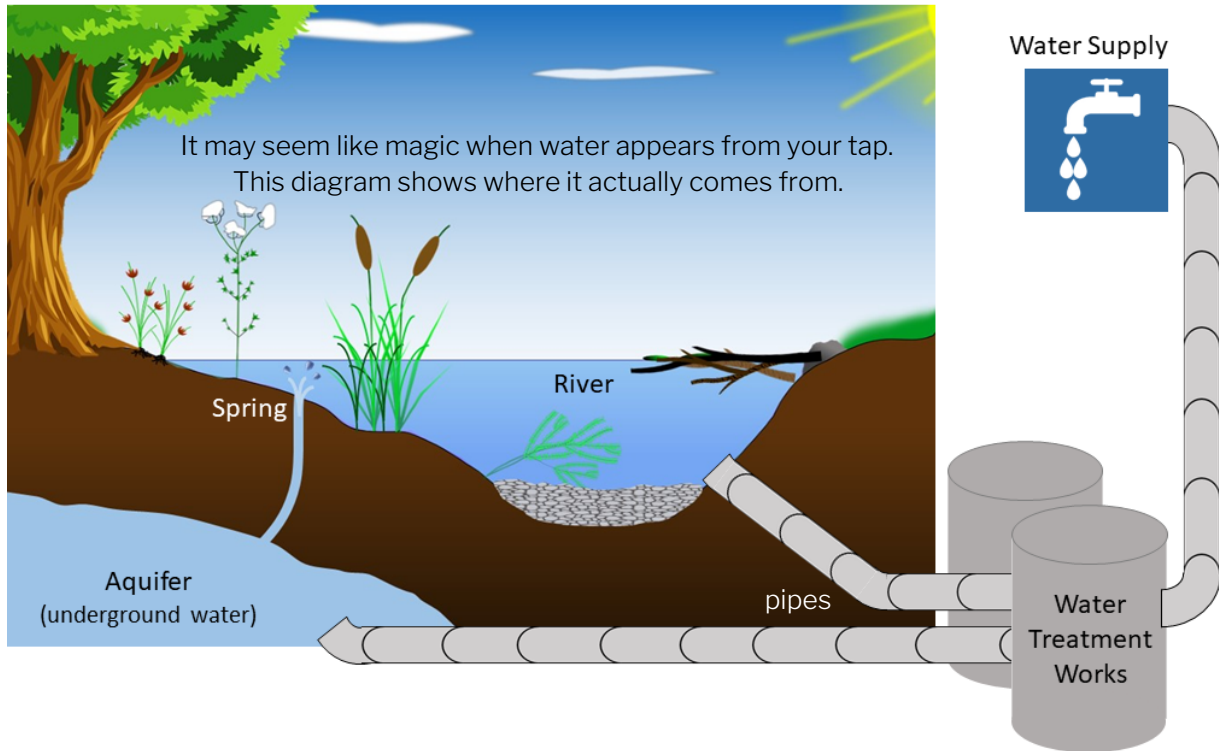




**Learning Objective:** To write a text that explains where our water supply comes from



Add arrows to this diagram to show the direction water is moving through the pipes. Then write a text that explains where the water we use comes from. Use all the words you see in the diagram. Try to answer these questions:

- Where does the water treatment works get water from?
- What does it do to that water?
- Where does it send that water?
- What does it travel through?

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**Support**

Before you begin, complete the 'Fill in the Blanks' on page 2

**Challenge**

Explain the effect this could have on the aquifer? Spring? River?



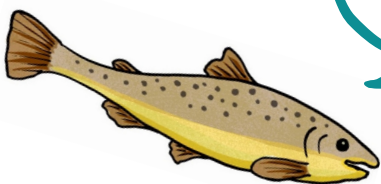
## Fill in the Blanks

Fill in the blanks by choosing the correct term from those provided in blue after each blank. Use the diagram on the previous page to help you.

An \_\_\_\_\_ (**spring / aquifer**) is water stored underground. Water from the \_\_\_\_\_ (**aquifer / water supply**) is sometimes pushed up through the ground to form a \_\_\_\_\_ (**water treatment works / spring**). Water from the \_\_\_\_\_ (**water supply / spring**) adds water to the \_\_\_\_\_ (**river / aquifer**).

Water travels through pipes to get to the \_\_\_\_\_ (**river / water treatment works**) where it is cleaned. This water is taken from the \_\_\_\_\_ (**river / spring**) and the \_\_\_\_\_ (**aquifer / water supply**). Once it is cleaned, it is safe to use. It becomes the \_\_\_\_\_ (**river / water supply**) that travels in pipes to our houses and all the other places it is needed. What might happen to the river if we use too much water?

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So that's how water gets to the tap!

I guess it's not magic after all!

