# 6.6 Familiarisation with target vocabulary - water conservation

**Topic:** Conservation

Subtopic: Water conservation Activity type/skill: Word cards Literacy focus: Vocabulary

### **Objective**

• Gain familiarity with spoken and written forms of words.

## What you need

- Student worksheet (see next page)
- Scissors

#### What to do

- 1. Have students cut out the 20 word cards on the student worksheet and place them face up in front of them.
- 2. Have students point to each word as you say them in random order.
- 3. Have students sort words into categories, for example:
  - the same number of syllables
  - the same initial sound
  - the same final sound
  - · the same medial vowel sound
  - the same sound for the letter 'a'.
- 4. Have students:
  - place the cards face down
  - pick up a card, say and spell it
  - turn the card over and say and spell it from memory.

#### Extending the activity

- Have students store the cards and use them daily for revision.
- Use this set of cards with other vocab cards to play sound dominoes, matching final and initial sounds.

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careful	clean
demand (for)	factory
farm	fuel
future	industry
natural	plenty (of)
pollute	provide
quality	run out (of)
save	stream
substance	supply
transport	wash