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
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UNIT 2 Lesson 3 Reading: Earth watch

**A** Mr Bate publishes a magazine about conservation called 'Earth Watch'. Here are two articles from this month's magazine. 

**1. They're just like us!**



My husband and I both love apes. My husband works for a national park in Africa and his job is to protect all the animals in the park. I am studying a type of ape called 'bonobos'. They are very human-like, cute, and funny!

Apes have to face big problems all over Africa. Humans have destroyed much of the forests where they live. (1) They have built roads into the forests too. (2) They cut down the trees and (3) take away the timber on big trucks. (4) Ape hunters travel into the forests on the same roads (5) to kill the apes and (6) sell the meat in the market.

Titch, a baby ape, has lost his mother so I am bottle-feeding him. We are keeping about seven baby bonobos at the Ape Centre in the middle of the forest. All their mothers are dead. When Titch is bigger, he can go and live with the group of apes in the forest here. **Elaine.**


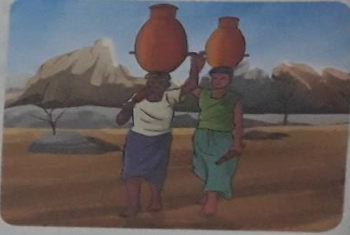
**2. Turning on the tap**

I'm an engineer and I live in Ethiopia. We are putting in a new water pipe to carry water from a spring in the hills to a village. When it is finished, the pipe will be 11 kilometres long. At the moment, the villagers have to walk 11 kilometres into the hills each day to collect water and then carry it back to the village in pots on their heads.

WaterAid in Britain gave us some money for the pipeline. The villagers are doing all the hard work themselves. They are **digging long trenches**. In other places, they are **putting in supports to hold up the pipe**. In a few places, we have to **cut through the rock**.

In the end, there will be drinking water in the village. If the villagers don't waste any water, there will be enough to grow fruit and vegetables too. They are really looking forward to TTD (Tap Turn-on Day)!

**Aksum.**



Magazine article

