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## The Challenges – Teacher Resources

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### Water

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Without water...  
the dolphins would be silent.  
the river would not flow.  
the trees would not grow,  
the plants will not thrive,  
we would not survive.

With water...  
dolphins splash and call,  
the river will flow,  
trees will grow,  
the plants will thrive,  
we will survive.

And, in the water I feel alive.



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