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UNIT B: LESSON 10

LEARNING TARGETS

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Listen as your teacher reviews the standards and objectives. Your teacher will call on an individual or pair to explain what they mean.

Learning Target:

I can write an **argument** in **support of** my view about water sustainability.

Learning Target:

I can gather **evidence** from **multiple** texts to support my **analysis**.

argument - writing
for or against
something
support of agreement with
evidence - facts; proof
multiple - more than
one
analysis - a careful
explanation

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Write an argument in response to the essay prompt. Use evidence from the unit texts to support your thoughts. Use your graphic organizer from Lesson 9 to help you fill in the spaces.

Essay Prompt

State, or say, whether you think water sustainability is a local issue, a global issue, or both. Argue for your perspective using evidence, or facts, from the unit's texts.

| Introduction | Water is the basis for We all need water | | | | | |
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| Describe why we need to care | for But there may not be | | | | | |
| about water sustainability. | enough water because | | | | | |
| Choose a reason that we are | | | | | | |
| running out of water. | | | | | | |
| Claim | Water sustainability is therefore important. I believe | | | | | |
| State whether you think water | that water sustainability is a issue. | | | | | |
| sustainability is global, local, | | | | | | |
| or both. | | | | | | |
| Supports | First, | | | | | |
| Write three to four statements | | | | | | |
| to support your claim. Write | Next, | | | | | |
| the claims from your Lesson 9 | · | | | | | |
| graphic organizer. | Also, | | | | | |
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| | Finally, | | | | | |
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| Conclusion | Water sustainability is a | | | | | |
| Finish your argument by | issue. It is very important to preserve water for | | | | | |
| restating your claim. | ourselves and for the future. | | | | | |