

WaterAid quiz!

For the first time in history, nine in ten people around the world have clean, safe water to drink. Take part in our watery quiz to help us raise funds and awareness for the last ten percent.

1 What proportion of the Earth's surface is covered by water?

- 40%
- 50%
- 60%
- 70%



2 On average, how many children die each day from diarrhoea caused by unsafe water and poor sanitation?

- 200
- 1,000
- 900
- 200,000

3 Approximately how much of the human body is made up of water?

- 10%
- 30%
- 60%
- 70%

4 How many glasses of water should you drink a day?

- 1
- 8
- 21
- 45



5 How many people in the world do not have safe drinking water?

- 1 million
- 53 million
- 663 million

6 True or false - more people in the world have mobile phones than access to toilets?

- True
- False

7 What proportion of the world's population lives on the driest half of the planet?

- 35%
- 50%
- 85%
- 90%

8 How many hours a year, in total, do women in sub-Saharan Africa spend collecting water?

- 5,000
- 28,000
- 18 million
- 40 billion



9 How much of the Earth's water is available to drink?

- 2.5%
- 10%
- 50%
- 85%

10 Which of the following countries is in the world's top 3 for average rainfall?

- Papua New Guinea
- Bangladesh
- UK



Answers: 1: 70%, 2: 900, 3: 70%, 4: 8, 5: 663 million, 6: True, 7: 85%, 8: 40 billion, 9: 2.5%, 10: Papua New Guinea