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Now, I'm going down the Columbia River to the ocean.

Saving electricity means we won't need as many power plants, and that helps keep the environment clean and natural.
Saving electricity makes it easier to set water aside for salmon, so there will be more of me.

When I go through a dam on the river, I make electricity.
I'm Zippie, a watt of electricity. I come from the dam to work for you.

To get to you, I ride on power lines...

...to cities and your home...

...stay away from power lines.

Saving electricity gives us more choices on how to use me, the river's water.

Find and circle the words. They show some ways we use the river.

Sailing, irrigation, fish, boats, farm, barge, salmon, crops, trout, electricity, power.
Parents can help, too. What are these parents doing?

Help me get from this dam to your house.

Answer: They're insulating the attic to keep heat in the house.
I do many other good things on my way to the ocean.

I water crops.

Tugboats ride me up the river.

People swim on me.

And I live here! I'm Sam N.

Hot-water drips waste me. Turn taps off tightly!

And you'll save me, too!
TO SAVE ELECTRICITY, WHAT CAN I TURN OFF WHEN I LEAVE THIS ROOM?

SOMETIMES, THERE'S NOT ENOUGH OF ME FOR EVERYTHING.

ANSWER: TV, THREE LIGHTS.

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