

# Every Drop Counts

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23 Great Ways to Save Water!

Turn off the water while you are brushing your teeth and you will save about 25 gallons of water per month. (Frances)



Run your sprinklers early in the morning or at night. Make sure that you do not run them too long. (Ashlynn)



Do not flush your toilet more than necessary. Don't use it for a trashcan to get rid of bugs and stuff. (Bethany)



Don't overfill your swimming pool. (Brandon)



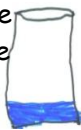
Fill up the sink with soapy water to wash dishes instead of letting the water run. (Anna)



If you pour yourself a glass of water or you have a water bottle, drink it. If you don't drink it, use it for something else instead of pouring it down the drain. (Sarah)



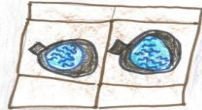
Recycle your water! If you have water left from an activity, use it for something else. (Dimitri)



Use an ice scraper instead of hot water to break ice off of your car. (Travis)



Only run the clothes washer and the dishwasher when they are completely full. (Nabilah)



Do not run the sprinklers or the hose under the trampoline just for fun. (Jake)



When taking a shower, use a bucket to catch water and use it to water plants. (Gracie)



If you pour yourself water and you can't finish it, put it in the fridge for later. (Kasy)



Use a bucket of soapy water to wash your car instead of leaving the hose running. (Adam)



Insulate hot water pipes for faster hot water at the faucet and for energy savings. (Sinead)



Turn the water off when you are soaping your hands to wash them. (Tierrah)



Reuse your towels instead of getting a new one every time to reduce the amount of water used washing clothes. (Sebastian)



Use a broom for cleaning your driveway instead of a hose. (Dylan)



After washing your car, pour the extra water on your grass. (Gary)



If you are going to take a bath, put the stopper in it while you are waiting for the water to warm up instead of letting the water go down the drain. Also, use only a little bit of water instead of filling it to the top. (Aiden)



Avoid toys that waste a lot of water. (Avery)



Take a short shower instead of a bath. If you shorten your shower by a minute or two, you will save between 150-200 gallons of water per month. (Nathan)



When cleaning out your fish tank, give the water to your plants. (Dasha)



When bathing pets, bathe them on an area of the lawn that needs water. Remember to fill up a bucket instead of letting the water run. (J.D.)

