



Water Saving Tips

Saving water will save you money on your water bills.

Small changes can make a big difference to the amount of water you use every day, so why not give it a try. Here are some really easy ways to be water wise in your homes.

- 💧 Remember to turn off the tap while brushing your teeth – a running tap wastes approximately 6 to 9 litres per minute.
- 💧 A minute less in the shower can save you up to £30 a year.
- 💧 Boil only what you need, by not overfilling the kettle, this will save not just water but energy too.
- 💧 Use a bucket and sponge to wash the car, not a water hosepipe.
- 💧 A bath typically uses around 80 litres, while a short shower can use as little as a third of that amount.
- 💧 Wait until you have a full load before using your washing machine or your dishwasher.
- 💧 Use a washing bowl, instead of letting the tap run for longer than it should – this can reduce wasted water by up to 50%.
- 💧 Check your property regularly for leaks on your internal plumbing.
- 💧 Drinking water; this is one area you should NOT cut back your usage, UK tap water is one of the best in the world. Enjoy it!

You can find more useful tips on how to save water from the Consumer Council for Water: <https://www.ccwater.org.uk/>



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