

# Discover the places where you can save water. That's the KEY to conservation!

*Label each of these tips on where you can conserve water. Write "H" for Home, "O" for Outside and "S" for School.*

  H        **Washing Clothes**

Conserve water by only washing full loads of laundry.

  H        **Washing Dishes**

Conserve water by only running the dishwasher when it's full or by running the faucet as little as possible when washing dishes by hand.

 H, S       **Flushing the Toilet**

Try "letting it mellow" and not flushing after urinating. It's an easy way to conserve because the toilet can be the biggest water user in the house.

  H        **Taking Showers**

Shower for only as long as necessary. An easy way to do this is to play music and keep the shower to the length of two songs.

 H, S       **Food and Cooking**

When food is thrown out, you're basically wasting the water it took to make it.

  O        **Watering the Lawn**

Water during the cooler parts of the day when water evaporates less quickly. Don't water on windy or rainy days. Consider Xeriscaping; it's a type of dry landscaping that doesn't need much water to look nice.

  O        **Washing the Car**

Use a spray nozzle that turns off easily and a bucket full of soapy water. Pull the car onto the lawn so that the excess water will go onto the grass instead of running down the gutter.

 H, S       **Running the Faucet**

Turn off the faucet while brushing your teeth. Don't let good water go down the drain.