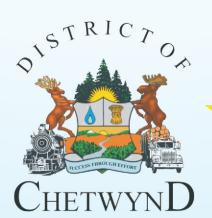
DISTRICT OF CHETWYND

WATER CONSERVATION PROGRAM



Hang this poster on the fridge or somewhere else in the house, then follow the tips below to help conserve water.





INDOOR WATER WISE TIPS



△ BATHROOM (35% of household use)

- Purchase and install low flow toilet, shower, and faucet fixtures.
- Reduce your shower to 5 minutes.
- Plug the bathtub before turning the water on, then adjust the temperature as the tub fills up.
- Turn off the water while you shave, brush your teeth, and wash your face.
- Turn faucets off tightly after each use.
- Check faucets and pipes for leaks.
- Check the toilet for leaks by putting a few drops of food coloring in the tank. Color in the bowl means that there is a leak.
- Place plastic bottles filled with sand in your toilet tank.



- When buying a new washing machine, choose the water and energy-efficient model.
- Run your washing machine only when you have a full load, or be sure to adjust the load size.

★ KITCHEN (5% of household use)

- Use garbage disposal sparingly it requires a lot of water to operate.
- When washing dishes by hand, don't let the water run while rinsing.
- Soak your pots and pans instead of letting the water run while you scrape them clean.
- Wash vegetables and fruit with a vegetable brush and a basin of water rather than under running water.
- Reuse water that vegetables are washed in for watering houseplants.
- Run your dishwasher only when it is full.
- Install flow restrictors and aerators in faucets.
- Keep a container of water in the fridge.
- Don't use running water to thaw food.





For more information, contact the District of Chetwynd at 401-4100



How Water-Wise are you?

For every tip you follow during the week, fill in one water drop below.

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