

WATER CONSERVATION CHALLENGE

It can be difficult to remember the different ways that we can save water at home everyday. To help, we created a list of activities that you can use to reduce your water footprint (how much water you use per day).

Review the items on the checklist below and try to complete as many water saving activities as you can to get the highest score.

Bathroom

- ☐ Check bathroom pipes, faucets and toilets for any leaks or dripping when water is turned off
- ☐ Check shower head for any leaks or dripping when water is turned off
- ☐ Turn off the water when brushing your teeth and washing your hands
- ☐ Shorten the length of your shower
- ☐ Don't use the toilet as a garbage can, only flush the 3 Ps (pee, poo and toilet paper)

Kitchen

- ☐ Fill the sink up with water to wash and rinse dishes, instead of letting the tap run
- ☐ If you use the dishwasher, only run it when there is a full load

Laundry

- ☐ Only run the washing machine when you have a full load
- ☐ If something is still clean, wear it again before washing it

Outside

- ☐ Water the lawn in the evening or early in the morning
- ☐ Check for leaks in your hose

If you think you have a leak around your home, visit watersmartpeel.ca to watch our videos on how to find and fix them.

Now add up how many checkmarks to see how well you save water!

1-3 = Good

4-7 = Very Good

8-11 = Excellent