

Let's get everyone on board...



People power

Let your teams know you're on a mission to save water. Share our posters, have an introductory chat, a suggestions box and increase awareness about using water wisely.



Appoint a meter champion!

Start monitoring your water usage. Pick a meter champion, ask them to read the meter weekly or monthly. A sharp increase may highlight a leak.



Spot it. Stop it.

Let your teams know how important it is to report leaks. Tell them who to report it to. Why not set water usage targets and encourage all staff members to get on board?



Let's save water together

These are just a few of the things you can do to save water.

Being more water efficient can help your business save money, help the environment and reduce your carbon footprint too.



Make saving water your business

It's everybody's job to save water. All businesses, no matter what size, can work with their staff to help reduce water usage and save on their bills.

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Step up to the mark in the bathroom

Employee bathrooms are one of the easiest areas to score some quick wins when it comes to saving water. Here are some suggestions.

Fit push taps

Turning off the taps stops costly constant drips. Consider fitting push or sensor taps to reduce water running to waste.



Minimise every flush

Older toilets can use up to 13 litres every flush. Installing a flushsaver device can save up to 1.2 litres per flush.



Super efficient showers

Installing aerating showerheads can reduce the flow by 50%, while timers encourage staff to take shorter showers.



Save whilst spending a penny

Uncontrolled urinals can waste 100's of litres of water per hour. Fit control devices or fit PIR sensors (passive infrared) to control flushing frequency.



Make a splash

Check all toilets for leaks as modern push button loos can leak due to sticking buttons or faulty valves and waste up to 250 litres an hour.



Start saving in the kitchen

Whatever your business, there's plenty of opportunities to reduce water usage in the kitchen. Here's a starter for ten.

Cool it

Store jugs of water in the fridge instead of running the tap, or use a water cooler.



Feed the dishwasher

Use a dishwasher or dip into a bowl of hot water to wash up. Don't leave taps running to wash individual mugs or plates.



Turn taps off

Don't leave taps running constantly for vegetable washing, rinsing or defrosting.



Spare the kettle

Don't overfill the kettle and only boil what you need.



Dial it up outdoors

Getting the team to think a little more about working wisely with water is half the battle, here's some fast fixes your team can put into action.

Hang-up the hosepipe & sprinklers

They can use more water in an hour than a family of four uses in a day. Fit trigger nozzles or try to limit usage.



Wheely clean

Dusty transport still does the job, so only clean vehicles when they really need it. Why not use recycled water?



Windows can wait

Look for opportunities to reduce window cleaning activities during the summer or recycle collected rainwater.



Water less

Choose shrubs that love dry conditions and try to water plants early morning and evening to reduce consumption.



Butts are best!

Collect rainwater and keep thirsty plants topped up for free with water butts.

