## Green Bathroom



Bathrooms are areas of high water consumption, which can easily be reduced with the right water conservation practices.





## Why this is important

- Many litres of freshwater are wasted everyday due to old habits developed in bathrooms.
- Reducing water consumption will help relieve stress on our river and wetland ecosystems.
- Everything that goes down the sink ultimately ends up in our waterways.
- Turning lights on and off DOES NOT use more energy than leaving the lights on.



## What you can do

- · Report water leaks immediately.
- Have shorter showers (recommended 4 minutes).
- Turn off water when brushing your teeth.
- Fill a sink with water for shaving instead of running the tap or shaving in the shower.
- If you need to shave or brush your teeth in the shower, turn off the water rather than leaving it running.
- Request water saving shower heads and taps.
- Purchase environmentally friendly bathroom products, including soaps and bath towels.
- Switch off lights and exhaust fans when there is no one in the bathroom or request automatic sensor lights.

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