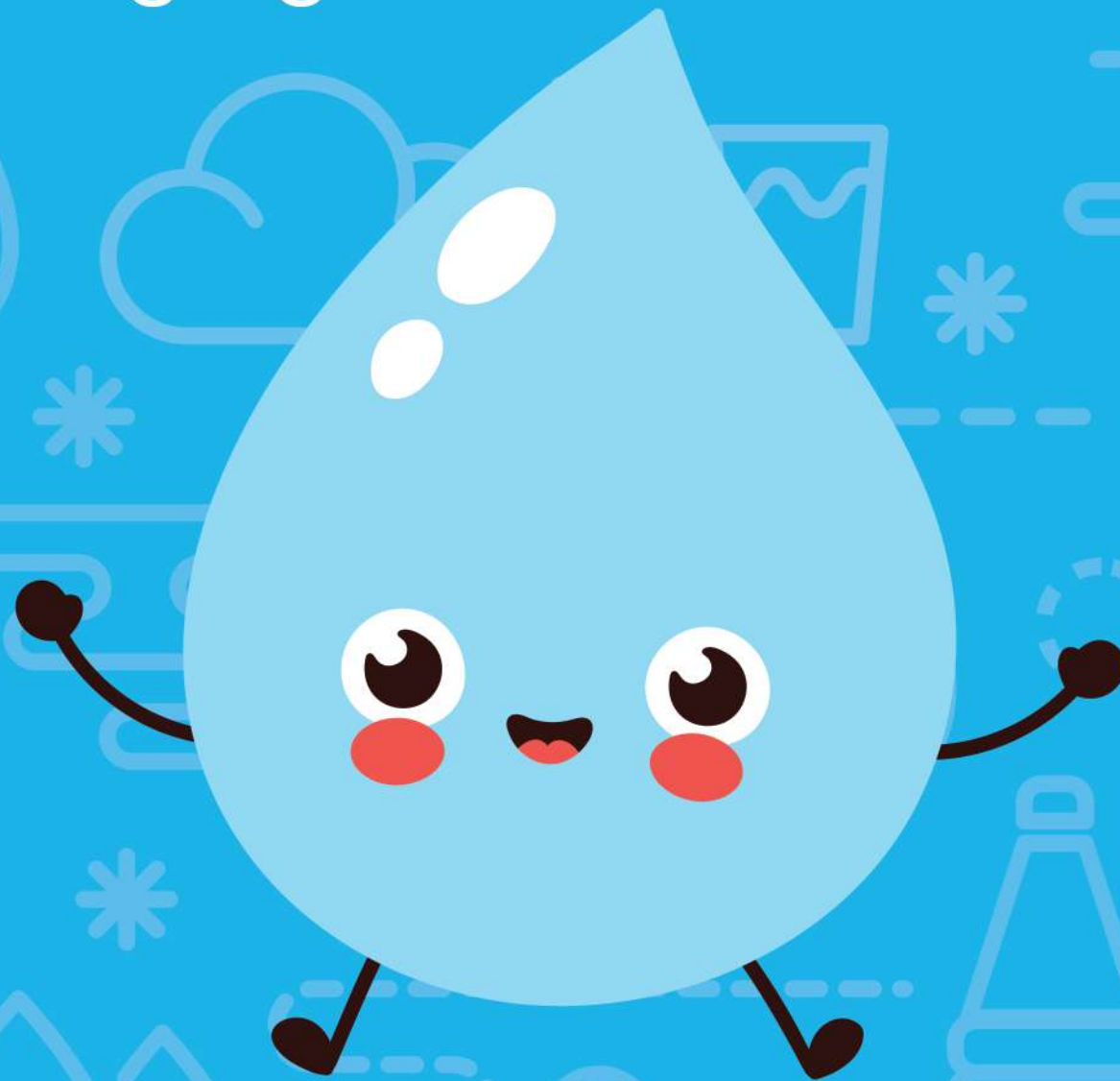


# WORLD WATER DAY

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# HOW MUCH WATER DO YOU BELIEVE YOU USE?

I think I use about \_\_\_\_ litres per day and about \_\_\_\_ litres per week.

Complete the following table to calculate the amount of water that you use:

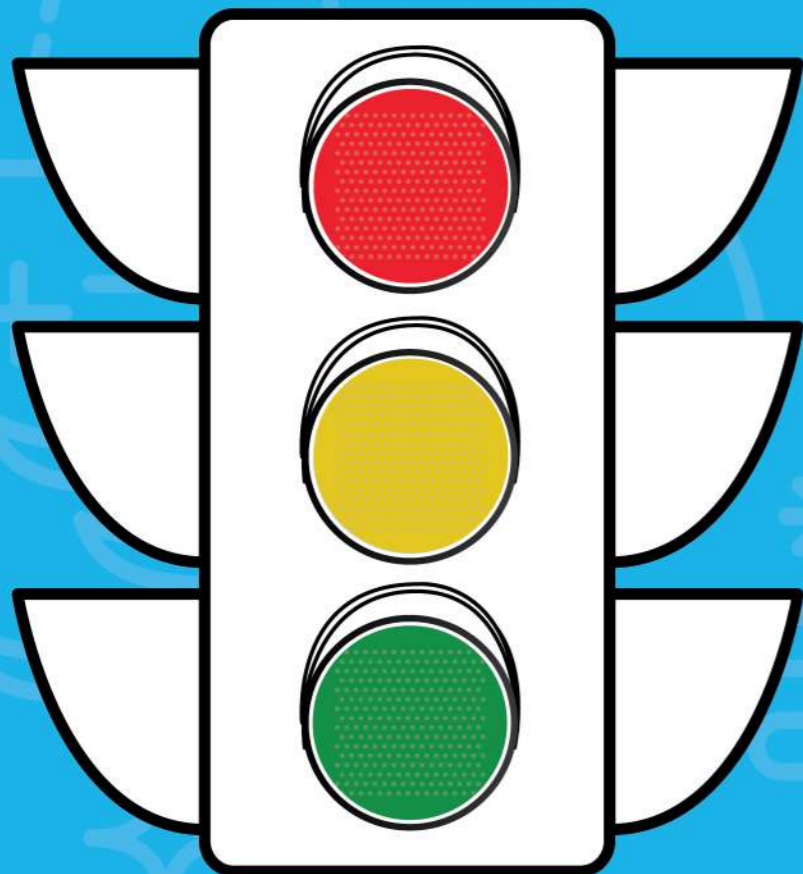
Activity:	Number of times per day:	Approximate amount of water used:	Total water used:	
			Litres per day:	Litres per week:
<b>Taking a:</b>				
-Full bath; OR		300 litres		
-Half a bath		150 litres		
<b>Showering for:</b>				
-5 minutes; OR		75 litres		
-10 minutes; OR		150 litres		
-15 minutes		225 litres		
Flushing toilet		10 litres		
Washing hands/ Brushing teeth (30 seconds)		3 litres		
<b>Totals:</b>				
<b>Multiply your weekly total by 52 to calculate your yearly water use:</b>				

How did your estimated daily and weekly water use compare to your actual water use totals?

Are you surprised by the results of this exercise?

What does this tell you about using water wisely?

## Are you Water Wise?



<b>RED</b> 157 litres and above per person per day.	<b>YOU ARE A WATER WASTER</b> You are <b>not</b> Water Wise. Please change your attitude towards how you use water, and learn how to become Water Wise.
<b>YELLOW</b> 131 – 156 litres per person per day.	<b>YOU ARE NOT VERY WATER WISE</b> Now and again you practise Water Wise ways, but there are times when you waste water. You need to improve on your Water Wise habits.
<b>GREEN</b> 130 litres and below per person per day.	<b>YOU ARE WATER WISE</b> You value water and treat it with respect. You don't waste water as you know that water is life, and it is very special to all life on Earth. Remember to continue being Water Wise.

(Based on Rand Water's Water Use Efficiency Model)

This activity was taken from The Flufftail Festival Learner Activity Booklet.

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