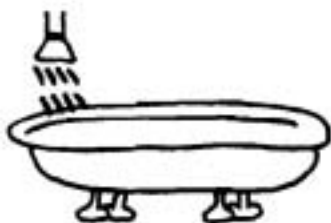


Activity: Record how much water you use for a week. Use the information to answer the questions on the other side.

Make a checkmark every time you do each activity.

Weekly Totals



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	<i>How many showers did you take? _____</i> <i>How long are your showers? _____ minutes</i> <i>How many baths? _____</i>

A non-water-saving showerhead uses 5.5 gallons a minute; conserving showerheads use only 2.5 gallons a minute. A full tub takes 36 gallons.



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	<i>How many times did you flush the toilet?</i> _____

Most toilets use 5 gallons a flush. Water-saving toilets, called ultra-low flow toilets, use only 1.6 gallons a flush.



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	<i>How many times did you brush your teeth?</i> _____

Brushing your teeth with the water running uses about 6 gallons. Turning the water off when you're not rinsing consumes less than half a gallon.



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	<i>How many times did you wash your hands or face?</i> _____

Washing your hands or face with the water running uses about 3 gallons. Turning the water off saves about 1 gallon, so it only takes 2 gallons each time.



SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT	<i>How many times did you do the dishes?</i> _____

Washing dishes with the water running uses about 20 gallons in 5 minutes. Filling the sink or using a dishpan only takes 5 gallons.