

Tenant Fact Sheet - Water Saving Tips

Knowing how most of us use water in the home can help us identify where and how to save water. By making a few small changes, you'll not only reduce your water use, but you can also save energy and money on your water bills too. There are many easy ways you can make a difference and use water more efficiently inside and outside the home.



Not all leaks are easy to find, especially if they're hidden in the walls of your house or underground in your retic pipes. If you don't find and fix them, you could be wasting up to 10,000L per year! Multiple leaks could be wasting even more water, so make sure you contact MRAC straight away if you suspect a water leak.



Keep showers short and sweet!

Cutting your shower time by just 2 minutes can save up to 30% water. Try using a shower timer or your favourite 4-minute song to time your showers.



Wash clothes more efficiently!

Pile up your dirty clothes until you have a full load to reduce your water usage. Cutting back on your washing by just one load a week will save up to 50L.



Turn off the tap while you brush!

Every minute you leave the tap running wastes up to 10L of water.



Water when it matters!

Sticking to your watering days and only watering once on those days is enough. Before 9am is best as it allows the water to soak into the plant's roots and be available throughout the day.