

EVERY DROP COUNTS!

Water Conservation Tips



Don't leave water running needlessly.

Take shorter showers.

Turn off the water while brushing your teeth.



Check your pipes for leaks.

When washing dishes by hand, don't leave the water running for rinsing.

Check your toilet for leaks.

Install a displacement device in your toilet (such as a plastic bottle containing stones) to cut down on the amount of water needed for each flush.



Water plants during the early part of the day and avoid watering when it's windy. Early and later watering reduce water loss to evaporation.



Use a watering can instead of a hose to water plants.

Collect rainwater to complement your main water supply.



There are a number of ways to save water and they all start with you.



Global Water Partnership-Caribbean (GWP-C) is a regional network with a vision for a water secure Caribbean.

GWP-C works to support Caribbean countries in the sustainable management of their water resources and is committed to fostering the implementation of Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM) at the community, national and regional level.

WHAT IS IWRM?

Integrated Water Resources Management (IWRM) is the coordinated development and management of water, land and related resources by maximising economic and social welfare without compromising the sustainability of ecosystems and the environment.

IWRM IS ABOUT:

- Managing water resources at the lowest possible level.
- Managing the demand for water and optimising supply.
- Providing equitable access to water resources.
- Establishing policies to help manage water resources.
- Engaging all sectors of the economy in the IWRM process.

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