

Have you enjoyed learning all about watering your garden? Share these fun facts with your friends and family!

HOW TO BE A WATER HERO

These are **some clever ways** we can all be water wise

DID YOU KNOW?

The watering can was invented in 1886 - that's over 130 years ago!



Water your plants to help them grow

- Aim your watering can near the roots of plants - it means less water goes to waste!
- Water plants in the morning or evening

Save water - every drop counts!

- Turn off the tap while brushing your teeth and use a cup of water instead
- Take shorter showers when you can

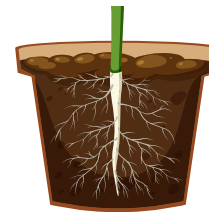


Collect rainwater, it's like a special gift from the sky

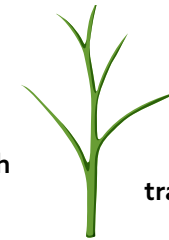
- Place buckets or containers outside when it rains
- Recycle this rainwater by watering plants in your garden or home

THE WATER CYCLE AND PLANTS

Find out about the **wonderful journey of water**



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Plants drink water up through their roots



2
The water travels up through their stems

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The cycle begins all over again!



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The water that plants don't drink goes back into the ground, or flows into rivers, lakes, and oceans



DID YOU KNOW?

All living things need water to survive



3
Once the water reaches their leaves, plants breathe it out into the air



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Water droplets then become clouds in the sky



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Clouds get bigger and bigger - and then it starts to rain!