

# INSIGHT

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## *5 Tips to Save Water at Home*

At this time we are spending most of our day in the house. It is safe to say that we will be doing this for a while from now.

During a crisis like this, it is best to save your resources at home for a rainy day, especially water, the source of life. There are many benefits to water conservation, other than saving money, like minimizing water shortages, to preserve the environment, to prepare for droughts, and many more!

Here are 5 easy ways to save water at home:

1. Turn off water when not in use - such as during hand wash or brushing, save up to 25 gallons per month
2. Shorten bath time - use a shower if possible to save over 60% of water
3. Repair pipe leaks - leakage could lead to 15 litres of water loss per day
4. Efficient washing - when possible, do your laundry at least every two days or when they start piling
5. Make use of rainwater - collect and use it to water the plants, wash the car etc

At times like this, we are all working together to strive for a better living situation, which means that we should also help better the environment for our own good.

Save the environment to save our future!

## **FUN FACTS ABOUT WATER:**

- Up to 60% of the human body is made up of water
- Less than 1% of the Earth's water can be used to drink
- Water regulates the Earth's temperature
- Ice is lighter than water, which is why it floats in water
- A person can live only about a week without water
- NASA discovered water in the form of ice on the moon

**Yours trully,**

the community editor