



CCSD IS CONSERVING WATER!

During our recent drought, CCSD achieved a reduction in water consumption of 23%, more than twice the amount of the State requirement of 10%!

Current Initiatives to Save Water

1. Replace toilets w/low flow devices
2. Strictly control irrigation systems
3. Increase installation of low flow faucets, urinals and sinks
4. Install wells for high volume users
5. Reduction on athletic fields due to artificial turf installation
6. Review billing statements for anomalies
7. Investigate & report on adverse trends

HOW YOU CAN HELP!

1. Do not leaving the tap running for a long time while you are washing your hands.
2. Turn off taps when you have finished using them.
3. Report leaks.
4. Report faucets that do not have aerators*.
5. Wash paint brushes in a bucket or ice cream container
6. Nominate classroom water monitors to check for leaks and dripping faucets.
7. Design signs to go near sinks and toilets that tell everyone at school how they can save water.

*What is an aerator?

Aerators reduce the water coming through the faucets by mixing it with air. The aerator acts as a sieve, sending a separating a single flow of water into many tiny streams. This introduces the air into the water flow. Because there is less space for the water to flow through, the water flow is reduced. However, the water pressure is maintained, which is why most people don't notice a difference in the amount of water coming out of an aerated faucet. Since the water is somewhat compacted by an aerator, it may even increase the water pressure in a faucet while, at the same time, reducing water use.



**AERATORS SAVE
WATER**



WITH AERATOR



NO AERATOR