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WATER WISE WATER WAYS

DIRECTIONS. Complete the following worksheet.

You know that water is important to human life. If humans are to live on Mars, water will have to be a part of the colony. How important is the water? List all the ways you have used water so far today.

Now stretch your brain and list the ways that you used water last weekend. Pretty big list, huh?

Now comes the tough part. Keep a water journal (on the back of this worksheet) for today. Write down every time you use water. Guess about how much you use and what you used it for. Toilets vary, but they usually take about two gallons to flush. If you plan to take a bath or shower, be prepared to measure your water! (Have an adult help you estimate.) Good luck!

When you have all your data, be prepared to advise your commander on how much water a colonist should be allowed each day.