

**Directions:** 1. Find a small marker for each player. Place on Start.  
2. Flip a coin. Heads advance two; tails advance one.

**Start**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

**16**

Use native plants in your garden; learned this in your kindergarten.

**15**

Check the toilet; stop the leaks, and save water for many weeks. Move ahead 2.

**14**

Sweep your driveway to make it clean. Saving water, what a dream!

**17**

When you brush you let it run; wasting water isn't fun. Lose a turn.

**18**

Plug your bathtub from the start. Adjust the temperature; it's smart. Move ahead 1.

**19**

Saving water you can't escape with a drought resistant landscape.

**20**

Use full loads when you wash dishes; this is what your Mama wishes.

**21**

Throw leaves and clippings in the creek. Makes the future for it bleak! Go back 2.

**22**

Mulch around a plant helps save it; water, we can't afford to waste it. Move ahead 1.

**23**

Help clean your creek once a year; it's always fun to volunteer!

**24**

Turn your downspouts to your yard; clean gutters yearly; it's not hard.

**25**

Water lawns on a windy day. Use more water so you'll pay! Go back 2.

**26**

**Congratulations you deserve!**  
Now it's time to conserve!

**12**

Refrigerate water in a pitcher; don't run the tap; you won't get richer.

**11**

Low-flow shower head you install, saving water (2.5 gallons per minute) for us all. Move ahead 2.

**10**

Fix leaky taps right away; you'll save water every day!

**9**

Water slides are so cool; wasting water is the rule! Lose a turn!

**3**

Water early (before 10 a.m.) not real late, so it won't evaporate.

**2**

Forgot your sprinklers so they run, wasting water by the ton! Lose a turn.

**1**

Five-minute shower is what you do, saving water; move ahead 2!

**4**

Take short showers (12-25 gallons), not a bath (70 gallons); it saves water; do the math! Move ahead 1.

**5**

Use a car wash that recycles; saving water is no trifle.

**6**

Water-Wise House Call, it's time to do; you sign up; move ahead 2.

**7**

Washing clothes is such a pain. Big loads or small, it's all the same. Go back 2.

**8**

Scrape food from all your dishes; saving water helps the fishes.

# Conservation Contest

**Call 800-548-1882  
For A FREE  
Water-Wise  
House Call**

**Santa Clara Valley Water District**



[www.valleywater.org](http://www.valleywater.org)

Dear Parent/Guardian,



**Call Today for a FREE Water-Wise House Call  
800-548-1882**

Are you interested in saving water, energy and money? The Santa Clara Valley Water District provides FREE Water-Wise House Calls to help manage water use inside and out of your home more efficiently. A typical participating household can reduce its average water consumption by more than 30 gallons per day.

A trained surveyor will perform the following:

- Check shower for leaks and install FREE water-efficient showerheads, if needed.
- Measure faucet flow rates and install water-efficient faucet aerators, if needed.
- Check toilet flapper for valve leaks and replace, if needed and requested. Leaking flappers have been found to waste more water than most other indoor leaks.
- Evaluate the efficiency of your irrigation system and provide site-specific recommendations to improve the system's efficiency, including an annual irrigation schedule for your landscape.
- Offer additional interior and landscape water conservation tips and inform you of other Santa Clara Valley Water District rebate and assistance programs for which you may be eligible.

The typical Water-Wise House Call takes about one hour and is available on Saturdays as well as on weekdays and evenings during daylight hours. Households may only participate in this program once every three years. Please take advantage of this FREE program by calling (800) 548-1882 to schedule a Water-Wise House Call.

If you are a San Jose Water Co. customer, please call (408) 279-7900 to schedule an appointment.

The Santa Clara Valley Water District has several rebate programs to assist you in using water wisely. For more information visit our Web site at [www.valleywater.org/Water/Water\\_conservation](http://www.valleywater.org/Water/Water_conservation).

Sincerely,

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