



## EPA WaterSense Website Spotlight

In the fall of 2023, Arizona Water Company became an EPA WaterSense Promotional Partner to provide our customers with additional resources to help save water. This program is special because it has unique educational materials for kids and adults, among other useful resources. Historically, many educational tools have been geared toward adults, but WaterSense has designed special educational materials to [get kids involved](#). On the WaterSense [website](#), there are tons of fun games such as leak detection worksheets, puzzles, coloring books, word searches, and various internet games. Furthermore, there are classroom worksheets that teachers can incorporate into their curriculum. This way kids at home or students in the classroom can have fun while learning about the importance of being water-wise! Fostering a culture of conservation for the next generation is an important step to becoming a more water-efficient society.

**Be a Detective for Earth Day!**

**Word Search**  
Find the water-saving words listed below.

ERWSECEPUMRTSVA  
LPWOHZXJCYEHNOX  
EMACPQKGYHCOELUN  
IPECKAEUWDWHTZ  
IVAVSICYAERLYBEU  
LWRRRCDFRATQCLWM  
BNTACONGSKAATIO  
USHFFSQAYXTPXDO  
VSBRRUSHKLEGVHTYR  
VSRAWHPPERFAVSIH  
REHSAWHSIDSNCAT  
EEXCVPLQWBISOA  
WJQIEULQXUECB  
QTHUODQUVHSXBPK  
EBMUNXNRSXBFURC

bathroom brush dishwasher  
earth faucet garden  
shower leak scrape  
water tap toilet  
Bonus word: landscape

**Find the Differences**  
Circle 10 things that have changed between the top house and the bottom house.

While the WaterSense website has plenty of resources for kids, it also has plenty of resources for adults. Adults can find great resources on the website, such as their WaterSense labeled products [search bar](#). Are you looking to upgrade your home, and want efficient and reliable water-using products? The search tool allows the user to find high-quality, independently tested, and verified water-use devices such as toilets and smart irrigation controllers. If you are looking to upgrade your landscaping through design, watering schedule, or plant selection, there is a list of [certified irrigation professionals](#) on their website. In Arizona, outdoor water usage can account for about 70% of residential water usage. Oftentimes, this number can be reduced greatly through the proper watering techniques used by these certified professionals.

Ever heard of [WaterSense-labeled homes](#)? These homes are verified as being at least 30% more efficient than typical new construction by having better hot water circulation, water and energy-efficient plumbing and appliances, and mindful, well-designed landscaping. Looking for a new home, while wanting to be water efficient? Look to see if a home has been WaterSense certified. The homes go through third-party testing and have rigorous requirements to earn the WaterSense certification. These are just a few of the awesome resources located on the website. Check out the WaterSense website to see all the unique resources available!

Interested in learning more about what Arizona Water Company does to conserve water? Visit our website [here](https://www.azwater.com/conservation) (<https://www.azwater.com/conservation>), or contact us at [savewater@azwater.com](mailto:savewater@azwater.com) to gain insight into the numerous conservation programs that have been launched in collaboration with the communities we serve.