

## Water Wise Quiz Answers

- If the world was totally flat and the oceans distributed evenly over the surface how deep would the water be at every point?  
A) 2mm  
B) 2cm  
C) 2 meters  
D) **2 miles**
- How much of the earth's surface is covered in water?  
A) 50%  
B) 60%  
C) **70%**  
D) 80%
- How much of that water is drinkable?  
A) 100%  
B) 78%  
C) 22%  
D) **3%**
- How much does a litre of water weigh?  
A)  $\frac{1}{2}$  kilogram  
B) **1 kilogram**  
C) 2 kilograms  
D) 3 kilograms
- The human body is made up of how much water?  
A) **two thirds**  $\frac{2}{3}$   
B) one half  $\frac{1}{2}$   
C) one third  $\frac{1}{3}$   
D) one quarter  $\frac{1}{4}$
- How long can people survive without water?  
A) Less than a day  
B) **Less than a week**  
C) Two weeks  
D) One Month
- How much new water is being created on earth each day??  
A) **None**  
B) 200 litres  
C) 2000 litres  
D) 2 million litres
- How long can a rat tread water?  
A) 3 weeks  
B) **3 days**  
C) 3 hours  
D) 3 minutes
- How much sea pollution comes from sources on land?  
A) 12%  
B) 43%  
C) 65%  
D) **77%**
- How much water are people in Britain using today compared with 30 years ago?  
A) The same  
B) 15% more  
C) 30% more  
D) **70% more**
- How much water does an average person use each day in the North East?  
A) 50 litres  
B) 100 litres  
C) **150 litres**  
D) 200 litres
- How much is the average household bill for water and sewerage services per day?  
A) £5.20  
B) £2.60  
C) £1.30  
D) **£0.65**
- How much water do you use on average every time you take a bath?  
A) 20 litres  
B) 40 litres  
C) **80 litres**  
D) 100 litres
- How much water do you use on average every time you take a shower?  
A) 15 litres  
B) **35 litres**  
C) 70 litres  
D) 100 litres
- How much water could a family save in a year if they took showers instead of baths?  
A) **45,000 litres**  
B) 4500 litres  
C) 450 litres  
D) 45 litres
- How long can an ant survive under water?  
A) **2 weeks**  
B) 2 days  
C) 2 hours  
D) 2 minutes
- How much water runs to waste if you leave the tap running when you brush your teeth?  
A) 0.5 litres  
B) 1 litres  
C) 5 litres  
D) **15 litres**
- On average how much water does a person in the developing world get per day - if they are lucky?  
A) **10 litres**  
B) 50 litres  
C) 75 litres  
D) 100 litres
- In one day you flush more water down the toilet than some people in the developing world get in...?  
A) 1 day  
B) **1 week**  
C) 2 days  
D) 2 weeks
- How many glasses of water should an adult drink everyday?  
A) 2  
B) 100  
C) **8**  
D) 16
- When should you drink more water?  
A) When it's hot  
B) When you are exercising  
C) When you are playing games  
D) **At all of these times**

22. What is a 'Save a Flush' Bag??

- A) A trendy carrier bag
- B) Something you put in the toilet cistern to save water
- C) A pouch to contain drinking water while hunting
- D) A vessel for carrying water in the developing world

23. What have you learned?

- A) Water is vital to life
- B) We use a lot of water
- C) There is no new water being made
- D) Water is too precious to waste