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Title: Water is precious.

Water is very precious to us. However, children nowadays waste a lot of water. They keep the tap running when they are brushing their teeth, play with water, etc. They are very wrong to do these actions just for fun or convenience. ^{Instead,} They should stop wasting water and use less water.

Water should not be wasted because it is precious to us. We are very lucky to have clean water to use. However, ^{poor places like} children in Africa don't have clean water. Many of them ~~also~~ die of ^{water} thirst. If we save water, we can save many lives. Besides, ^{it} is very useful in our daily lives. We have to use water for cooking food, drinking, washing the dishes, have a shower, etc. If we waste water, we may not have enough water. Moreover, if we save water, we will still have enough water to use when there are draughts. That is why we shouldn't waste water.

There are many ways to save water. ^{At home,} we can take quick showers instead of baths, use a cup to hold water when brushing our teeth, reuse ^{rice} water to water plants ^{, etc}. At school, we can share water when drawing water colour, do not play with water in the toilet for fun ^{or parks}, etc. In swimming pools, don't play with water guns. When buying bottled water P.1

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from vending machines, don't throw it away if you haven't finished the ^{all} water. These ways to save water are easy and simple to do in our daily lives, so we should follow them.

Water is useful and precious to us. If we all do something to save water in our daily lives, I'm sure we can save a lot of water.