



## ABC's of H<sub>2</sub>O

A	is for Aqueduct	a man made canal used to carry water from one place to another.
B	is for Brushing	remember to turn the faucet off when brushing your teeth.
C	is for Colorado	an aqueduct that delivers water to Southern River California.
D	is for Drought	a long period of time with little or no rainfall.
E	is for Electricity	water produces energy to make electricity.
F	is for Filtration	filtration plants are where dirty water is cleaned and purified.
G	is for Gallon	a gallon of water equals 4 quarts or 128 fluid ounces.
H	is for Hydrogen	water is made up of 2 parts hydrogen and 1 part oxygen.
I	is for Irrigation	a method farmers use to water their crops.
J	is for Jellyfish	a transparent sea creature that is 95% water.
K	is for Kids	we love water-wise kids!
L	is for Los Angeles	an aqueduct that is the major source of water for the city of Los Angeles.

*ABC's of H2O (cont.)*

M	is for Millions	nearly 18 million people use water in Southern California.
N	is for Never	NEVER changes...it always remains the same.
O	is for Ocean	the Pacific Ocean is the largest ocean in the world.
P	is for Precipitation	the water which falls to the earth as rain, snow, sleet, or hail.
Q	is for Quality	water quality means water that is safe to drink.
R	is for Reservoir	a place where water is stored for future use.
S	is for Shower	take short showers to save water.
T	is for Transpiration	the evaporation of water through the leaves of plants.
U	is for Underground	groundwater is water that is stored Underground.
V	is for Vapor	water in the form of gas.
W	is for Water Cycle	the continuous natural cycle of water in the environment
X	is for Xeriscape	a garden or landscape using water-saving plants.
Y	is for YOU	YOU must teach others the importance of saving water.
Z	is for Zanjias	ditches that carried water to Los Angeles over 200 years ago.