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## Water and Sanitation Facts, 2023

## Did you know?



Half of the world's hospital beds are occupied by people sick from waterborne diseases.


411 million school days are missed each year due to water-related illnesses.


Women and girls waste 40 billion hours hauling water each year in sub-Saharan Africa.

Americans living without running water in the Navajo Nation use an $7 \begin{aligned} & \text { average of } \\ & \text { gallons of }\end{aligned}$ water a day.

A two-minute shower uses
5 gallons of water.

A standard washing machine uses
20 gallons perload.


It takes $\mathbf{6 6 0}$ gallons of water to make a hamburger!


It takes 1,800 gallons of water to make one pair of jeans.

## Ways you can

## conserve

 water:\#1 Turn off the tap while brushing your teeth.
\#2 Turn off the shower while soaping up.
\#3 Use the dishwasher instead of washing by hand.
\#4 Thrift water-thirsty clothing items like jeans and t-shirts.

