

## Water saving features



### What are they?

Aerated tap and shower fittings are simple features that reduce the volume of water passing through a tap or shower without compromising water pressure. They do this by introduce a flow of air into the water stream.

### Why are they important?

The average daily water consumption of a person in Surrey is about 170 litres. This is nearly 15% higher than the national average. This level of consumption is similar across the rest of the South and as a result water is in short supply. However, a modest 20% reduction in domestic water consumption should be enough to secure supply for the next 20 years at least.

### What's the benefit?

You can reduce your water bill by around £50 a year if you install both tap and shower fittings. Your environmental impact will also be reduced and you can shower with a clean conscious!

Reducing the flow through your showerhead from 8 litres to 12 litres can save 20,000 litres of hot water a year – saving money, water and CO<sub>2</sub>!

### At a glance

Annual Savings from installing aerated tap and shower fittings

Around £50

Around 150kg CO<sub>2</sub>

Costs from £5 (£19.99 for an aerated showerhead)

It should be noted that aerated tap and shower fittings are more suited to mains pressure plumbing systems



### Step 1 – Water Saving Features