



2020 Cub Scout Backyard Challenge



Conservation at Home

Category: Nature

Difficulty: Advanced

Description:

Things you can do to help conserve natural resources:

- Ditch the Television and Pick Up a Book. Not only do you save energy, but you build your brain
- Shorter Showers. Saving water helps lower bills as well as help the water reserves from drying up
- Keep the Doors Closed. Keep the cool air in and the bugs out!
- Use the Sun to Dry Wet Clothes. Not only is the sun's heat free, but sheets hung on clothes lines make great forts
- Bake Efficiently. Choose to bake in the early part of the day or later to keep your home cool and less stress on the electricity grid
- Utilize Natural Light. Rise with the sun, open those shades and fill your house with the outside light
- Adopt an Open/Close Fridge Rule. Know what you want before you open the fridge... and yes the light does go out when you close the door
- Recycle. Plastics, newspaper, cardboard and bottles can be recycled. Collect aluminum cans and turn them into cash for a new bike.
- Turning off Switches. Snitches of switches get riches!

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