

# Water Wizards

## "HOME BREW"

### WATER YOU KNOW

#### WATER WIZARD:

You learned a valuable lesson about water today. Share what you learned with your parents. Do you remember talking about these things?

1. Why water is important.
2. Your body is 75 percent water
3. Plants drink water through roots.
4. The many ways we use clean water every day.
5. How much of the water on earth is drinkable.

#### MORE WIZARD THINGS TO KNOW!

1. Name ten ways you and your family use clean water at home.
2. Find out where your water comes from.
3. Water comes out of the faucet very fast. The water wasted while you wait to get a cold drink could fill three gallon milk jugs.
4. If you leave water running while you brush your teeth, you can waste enough water to fill five gallon milk jugs.

#### WATER WIZARD WAYS TO SAVE THE EARTH!

1. If you like cold water to drink, keep a jar in the refrigerator instead of letting water run.
2. When you brush your teeth, just wet your brush and then turn off the water. Turn it on again when you need to rinse.
3. Think of other ways you can save water!

Easy, right? Not only will you save water, but you will also save the electricity it takes to run the pump to pump the water. Be sure to tell your family what you have discovered so they can be Water Wizards too!

#### DO YOU CARE ENOUGH?

The Clinch, Powell and Holston Rivers flow out of the rugged mountains of southwest Virginia into Tennessee. In Tennessee, all or portions of Claiborne, Grainger, Hancock, Hawkins, and Union Counties drain into these rivers, the Clinch and the Powell feed into Norris reservoir, which was the first dam in the great Tennessee Valley system.