***Questions***

**Water Scarcity: -**

**Question: Water Scarcity is a growing problem in Egypt?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: The government has limited how much water can be produced by water companies. As our nation’s population keeps growing, we have to find new ways to conserve water**

**Dripping Tap: -**

**Question: A dripping tap can waste more than 5,500 liters of water per year?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: It might not seem like much, but those tiny drops from your taps can add up a lot of wasted water. On top of that the annoying dripping sound could be extremely distracting when you’re trying concentrate or get to sleep.**

**Short Showers: -**

**Question: Knocking a minute off your shower time will save about 10 liters each time and will also cut your energy bills?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: It’s nice to be clean, but that should be easy enough to achieve in under 4 minutes. Get a shower timer to time how long you spend in the shower and figure out ways to help you reduce the times.**

**Saving on the Dishes: -**

**Question: Keeping the tap running while rinsing dishes uses much more water than using a washing up bowl?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: Leaving a tap running wastes 6 liters of water per minute. To reduce waste, wash your dishes in a sink or washing up bowl filled with water. If you need to rinse anything, try to only use cold water and don’t leave the tap running in between items.**

**Daily Usage: -**

**Question: Most people know how many liters of water they use daily?**

**It’s False**

**Explanation: Most people underestimate their usage. Through water usage varies greatly across Egypt, on average, households consume about 150 liters of water per person, per day. That is about 634 cups of coffee.**

**Watering every day: -**

**Question: When it’s hot, you need to water your garden every day?**

**It’s False**

**Explanation: In dry periods, it’s not necessary to water your garden daily. It’s better to water it once a week it once a week for a longer period of time. Preferably during the morning.**

**Saving while Brushing: -**

**Question: Turning the tap off when brushing your teeth is an easy win towards being waterwise?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: A running tap uses around 6 liters of water per minute. The key to being waterwise is about reducing waste, and not about lifestyle changes.**

**Precious Rain: -**

**Question: Installing a water butt to collect water for your garden will collect 1,000 liters per year at most?**

**It’s False**

**Explanation: Over 21,000 liters fall on the roof of the average Egypt home, if you install a water butt you could save up to 5,000 litters a year and use this on your garden.**

**Car wash: -**

**Question: It’s better to wash your car in a car wash than to wash it at home?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: A car wash often recycles its water. Additionally, they keep waste water from contaminating ground water.**

**Leaky Toilets: -**

**Question: A leaking toilet can waste up to 400 liters of water per day?**

**It’s True**

**Explanation: Leaks can account for up 12% of water use in some homes. Toilets are often the main culprit for these leaks wasting up to 400 liters of water per day.**

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