

Directions to assemble the Water Catcher

1. Cut these directions off the page along the scissor line below.
2. Place square on flat surface with the writing down and fold each corner to the center.
3. Turn over and fold each corner again to the center and crease all folds.
4. Fold square in half to make a rectangle-not triangle-and crease fold line.
5. Fold square in half the other way to make a rectangle, crease fold line, open up last two folds.
6. Place three fingers and thumb under "Water Catcher" flaps making 4 cones, close sides together.

To Play the game (two people required)

1. First person holds the Water Catcher and asks the other person to choose a word on a flap - spell the word while moving the catcher in each direction, have them pick a number from the numbers showing; count the number out.
2. Open the Catcher; choose one of the four numbers showing-ask the question for the number picked and ask the person to guess the answer. Open the flap for the answer. **For information: www.azwater.gov /Conservation**

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1
When you see drops on plant labels in nurseries, are they high or low water use plants?
Drops from 1-3 indicate low water use plants

2
How does grouping plants in your yard by water use save water?
You can irrigate efficiently because they all need the same number of days between watering

3
Do all plants need the same amount of water?
No. Depending on where the plants come from they may need more water than if they come from a similar dry climate like our Sonoran desert.

4
What is Xeriscaping?
A way to plan your landscape to save water

Used

8
Do you think plant labels with buckets of water on them instead of drops, use more or less water?
Bucket plants use more water since they are oasis plants and are from areas of the country or world with higher annual rainfall.

9
In the Drop Your Water program how do plants get a number label?
ADWR has a low-water-use plant list, each plant is ranked 1-3, all are low, with one being the lowest. Those numbers correspond to the water drops on the nursery labels.

Water

5
Use of low-water-use plants, mulches, reduced grass, irrigation is called?
Xeriscaping

6
Why should you water trees separately from shrubs?
trees have deeper roots, therefore they need deep, and less frequent irrigation than shrubs.