

# Early Stage One

### **SCIENCE**

STe 1WS- 1 observes, questions and collects data to communicate ideas

- responding to questions about water in the environment
- organising water cycle puzzle
- using role play to share observations and idea on how to conserve water

STe-3LW-ST explores the characteristics, needs and uses of living things

· describe what plants and animals, including humans, need to stay alive and healthy, e.g. water

STe-6ES-S identifies how daily and seasonal changes in the environment affect humans and other living things

- identify daily and seasonal changes that occur in our environment, e.g. rain, snow or frost
- explore how living things respond to regular changes in their environment e.g. changes in human behaviour due to water
- · observe, ask questions about and describe changes in objects and events e.g. water cycle

#### HSIE

GEe-1 - identifies places and develops an understanding of the importance of places to people

 demonstrates ways in which they can care for water at their home, classroom, school and local community

### **CREATIVE ARTS**

DRAES1.1 uses imagination and the elements of drama in imaginative play and dramatic situations.

• use dramatic play to demonstrate ways in which people waste water

DRAES1.3 Dramatises personal experiences using movement, space and objects

• communicates the depiction of real-life situations involving water using props

DRAES1.4 responds to dramatic experiences

• responds in personal ways to their dramas, e.g. discussing the actions that should have been taken in regard to water usage

## Stage One

#### **SCIENCE**

ST1 2D-T uses materials, tools and equipment to develop solutions for a need or opportunity

 explore ways that products may be designed and made to conserve water as a resource. e.g. rainwater tanks

Students produce solutions to conserve water by:

- suggesting simple steps for saving water
- using a range of everyday tools, equipment, materials and techniques
- working cooperatively and safely







ST1-10ES recognises observable changes occurring in the sky and on the land and identifies Earth's resources

- record the observable changes that occur in the sky and on the land
- identify and explore the use of a variety of Earth's resources including water
- share their observations and ideas about the ways that water is used by people in their daily lives
- plan and implement strategies considering conservation of resources to address sustainability and to meet personal and/or community needs

#### **ENGLISH**

EN1 1A communicates with a range of people in informal and guided activities demonstrating interaction skills and considers how own communication is adjusted in different situations

• use role-play and drama to represent familiar events e.g. washing the dog, washing the car, having a shower etc.

EN1-10C thinks imaginatively and creatively about familiar topics, ideas and texts when responding to and composing texts

• use creative and imaginative features in role-play and drama

#### HSIE

GE1-1 describes features of places and the connections people have with places

GE1-2 identifies ways in which people interact with and care for places

- identifies ways in which people's interactions with the environment can change that environment, e.g. water loss
- identify wise and unwise uses for water
- suggests ways of caring our environments to which they can contribute

#### **CREATIVE ARTS**

DRAS1.1 takes on roles in drama to explore familiar and imagined situations.

• create roles and situations adapted from their everyday experience

DRAS1.3 interacts collaboratively to communicate the action of the drama with others.

- incorporate props and costumes to communicate role, situation and place.
- shares their drama making with others

DRAS1.4 appreciates dramatic work during the making of their own drama and the drama of others

 reflect on and respond in personal ways to their dramas, e.g. discussing the actions that should have been taken in regard to water usage

## Stage Two

## **SCIENCE**

ST2 2DP-T selects and uses materials, tools and equipment to develop solutions for a need or opportunity

- exploring design situations and/or existing solutions relevant to the needs and wants of themselves and others
- using creative thinking techniques students use props to construct actions they can undertake to conserve water

ST2-4LW-S compares features and characteristics of living and non-living things

- identify and investigate life cycles eg. Water cycle
- identify water as a factor in the local environment that is needed by plants and animals for survival

ST2-5LW-T describes how agricultural processes are used to grow plants and raise animals for food, clothing and shelter

• design, plan and produce a product, system or environment to support the growth of a plant and/or animals e.g. watering

ST2 10ES-S investigates regular changes caused by interactions between the Earth and the Sun, and changes to the Earth's surface

- identify that scientific knowledge helps people understand the effect of their actions and their role in water conservation
- investigate why the Earth's surface and water changes over time as a result of natural processes and human activity
- predict the effect of natural changes in the environment on some relationships between plants and animals e.g. drought
- · describe some changes in the landscape that have occurred over time as a result of water

### **MATHEMATICS**

MA2 1WM - uses appropriate terminology to describe amounts of water used, and symbols to represent

• use the litre as a unit to measure volumes and capacities to the nearest litre

#### HSIF

GE2-2 describes the ways people, places and environments interact

GE2-3 examines differing perceptions about the management of places and environments

- discussion of how weather contributes to amount of water we have access to
- investigate how the protection of our water is influenced by people's perception
- evaluate the necessity of caring for and conserving water
- present alternatives to, and consequences of, using water in particular ways
- investigate sustainable practices that protect environments and water
- examination of how water can be used sustainably

## **CREATIVE ARTS**

DRAS2.1 takes on and sustains roles in a variety of drama forms to express meaning in a wide range of imagined situations.

 Interpreted a wide range of situation involving water wastage and conservation through the use of drama

DRAS2.3 sequences the action of the drama to create meaning for an audience.

• selects props to help define role, place and situation to add to the meaning to the drama

DRAS2.4 Responds to, and interprets, drama experiences and performances.

• forms and exchanges opinions with others about their dramas e.g. discussing the actions that should have been taken in regard to water usage

## Stage Three

## SCIENCE

ST3-4LW-S examines how the environment affects the growth, survival and adaptation of living things

- describe how changing water conditions in the environment affect the growth and survival of living things
- make predictions about how changing the physical conditions of the environment impacts on the growth and survival of living things

#### MATHEMATICS

MA3 11MG selects and uses the appropriate unit to estimate, measure and calculate volumes and capacities, and converts between units of capacity

#### Students

 select and use appropriate units to estimate the volumes of water used during household activities

MA3-7NA compares, orders and calculates with fractions, decimals and percentages

• Make connections between the percentages of water we have access to

#### HSIE

GE3-2 explains interactions and connections between people, places and environments

GE3-2 compares and contrasts influences on the management of places and environments

- investigate how the natural environment influences people and places
- explain the effects of human changes on water usage, evaluating the positive and negative aspects of these changes
- identification of ways people influence places and contribute to sustainable water use

#### **CREATIVE ARTS**

DRAS3.1 develops a range of in-depth and sustained roles

 collaborates to convey dramatic meaning by responding to situations that involve water wastage

DRAS3.3 Devises, acts and rehearses drama for performance to an audience.

- devises drama in collaboration with others using scripted and unscripted material as resources for drama performances
- · selects props to help define role, place and situation to add to the meaning to the drama

DRAS3.4 Responds critically to a range of drama works and performance styles

• forms and exchanges opinions with others about their dramas e.g. discussing the actions that should have been taken in regard to water usage

### **PDHPE**

PD3-7 proposes and implements actions and protective strategies that promote health, safety, wellbeing and physically active spaces

• identify situations where personal choices can influence their own and others' health, e.g. water conservation and wastage