

# Responsible Summer Water Play Tips from our friends at Metro Water Services



## Turn the water hose off when you are not using it.

- Once you are finished watering or filling a container, shut the water off.



#### Use spray bottles

- Fill a spray bottle with water and you can spray and play in many combinations.
- Squeeze the trigger to project the water towards a friend, yourself, and other targets.



#### Use sponges

- Use a wet sponge like a water balloon that can be used over and over.
- When you dunk a sponge in some water, it's holes fill up and squirt water out when they hit a target.



### Play where the water is needed

- Water that falls on grass and plants will give a drink to growing things.
- Water that falls on concrete just dries in the sun.

**Check out more resources on the Metro Water Services website** www.nashville.gov/Water-Services/Community-Education/Teachers