

WATER RESTRICTIONS

It's important for the Orange community to use water responsibly. To help manage water-use for the community, Orange City Council has Water Restrictions in place.

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LEVEL 3

LAWNS

- No sprinklers.
- Only micro-sprays, drip systems, soaker hoses and hand-held hoses.
- Limited daily hours, using odds & evens system.

RESIDENTIAL GARDENS

- No sprinklers.
- Only micro-sprays, drip systems, soaker hoses and hand-held hoses.
- Limited daily hours, using odds & evens system for a maximum of three hours, every other day, morning and night: 6am – 9am and 6pm – 9pm

WATER FEATURES

- Water features can be topped up.

NEW TURF

- Watering permitted for one week, then same restrictions as for other lawn watering.

SWIMMING POOLS

- Pool covers must be used.
- Topping up only between 7am-9am and 6pm-8pm any day.

POP-UP CHILDREN'S POOLS

- May be used.

WASHING CARS AT HOME

- Washing cars with bucket only on lawn from 9am to 12 noon any day.

BATHS AND SHOWERS

- No restriction.

WASHING MACHINES

- Suggested full loads only.

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS

- Yes.

CURRENT LEVEL 4

LAWNS

- No watering.

RESIDENTIAL GARDENS

- No sprinklers.
- Only micro-sprays, drip systems, soaker hoses. Limited daily hours, two days a week only (Wednesdays & Sundays 4pm-6pm).
- One hand-held hose with a trigger-nozzle for up to half an hour on those two days.

WATER FEATURES

- Water features can be topped up.

NEW TURF

- No

SWIMMING POOLS

- Pool covers must be used. Topping up only between 7am-9am and 6pm-8pm any day.

POP-UP CHILDREN'S POOLS

- May be used.

WASHING CARS AT HOME

- Washing cars with bucket only on lawn from 9am to 12 noon any day.

BATHS AND SHOWERS

- Suggested limit of 5 minute shower. One bath per day.

WASHING MACHINES

- Full loads only.

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS

- Only to be used 7am to midnight daily.

LEVEL 5

LAWNS

- No watering.

RESIDENTIAL GARDENS

- No sprinklers, micro-sprays, drip systems or soaker hoses.
- Buckets and watering cans only during limited hours. Two days a week only (Wednesdays & Sundays 6pm-8pm).
- One hand-held hose with a trigger-nozzle for up to half an hour during those two periods.

WATER FEATURES

- No.

NEW TURF

- No

SWIMMING POOLS

- No topping up.

POP-UP CHILDREN'S POOLS

- No.

WASHING CARS AT HOME

- No.

BATHS AND SHOWERS

- Suggested limit of 3 minute shower. One shallow bath per day.

WASHING MACHINES

- Full loads only.

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS

- Only to be used 7am to midnight daily.

LEVEL 5A

LAWNS

- No watering.

RESIDENTIAL GARDENS

- No sprinklers, micro-sprays, drip systems or soaker hoses.
- Buckets or watering cans only during limited hours. One day a week only for 30 mins. (Sundays 6pm-6.30pm).
- One hand-held hose with a trigger-nozzle for up to 30 minutes during that period.

WATER FEATURES

- No.

NEW TURF

- No

SWIMMING POOLS

- No topping up.

POP-UP CHILDREN'S POOLS

- No.

WASHING CARS AT HOME

- No.

BATHS AND SHOWERS

- Suggested limit of 3 minute shower. One shallow bath per day.

WASHING MACHINES

- Full loads only.

EVAPORATIVE COOLERS

- Only to be used 7am to midnight daily.