Teacher Notes



We hope you and your students enjoy using the water hero capes in your classroom. The capes are designed to build student awareness of:

- 1. Drinking tap water to stay hydrated and healthy
- 2. Using water carefully

The capes could be used in different ways – we would love to hear how they are used in your classroom. Three ideas:

- One or two students can be allocated the role of Water Hero for the week.
 Their role seek out opportunities to promote healthy drinking habits,
 for example:
 - Reminding everyone to drink tap water regularly
 - Helping a staff member to fill water bottles with tap water
 - Bringing tap water to kinder and drinking water regularly
- 2. One or two students can be allocated the role of Water Hero for the week. Their role is to look for opportunities to save water, for example:
 - Checking for running or dripping taps
 - Placing left over water on gardens
 - Other actions appropriate to your classroom's water usage
- 3. Using the cape as a reward when students act like Water Hero. For example, "Wow, Alby! It was great that you reminded everyone to have a big drink of water after playtime outside. What a Water Hero! Would you like to wear a Water Hero cape?"

We hope you will display the poster and capes in a visible and accessible part of your kindergarten. The Water Hero capes can provide a fun and visual reminder to children, staff, parents and visitors about the health and environmental themes in your teaching program.

Please stay in touch. We love seeing how kindergartens Choose Tap and save water. Email your photos or feedback to: communications@coliban.com.au

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