



SEAI
Case Study

Mobile Water Education Unit - October 2009

St Bega's RC Primary



Overview and Introduction

As part of the School Environmental Action Programme we feel it is important to educate pupils on the importance of being water wise. Anglian Water's Mobile Education Unit was invited to visit schools in Hartlepool for two weeks in October 2009. The centre includes attractive displays, an interactive whiteboard, water saving models and demonstrations, a see through toilet and sink.



Pupil Participation

Quote

'I can't believe how much water we waste by leaving the tap running when brushing our teeth. I'm going to make sure I turn the tap off from now on'

Who Took Part

Two secondary and six primary schools received a visit during the fortnight.

Jacky Lord from Hartlepool Water, Joanne Taylor and Rocco Graziano also assisted.



Mobile Water Education Unit

What Happened/How Was it Done?

The education unit visited the schools and pupils climbed aboard in small groups. Pupils took part in a number of experiments, including one

that showed the amount of water an average family wastes in a day just by leaving the tap running whilst brushing their teeth. Teaching sessions are designed around delivering the science and geography National Curriculum at KS2 level. Superhero 'Captain Splosh' also made an appearance in some schools.



Pupils from St Bega's Primary brushing their teeth!

Partners

Hartlepool Water,
Anglian Water

'Captain Splosh'

