

TIPS FOR IDENTIFYING WATER LEAKS

KEEP IN MIND YOU WONT NECESSARILY SEE THESE LEAKS!

1. Monitor Your Water Bill

- Compare monthly bills for unexplained increases.

2. Perform a Water Meter Test

- Turn off all water sources.
- Check the meter, wait 1–2 hours, then check again. *If it changes, you have a leak.*

3. Inspect for Moisture Signs

Look for: Stains or discoloration on walls/ceilings.

Warped flooring or soft spots.

Dampness under sinks or cabinets.

4. Check for Mold or Musty Odors

- Persistent smells often indicate hidden moisture.

5. Listen for Unusual Sounds

- At night, listen for dripping or running water behind walls.

6. Test Toilets

- Add food coloring to the tank; if color appears in the bowl without flushing, the flapper leaks.

7. Review Appliances & Fixtures

- Inspect water heaters, washing machines, and dishwashers for dampness.

8. Use Leak Detection Tools

- Moisture meters or smart leak sensors can help find hidden leaks.