

DIY Water Wall

<https://tinkerlab.com/diy-water-wall/>



Supplies

Plastic bottles

Screws (our nifty kit is from IKEA)

Drill. The one in the photo is no longer with us. Sniff. However, our brand new, favorite drill is this cordless [Makita drill](#) (affiliate).

Exacto knife. [This one](#) (affiliate) is a good deal



Steps



With the exacto knife, cut a hole in the side of the bottle. The hole will be large enough for you to fit your hand into it so that you can easily position and drill in the screws. Using the exacto knife, score an “X” on the side of a bottle and push a screw through the “X” from the inside. Repeat one more time so that you have two screws poking through the bottle.



Screw the bottles to a fence or wall. Tilt them slightly downward to help the water pour through. You might have to shift the bottles around or cut the holes a bit more to make the water wall work properly. Test as you go.

Test it out to make sure it works. Add a bucket at the bottom to catch the water, which can then be added to plants or returned to the top of the water wall.

Set up a water-filling station and add some pitchers, watering cans, and cups. Invite some friends over to play. And be prepared for eye-opening, open-ended fun.