

Hard Water Appliance Protection Checklist

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Spot the Signs Early

1 Check glasses and flatware

A cloudy film that keeps returning points to hard water.

2 Time your dishwasher and washer

Cycles running longer than before signal scale buildup.

3 Listen to the water heater

A rumble or popping sound means sediment on the tank bottom.

4 Inspect faucets and the ice line

White crust and slow flow flag mineral deposits.

Slow the Scale

1 Descale the dishwasher monthly

A citric-acid cleaner strips film before it hardens.

2 Flush the water heater

Drain a few gallons every few months to clear sediment.

3 Set the heater to 120 degrees

Lower safe heat scales slower and saves energy.

4 Test your water hardness

A grains-per-gallon reading tells you if you need a softener.

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