

EASY ENERGY EFFICIENCY TIPS



Save money and make your home more energy efficient!

Improving energy efficiency offers a large potential to reduce both CO2 emissions and energy bills. There are lots of small and yet effective things you can do around your home to improve energy efficiency.

Did you know that?

- **Lighting** takes up to 5% percent of energy
- **Domestic appliances** use another 10%
- 15% goes for **cooking**
- 70% are consumed by **heating** needs

This leaflet will provide you with easy tips that will help you save money, and make energy more affordable and your home more comfortable.

By following these tips you will see some great energy savings in the long run!



Turn off the lights when they are not in use and change your light bulbs to LEDs.



Draught-proof your home. Sealing cracks, gaps and leaks and adding insulation can help you save on heating and cooling costs.

Always use the **right size pan** for your cooking ring and put a lid on it. This will help save energy as the food will cook quicker.



When the weather is hot, **close blinds** on the sunny side of your home to help keep the temperature inside the house cooler and reduce the work for you AC.



Choose the most **energy efficient A+ energy rating** when buying new home appliances.



Open the shades during cooler weather to let the sunshine warm your home.

Wash your clothes with the **lowest possible temperature** or on the economy setting and air-dry them outside.



Ensure all **electrical appliances are turned off** when not in use and avoid using standby buttons.

