

Simple Saving Measures.

- Turn off lights when not in use
- Replace incandescent lights with CFLs or LEDs
- Unplug (or use a power strip with a switch) appliances with phantom load (energy used when appliance turned off, e.g. TV)
- Install low flow plumbing fixtures (shower heads, faucets)
- Take shorter showers (turn off water when soaping up, brushing teeth, etc.)
- Dry clothes on a line as opposed to dryer
- Use cold water for the washer
- Use energy star appliances
- Air-seal your house (weather stripping, caulking)
- Use window insulation kit (plastic forming an extra pane of window)
- Fix leaky faucets and toilets
- Insulate your water heater to reduce standby loss
- Turn down temperature of your water heater, use cooler water
- Turn down thermostat (put on a sweater)
- Use programmable thermostat (lower temperature at night and when gone to work/school)
- Close the doors to rooms not in use and keep them cooler
- Switch electric water heater to a fuel-fired water heater or heat pump water heater
- Insulate hot water pipes