



Weather strip windows and doors to save money on energy bills and increase home comfort by controlling leaks and drafts.

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you save**

Check out these tips to reduce energy and save money

Add insulation to your attic

to reduce energy loss through your roof—one of the most significant areas for heat loss in most homes.



Replace worn or ripped door sweeps

including those on doors in attached garages. Sweeps block drafts from reaching inside your home.



Schedule service for your heating system

to maintain efficiency, and clean furnace filters and chimney flues.



Install a programmable thermostat

Set it to adjust temperatures when you're asleep or away. You'll save without needing to upgrade your HVAC system.



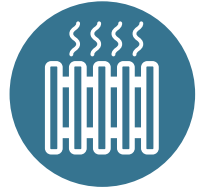
Open curtains and blinds on south-facing windows

during the day to let the sun help heat your home. Close them on chilly evenings to prevent drafts and avoid heat loss.



Rearrange furniture that may be blocking heat registers

or radiators to let heat flow more readily to living spaces.



Limit the use of exhaust fans, which draw out heated air. It's okay to let shower steam make its way through your home during the winter season. It adds moisture to dry winter air!



Stay comfortable with your thermostat set at a lower temperature

by wearing your slippers and a cozy sweater. For each degree you lower the temperature, you'll save about three percent on heating costs for the period the setting is dropped.

