

Energy-saving tips for warmer weather

Warmer weather is here, and Gulf Power is sharing useful energy-saving tips that can be easily implemented to help you manage your energy use and your bill.

Set it and forget it.



AIR CONDITIONER EFFICIENCY

Each degree you raise the thermostat can help you save up to 5% on cooling costs.

Open door policy.



AIR CONDITIONER EFFICIENCY

Keep bedroom and other doors open if possible – closed doors can block the airflow.

Who left the lights on?



LIGHTING EFFICIENCY

Keep lights off in unoccupied rooms. Leaving on lights or a lamp can run up your bill.

Keep your cool.



AIR CONDITIONER EFFICIENCY

Close shades, blinds and drapes to keep the sun's heat out.

Use fans wisely.



FAN EFFICIENCY

When you leave a room, turn off the fan. Fans cool people, not rooms.

Weekly meal prep.



COOKING EFFICIENCY

Make several dishes at a time and use the smallest appliance you need to get the job done.

Turn off to save.



FAN EFFICIENCY

Turn off ceiling, bathroom and kitchen exhaust fans when you leave the room or after use.

Keep it clean.



COOLING EFFICIENCY

Clean or replace your air conditioner filter every month to help your unit operate efficiently.

Go ahead and unplug.



ENTERTAINMENT EFFICIENCY

Make sure TV and systems are turned off or unplugged when not in use.

Fire up that grill!



COOKING EFFICIENCY

Using an outdoor grill instead of the oven can help lower your bill.

Use Energy Checkup.



START SAVING

The online home energy management tool at GulfPower.com will provide a report on your energy usage.

Appliance calculator.



CALCULATE TODAY

Use calculator to understand how much energy your appliances use, visit GulfPower.com/save/lower-bill/tips



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