

## Cool and Heat Your Home Efficiently

- 1** Cool your home at 78° or warmer with the thermostat fan switch on “auto.” For additional savings, raise your thermostat to 82° or warmer when you’re away from home.
- 2** Heat your home at 68° or cooler with the thermostat fan switch on “auto.” To save even more, lower your thermostat to 65° or cooler at bedtime or when you’re away from home.
- 3** Install a programmable thermostat to adjust the temperature automatically and maximize your energy savings. It also helps to maintain a comfortable temperature when you wake up or return home.
- 4** Clean or replace your air conditioner’s filter every month to trim your cooling costs and help your unit run more efficiently.
- 5** Turn off your ceiling fan when you leave the room. A fan that runs all the time costs up to \$7 a month.



## Watch Your Water

- 6** Use your dishwasher, if you have one, to conserve energy. Avoid pre-rinsing dishes to save up to \$70 a year.
- 7** Limit the time you run your pool pump:
  - Summer – 6 hours a day
  - Winter – 4 hours a day

## Control Your Appliances

- 8** Adjust the water level on your washing machine to match the load size, especially when using hot water. Always use a cold rinse.
- 9** Clean the lint filter in your dryer before every load to dry your clothes faster and save money.
- 10** Use the auto sensor function on your dryer, if you have one, to conserve energy by not over-drying your clothes.

## Solutions That Save

In addition to the household tips we provided, FPL offers other powerful ways to help you save even more, including:

- **Online Home Energy Survey** – an easy and convenient way to get a personalized, expert analysis of your home’s energy use, along with specific ways to save. To test your home’s efficiency, log on to [www.FPL.com](http://www.FPL.com).
- **On-Call Program** – a simple way to save about \$100 a year. By going “On Call,” you allow FPL to occasionally cycle off select major appliances for brief periods. We’ll only do it when absolutely necessary during times of heavy demand. You receive a credit on your bill every month, even if the program is never activated.
- **Building Envelope Program** – adding insulation to your home can reduce your heating and cooling costs and make your home more comfortable, especially for homes built before 1982. And through this program, FPL will pay you an incentive to reduce the cost of installing new insulation.
- **Duct System Test** – for a nominal fee, FPL will inspect your home’s cooling and heating ducts for costly leaks and even help pay to have them repaired.
- **A/C Program** – if your air conditioning system is 10 years old or older, chances are it is inefficient and near the end of its useful life. FPL’s A/C Buying Guide and list of participating independent contractors can help you shop wisely. And better yet, FPL may even help pay for your new unit!

## Start Saving Today

To see how these tips can impact your electric bill, take an FPL Online Home Energy Survey. You can also learn about other energy saving tips through FPL’s Energy Savings Toolkit, just log on to [www.FPL.com](http://www.FPL.com).

**For more information on FPL’s energy-saving programs, visit our Web site or call 1-800-DIAL FPL (1-800-342-5375).**



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