



TIPS FOR CONSERVING ENERGY

EVERY DEGREE COUNTS



Less heating

In line with the ordinance, temperatures in public buildings will be lowered centrally to a maximum of 19°C. Lowering the temperature by one degree can save around 6 % heating energy. In addition, heaters should be turned down individually when rooms are not in use.



Do not cover heaters

To ensure that heaters can operate in an energy-saving way, they should not be covered or blocked, and should be well vented. Up to 12 % heat energy can be saved in this way.



Close windows and ventilate properly

To ventilate efficiently, open doors and windows wide and ventilate for five to ten minutes, ideally by cross-ventilation.



Close doors

Up to 5 % heating costs can be avoided by keeping doors closed between rooms (especially rooms facing onto a cooler hallway).



Lights required?

Rely on natural light whenever possible. Turn off lights when no longer needed.



Avoid stand-by mode

Devices in stand-by mode waste a lot of electricity. We recommend you unplug these or use an adapter with an on/off switch.



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