



Summer Savings Tips

Summer is here and saving energy is essential to keeping your energy bills low, especially during these hot months. We're always working to keep your energy bills low, and helping you find ways to make your bill even lower.

Check out these quick and easy tips that can help you save energy and money.

- 1** Set your thermostat at 78°F or warmer and save up to five percent on monthly cooling costs for each degree you turn it up.
- 2** Clean or replace your air conditioning filter.
- 3** Consider purchasing and installing a smart thermostat. Average savings could add up to three percent of your total energy costs.
- 4** Keep your kitchen cool – grill outside.
- 5** Use a fan to keep cool, but be sure to turn it off when you leave the room.
- 6** Close the shades, blinds and drapes to keep the heat outside.
- 7** Seal your home to control airflow and leaks. Close windows and doors tightly, and if you feel a draft, caulk around windows, weather strip around doors and add door sweeps to the bottom of exterior doors.
- 8** Reduce your pool pump's run time by two hours or more a day to save up to \$100 annually.
- 9** Consider installing a variable-speed pool pump to save about \$300 a year.
- 10** Consider installing smart outlets for your appliances. They connect to your WiFi and can be instantly turned on or off from your smartphone while your in your home or across the world.

Take **FPL's free Online Home Energy Survey** to **save up to \$250 a year** at **FPL.com/OHES**