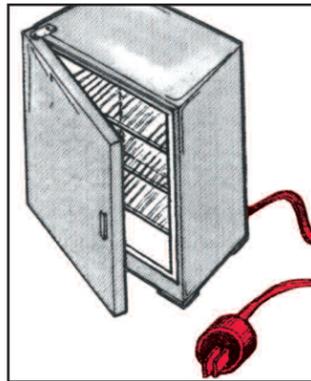


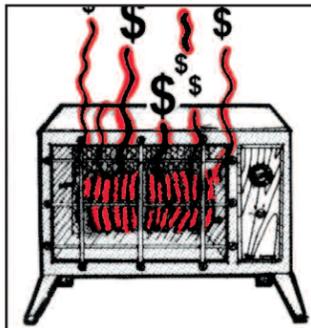
# What saves the most **ELECTRICITY?**

Electricity is sold in KWHs or kilowatt-hours  
1 KWH= 1,000 watts metered in one hour



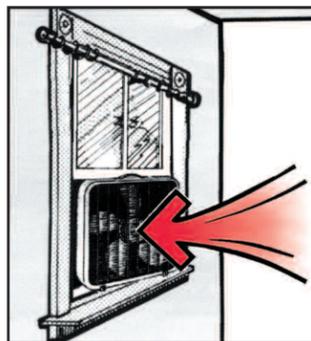
**Unplug that second refrigerator or freezer.**

SAVE  
**\$252** or 1,800 Kilowatt-Hours—Per Year



**Reduce your need for electric space heaters. Weatherize your house and wear winter clothing.**

SAVE  
**\$101** or 620 Kilowatt-Hours—Per Heater—Per Year



**Switch from Air Conditioning to fans to stay cool. Exhaust hot air when it's cooler outside.**

SAVE  
**\$49** or 350 Kilowatt-Hours—Per Family of 3—Per Year



**Electric usage adds up so turn off unused TVs, lights and appliances.**

SAVE  
**\$37** or 267 Kilowatt-Hours—Per Family of 3—Per Year

# Energy Saving Actions

**#1** Hot air rises, so seal all the cracks and holes on the top floor first.

Almost every hole in your house can be sealed at little or no cost to you. The materials you use don't matter as much as the action you take. Keep the heat in and save money.

**#2** Stuff and caulk all holes and Cracks that leak air.

Cold air blows in around windows, doors and lots of other places like through porch ceilings and the floors under bay windows. Seal as many holes as you can to keep the cold out and be more comfortable.

**#3** Seal basement leaks.

Some people say that they won't go down the basement. But if you don't seal all these holes and cracks, you're missing a big opportunity to save money and be warmer.

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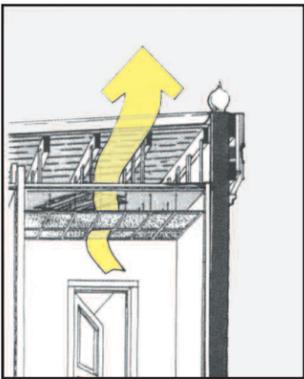
# What saves the most **GAS?**

Gas is sold in CCFs or Hundred Cubic Feet



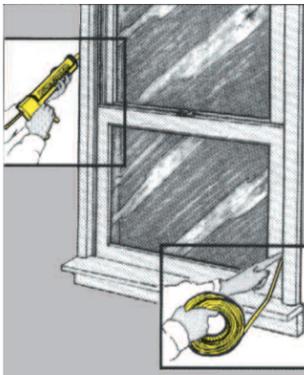
**Install clock thermostat with a 5 degree setback at night.**

SAVE  
**\$145** or 91 CCFs—Per Household—Per Year



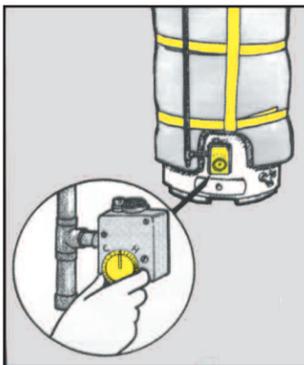
**Seal up big holes on the top floor and in the basement.**

SAVE  
**\$113** or 71 CCFs—Per Household—Per year



**Caulk and rope caulk windows. Close storms or install plastic window kits.**

SAVE  
**\$95** or 59 CCFs—Per Household—Per year

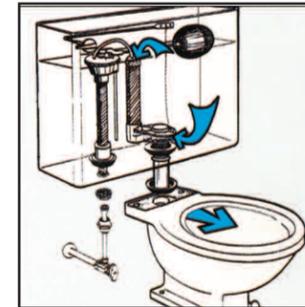


**Lower your water temperature to warm or normal and wrap your hot water heater.**

SAVE  
**\$48** or 30 CCFs—Per Household—Per year

# What saves the most **WATER?**

Water is sold in CCFs or Hundred Cubic Feet.  
One CF= about 8 gallons.



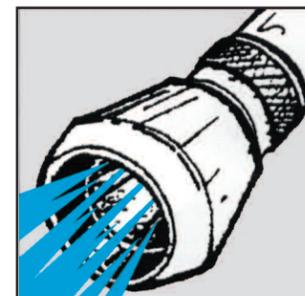
**Repair running toilet, and big leaks in pipes and faucet.**

SAVE  
**\$640** or 150,000 Gallons—Per Active Leak—Per Year



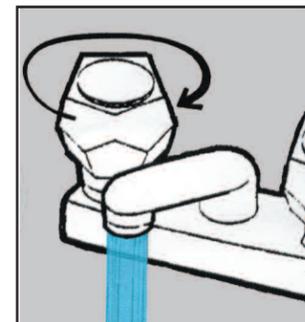
**Repair dripping faucet and pipe leaks.**

SAVE  
**\$130** or 30,000 Gallons—Per Active Leak—Per Year



**Take short showers or half baths.**

SAVE  
**\$80** or 18,000 Gallons—Per Family of 3—Per Year



**Shut water off when washing dishes, brushing teeth or shaving.**

SAVE  
**\$28** or 6,000 Gallons—Per Family of 3—Per Year