

ENVIRONMENTAL ACTION FOR A BETTER LEICESTER-

Make the Climate Change Pledge ...

WHY SHOULD I SAVE ENERGY?

Almost half of the UK's carbon dioxide (CO₂) emission come from things we do every day. Leaving the TV on standby or using the car for short journeys wastes energy and causes needless CO₂ emissions. The UK has a target to reduce CO₂ emissions by 20% by 2010. If we all commit to saving 20% of the energy we use every day, together we can help to prevent climate change.



HOW CAN I SAVE ENERGY?

You can do your bit by making simple and sustainable choices

ENABLE (Environmental Action for a Better Leicestershire) has some easy tips to help you reduce your energy consumption by 20%. Make your Climate Change Pledge today.



... the future is in your hands

ACTIONS	POTENTIAL ANNUAL SAVINGS		TICK BOX TO COMMIT TO THIS ACTION
	Energy use %	CO ₂ emission (Kg)	
Only boil as much water as I need.	0.2	22	
Turn down my thermostat by 1°C.	4.0	294	
Turn appliances off standby.	1.1	155	
Install cavity wall insulation.	14.1	1036	
Top up my loft insulation to 270mm (10.5 inches).	6.3	462	
Replace 3 light bulbs with Energy Saving recommended ones.	0.3	44	
Install a condensing boiler.	10.7	703	
Buy Energy Saving recommended appliances.	1.4	212	
Wash my laundry at 30°C.	0.2	36	
Leave my car at home for short Journeys.	1.5	124	

Please give your details and return this form to the ENABLE co-ordinator.

First name:

Last name:

Address:

.....

.....

Town/City

Post code:

E-mail:

DATA PROTECTION STATEMENT

ENABLE will process your personal details and responses for monitoring and analysis purposes only. The analysis will be used to estimate CO₂ savings for publicity purposes.

For more energy saving tips contact:

Sustainable Development Officer

Tel: 0116 265 7068

E-mail: hapatel@leics.gov.uk

This table is based on saving assumptions from www.est.org.uk/myhome/asssumptions



This document is printed on scrap paper to save energy. Please disregard anything printed on the back.