



Energy Checklist

Easy

- Only turn on appliances etc. when you are using them
- Wash your laundry on cold
- Choose battery-powered garden tools (lawnmower, blower etc) not petrol-powered
- Hang your washing on the line, rather than tumble-dry
- Close blinds during the day if hot to limit need to use air-conditioning
- Attend a free online community renewables information event

Moderate

- Turn off your powerpoints when not using them
- Take part in the NSW Energy Savings Scheme
- Pick an electricity retailer that has good environmental performance, e.g. see Green Electricity Guide
- Buy renewable energy through the Government GreenPower program

Difficult

- Install awnings outside windows in direct sunlight, to prevent heat reaching the room
- Insulate roof cavities and underfloor
- Get an energy audit done
- Install solar panels
- Install an electricity smart meter to monitor and optimise energy usage

Hero Actions

- Invest in solar battery storage
- If moving house or apartment consider the need to heat and cool