

HALF ENERGY DAY

10 TIPS TO SAVE ENERGY

1. Use less paper and packaging

(1 ton of recycled newspaper saves 17 trees)

2. Reduce and recycle waste

(1 recycled aluminium can = 3 hours of television)

3. Turn lights off when not required

(energy consumed for 1 hr of classroom lighting produces 1kg pollutants)

4. Have short showers and turn taps off

(cutting showers in half will reduce your water heating by 1/3)

5. Unplug chargers and computers

(or typically 95% of energy used by the charger will be wasted)

6. Reduce air miles

(1 flight to Australia = 1/3 of a year's energy for an average home)

7. Eat less meat

(meat production contributes 20% of global greenhouse gases)

8. Share lifts, use public transport or walk

(private cars contribute 20% of all UK greenhouse emissions)

9. Understand your carbon footprint

(our carbon footprints all contribute towards global warming)

10. Wear more layers and turn radiators down

(1°C lower will save 10% of your heating energy)