Monday 4th October – Energy Efficiency Week 2021

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Today we are taking a look at the systems that put heat into our homes and workplaces for some Clever Climate Actions we can take to make a difference. Have a look at the three suggestions below, starting with the easiest level of action. Let us know if you will be joining in with taking these Clever Climate Actions by completing the poll.   Take a 10 minute break and watch today's [Teatime Talk - Preparing your home for a heat pump](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/teatime-talks/). Then complete the Teatime Quiz for a chance to win some green goodies.   There are also a number of [online activities](https://us13.campaign-archive.com/?e=%5bUNIQID%5d&u=abd5a062af261480a10cc8753&id=fc7a9027ec#clinic) that we encourage you to take part in as throughout Energy Efficiency Week. There are lots of chances to win green goodies and tickets to Tayto Park.   Best regards, **The Energy Team** | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **3 levels of Clever Climate Actions** | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Serviced and Ready for Action**  One of the best ways to be certain that your boiler is in good shape, running and performing as well as it should is to have an annual service. This Clever Climate Action plays a significant role in reducing your carbon footprint, which in turn has a positive impact on your energy bills by lowering your monthly usage. [READ MORE](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/boiler-service/)  **Will you be getting your boiler service booked?**  [I already have](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NMJY7CF)   [**|**](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NMJY7CF)   [I absolutely will](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NMJY7CF)   [**|**](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NMJY7CF)   [Not for me](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/NMJY7CF) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Thermostats Set for Success**  Most modern boilers have a dial or digital display that allows you to set the temperature of the water that leaves the boiler to heat the house. If you lower the temperature, your boiler will operate as efficiently as possible. If you increase the temperature, you will heat your radiators more quickly but your boiler’s efficiency could decrease by around 10 or 20 per cent. [**READ MORE**](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/thermostats/) | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Make the Move to Renewables**  Why not start planning to scrap that old fossil fuel boiler and embrace a renewable energy technology to heat your home? The International Energy Agency (IEA) says that no new fossil fuel boilers should be sold from 2025 if the world is to achieve net-zero emissions by the middle of this century. There are often a number of things to consider before shifting to renewable heating so it is something you want to start looking at before your old boiler gives up the ghost. There are currently two types of renewable heat technologies that can replace a fossil fuel boiler namely, [Heat Pumps](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/heat-pumps/) or [Wood fuel / Biomass boilers.](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/pellet-boilers/) | | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | **Take part in our online activities during Energy Efficiency Week!** | | | | |  |  |  |  | | --- | --- | --- | --- | |  |  |  |  | | Book your 15 minute one-to-one, online session with an Energy Advisor for the opportunity to get some personalised advice on saving energy at home or work. [BOOK HERE](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/energy-clinics/) | Please answer a few questions on [how you keep cosy](https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/56P6F2C). Your answers will help inform our campaign. You’ll also have a chance to win some green goodies in our prize draw. | Take a 10 minute break and watch today's  [Teatime Talk](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/teatime-talks/). Then complete the Teatime Quiz for a chance to win some green goodies. | Get your budding artists to [illustrate a Clever Climate Action](https://www.opw-energy.ie/discovermore/childrens-art-competition-2021/) for their chance to win tickets to Tayto Park. | | | |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | |  | |  |  |  | | --- | --- | | |  | | --- | | Connect to our [Clever Climate Actions](https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/L7LYPWL) Campaign. | | | |