

Save Energy!

1. Turn off lights when not in room
2. Open window shades for natural light and warmth
3. Turn thermostat down two degrees in winter and up two degrees in summer
4. Turn off electronics/appliances when not using them (except micro fridge)
5. Put a rug down to add warmth under your feet
6. Turn off computer at night or run it in sleep mode



Save Water!

1. How many times you can re wear before you need to wash:
 - Jeans – 5 to 6
 - Pants, skirts, shorts – 3 to 4
 - Jackets and blazers – 3 to 4
 - PJs – 3 to 4
2. Turn off sink while brushing teeth
3. Take 10 minute shower



Reduce, Reuse, Recycle!

1. What can be recycled in dorms:
 - https://fod.osu.edu/sites/default/files/ess_what_recycle_general.pdf
2. Use reusable silverware, water bottle, coffee mug, small set of dishes and bowls for in dorm meals
3. Sell or donate things when you move out, don't throw in dumpsters
4. Reuse paper that has been printed on one side for draft printing or scratch paper
5. Take a reusable bag to the C-store and CVS/Target/Kroger



Shop wisely!



1. Buy Energy Star rated computers, printers, and coffee makers
2. Use eco-friendly shower and cleaning products
3. Buy furniture locally once you get to school
4. Choose organic cotton when shopping for towels, bedding and sheets
5. Buy compact fluorescent light bulbs for desk lamp



Live ecofriendly outside the dorm!



1. Use the bike share program
 - <https://ttm.osu.edu/bikeshare>
2. Take a bus
3. Get involved with a sustainability student organization!
 - <http://greenbuckeyes.osu.edu/student-engagement/organizations/>

