

Introduction

Critical junction in earth's history

Evidence

You can help

GARAGE



Carpool When You Can

- Carpooling with friends saves fuel!
- Savings per year?
 - -790 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$500

Buy a Hybrid Car and/or Fuel Efficient Car

- They even look cooler...
- Savings per year?
 - -16,000 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$3,750

Inflate Your Tires

- Keep the tires on your car adequately inflated. Check them monthly.
- Savings per year?
 - -250 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$840

Use Recycled Paper

- Make sure your printer paper is 100% post consumer recycled paper.
- Savings per year?
 - -50 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$20

Air Dry Your Clothes

- Instead of using the dryer in the warm seasons, line-dry your clothes. (it's more fun too!)
- Savings per year?
 - -700 lbs. of CO2
 - **-\$75**

BEDROOM

Adjust Your Thermostat

- Move your heater thermostat down two degrees in winter and up two degrees in the summer.
- Savings per year?
 - -2000 lbs. of CO2
 - **-\$98**

Unplug Un-Used Electronics

- Even when electronic devices are turned off, they use energy
- Savings per year?
 - -1,000 lbs of CO2
 - -\$256 per year

Put on a Sweater

- Instead of turning up the heat in your home, put on more clothes!
- Savings per year?
 - -1,000 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$250

Use Fluorescent Bulbs

- Replace (at least) 3 frequently used light bulbs with compact fluorescent bulbs
- Savings per year?
 - -300 lbs. of carbon dioxide / year
 - -\$60 / year

BATHROOM



Take Shorter Showers

- 2/3 of all water heating costs are from taking showers
- Savings per year?
 - -350 lbs. of CO2
 - **-\$99**

Low-Flow Showerhead & Sink Faucets

- Less water = less energy to heat the water!
- Savings per year?
 - -550 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$275

KITCHEN

Reduce Reuse Recycle

- Buy products with less packaging and RECYCLE!
- Savings per year?
 - -1,000 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$10

Turn Off the Lights

- You're not using them...so why keep them on???
- Savings per year?
 - -100 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$45

Use Manual Appliances

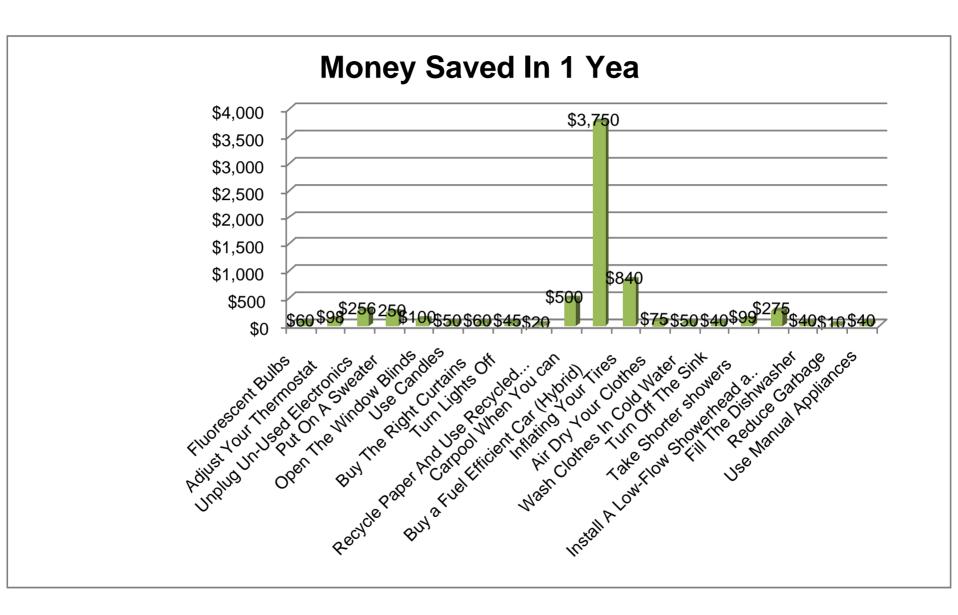
- Requires no electricity. Use your muscles!
- Savings per year?
 - -100 lbs. of CO2
 - -\$40

Fill the Dishwasher

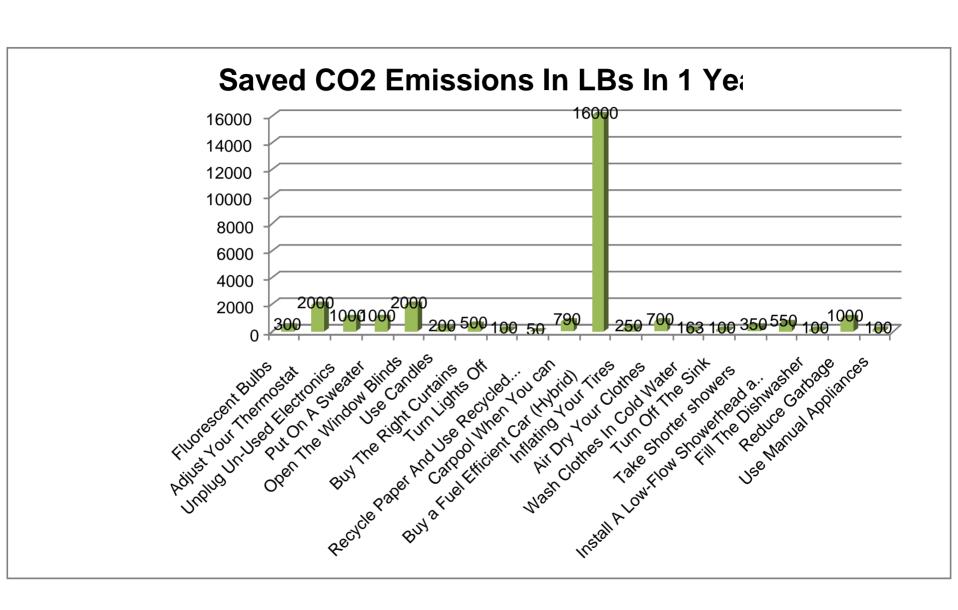
- Only with a FULL LOAD!
- Savings per year?
 - -100 lbs. of carbon dioxide
 - -\$40

Open the Window Blinds

- Close light-colored shades or blinds during warm weather (visa versa in cold)
- Savings per year?
 - -2000 lbs of CO2
 - **-**\$100



Total: \$ 6,658.00



Total: 27,253 lbs

THE END

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