






5 Ways to Reducing Your Carbon Footprint



Why? Because everyone needs to participate in order to meet planetary greenhouse gas reduction goals

-  Do your laundry less frequently (and no that does not mean your mother should do it!) Wait until you have a full load. Doing only two loads a week in cold water can save up to 500 pounds of carbon dioxide according to the site Global Giving
-  Unplug your devices that use standby power. Standby or Vampire Power costs USA consumers \$3 billion (with a b) per year! That's 5% of all our power use for virtually nothing
-  Stop your junk mail. Go on line to the sender's website and unsubscribe. Easy P-Z!
-  Coordinate your errands. Take one trip for multiple stops instead of multiple trips for one stop
-  Use shampoo and conditioner bars to reduce packaging. They are just as effective as bottled but with far less packaging waste

Want to learn more? Visit these links: [50 Tips To Reduce Your Carbon Footprint | GlobalGiving](#)
<http://shrinkthatfootprint.com/reducing-standby-power-waste>



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