

Gas Money Saving Tips

- If you are able to get on to the internet, try visiting reputable price comparison websites to check your current gas tariff. Please be aware of any service costs that you may have to pay for when changing suppliers.
- If you do not have access to the internet you could contact your local Citizens Advice Bureau for help.



- Thrive Homes insulate all of our properties.
- Ensure that you have draught excluders fitted to your windows and front door if they have gaps.
- Heavy curtains and net curtains also help to keep out the cold. Although try to avoid drapes which overhang the radiator valves as the radiator may not be able to heat the room properly.

- Gas fires are not the most cost effective type of heaters as they lose up to 40% of their heat through the chimney.
- There may be energy saving grants which could assist you. To find out what is available in you area and whether you are entitled to make a claim contact your local Citizens Advice Bureau.
- Keep your thermostat set at 21°C or below. Turning your thermostat up to 30°C does not noticeably change the room temperature. (This is based on a thermostat that is set at 25°C.)
- Rugs and carpets can also help to keep a home warm.
- Report any faults with your central heating as soon as you notice them.

