Helpful Tips for Your Homes Energy Consumption

**Small Changes = Big Difference**

- Turn off the water while brushing teeth and washing your hands
- Start an organic garden. It’s a responsibility, but if you can get your parents to help, it can make a difference. Plus, you can make them proud by adding to the beauty of your home!
- Turn off lights and appliances/electronics when not in use
- Write on both sides of the paper
- Ride your bike to a friend’s house
- Make your book covers out of recycled paper

**Things You Learned Today That You Can Use Everyday**

Remember our large windows? They not only were used to look outside, but also to let natural light and air in the home. During the winter when it’s cold, the windows are “triple pane” which helps keep heat inside your home. You can use your house windows in the same way! During the day, read your books by a window for natural lighting. On breezy summer days, turn off the air condition and open all the windows. This will save energy!

The Biowall is a large vertical plant wall used to purify the air inside the home. The plant uses chemicals in the air as a food source. You can have plants in your home that do the same thing! Ask your parents to help find plants that are made for inside the home. Remember plants need water to live, don’t forget to water them!

Follow these tips and you can make a difference in our community with us! Boiler up!