

ENERGY

Select energy monitors that are responsible for identifying lights that have been left on as well as proper use of heating and cooling appliances. Energy monitors are recognised by way of a special tag or poster

Encourage discussions with children about climate change and how to save energy at the setting

Make up a story with the children about saving energy using photos or drawings of the children participating in energy saving actions. Alternatively make up a song about saving energy

Run activities in conjunction with annual Earth Hour event

Use small, fold up laundry racks so that children can hang out smaller items while staff hang out bigger items. Talk about best days for drying the laundry outdoors or where to place the rack indoors

Practice reading a thermometer with children.

Learn about static energy—children rub a balloon on their hair and use the charged energy to pick up small bits of paper

Source solar energy kits such as lights, fans or solar powered toys

Make kites and fly them as a tool to discuss wind energy

