

Electronics smart

Power Smart for Schools



There are 25 electronics in an average B.C. home

How many do you have in your home?



These are some you may have:

In a family of 4 people, this can add up quickly

Electronics	
TV	Computer monitor
Laptop	Stereo
DVD player	PVR
Game console	Camera
Electronic reader	Printer
Smart home device	Speakers
Tablet	Router
Mobile phone	Desktop computer

Electronics use energy

Our electronics are useful and fun but use a lot of electricity.

Let's explore how to be power smart with our electronics.



This or that

Which activity saves energy?



This

or

That

That

If you and your family are watching TV, try watching together rather than on separate devices. It's more fun too.



This or that

Which saves energy?



This

or

That

This

‘Standby’ or ‘vampire’ power is energy wasted when chargers are left plugged in but no longer charging the device



This or that

Which saves energy?



This or That

This

Turn off your monitor if you need to step away from the computer even for a few minutes



This or that

Which saves energy?



This

or

That

That

ENERGY STAR® rated TVs use up to 25% less energy than non-energy star TVs



If you're replacing a large, old plasma screen with an **ENERGY STAR®** LED TV, those savings could be far greater

This or that

Which saves energy?



This

or

That

That

This is an advanced power bar or power strip



Power bars are good as you can turn off a number of devices with one click of the power.

Advanced power bars are even better as they allow for maximum energy savings with different outlets like:

- 1. always 'on'**
- 2. automatic shut-off after a set period of inactivity**
- 3. devices that work together and can be powered on or off as a group**

This or that

Which is more efficient for streaming shows or movies?



This or That

That



Game consoles use a lot of energy.

Instead, reduce your energy by up to 40% and switch to a:

- **laptop**
- **tablet**
- **smart TV**

Be electronics smart

1. Choose smart devices
2. Switch off
3. Unplug



