

The Benefits of Smart Thermostats

WHAT MAKES IT A “SMART” THERMOSTAT?

A smart thermostat is a Wi-Fi enabled device that automatically adjusts your home’s cooling and heating temperature for optimal performance. Many smart thermostats learn your temperature preferences and establish a schedule to adjust for optimal energy-saving temperatures while you are asleep or away from your home.

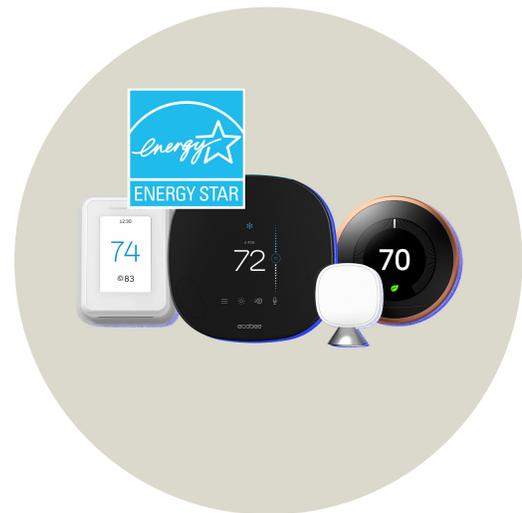


CONNECT SMART THERMOSTATS TO YOUR SMARTPHONE

Wi-Fi capability allows smart thermostats to connect to your smartphone. You can adjust your thermostat remotely from your phone and, by using geofencing technology, your smart thermostat will automatically adjust to your preferred temperature while you’re on the way home.

ENERGY STAR CERTIFIED SMART THERMOSTATS

According to ENERGY STAR, the average American household spends more than \$900 a year on heating and cooling their home. A smart thermostat can optimize cooling and heating in your home resulting in potential savings.



When programming your heating and cooling schedule, consider when you normally go to sleep and wake up.

The U.S. Department of Energy suggests to program your thermostat to 68 degrees Fahrenheit or lower when you are home and awake, and when you are asleep or away, set your thermostat to 60 degrees Fahrenheit or lower in the winter.

While in the summer, set your thermostat to 78 degrees Fahrenheit or higher when home. Set the thermostat to turn off the air conditioner when you are asleep or away, and have it scheduled to turn on about a half hour before arriving home.