

## 4. ENVIRONMENT

### Do this activity to

- practise your listening.
- watch two videos about saving energy at home.
- learn new vocabulary.

### INTRODUCTION

By changing our habits a little bit we can save energy and at the same time keep our planet clean.

### INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Open **this document** to answer the questions. Print it out to hand it in or email it to your teacher.
2. Search the **NATIONAL GEOGRAPHIC ENVIRONMENT VIDEO website**. Click on **'Going Green'** on the left menu, and then on **'Green Home Makeover'** on the same menu.
3. Click on **'Bathroom'** to watch the first video. You don't need to understand all the words.
4. Take the BATHROOM quiz.
5. Click on **'Living Room'** to watch the second video. You don't need to understand all the words.
6. Take the LIVING ROOM quiz.

#### BATHROOM quiz

Circle the correct answer

- 1) What consumes most water in the bathroom?
  - A. The shower
  - B. The toilet
  - C. Plumbing leaks
- 2) Which showerheads should we consider changing in order to save water?
  - A. Showerheads made before 1992
  - B. Showerheads made after 1992
  - C. Showerheads with a low flow rate
- 3) Which of these tricks won't help us to save water?
  - A. Use a glass of water to rinse your teeth
  - B. Don't flush rubbish down the toilet
  - C. Choosing a bath over a shower

#### LIVING ROOM quiz

Circle the correct answer

- 1) Which of these options is least likely to help us reduce our electricity bill when we are not using electronic devices like the TV, DVD players, or computers?
  - A. Unplugging the electronic devices
  - B. Using a power strip for multiple devices
  - C. Turning off the electronic devices
- 2) Which electronic device is the biggest power consumer in the living room?
  - A. The television
  - B. The DVD player
  - C. The game console
- 3) What is a good alternative to carpets?
  - A. Plastic covering
  - B. Hard wood
  - C. Synthetic floor