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## Speaking and Listening – Discussion

### 20 Energy Saving Tips – Matching Game 2

Print out and cut up the cards below, then match them to make sentences with 'instead of':

*instead of*

1. Use a hand fan	air conditioning.
2. Get used to lower temperatures at home	pretending to live in a tropical climate.
3. Hang thick curtains on all your windows	relying on blinds alone.
4. Take up hobbies that don't require electricity	using a lot of gadgets that need juice.
5. Use smart meters to keep track of energy usage	relying on guesswork and hope.
6. Limit what you print	printing every document.
7. Encourage your family to save energy	allowing them to run up a huge bill.
8. Shop around to get the best deal on energy	stubbornly sticking with the same provider.
9. Run a full washing machine	putting in just a few items.
10. Don't heat and light empty rooms	pointlessly wasting electricity.
11. Invest in solar panels for your roof	letting your property remain unmonetized.
12. Use cold water when washing your hands	being in the habit of using warm or hot water.
13. Buy newer more energy-efficient appliances	persisting with old outdated equipment.
14. Switch off your heating at night	leaving it on while you're asleep.
15. Turn down your thermostat a few degrees	insisting on sweltering temperatures.
16. Buy an electric car	continuing to pump petrol into a gas guzzler.
17. Ride an electric bicycle or scooter	driving a car.
18. Use draught excluders on internal doors	allowing heat to escape between rooms.
19. Don't cover radiators with furniture or curtains	blocking heat and not letting it circulate.
20. Move to a warmer climate	living in a country that is generally cold.