



# ENERGY

# Switch energy supplier and save up to £300

One of the simplest ways to save money on your energy bills is by switching supplier or tariff.

You can even switch if you use a prepayment meter, or if you have debt on your account of

less than £500 for gas and £500 for electricity and you're paying it off using a prepayment meter.

## It's easy to switch supplier or tariff

If you look at all the options on the market you will probably find something cheaper or which suits your needs better. However, the best way to save money is to use less energy

You will get the best switching information if you have these details handy:

- your postcode
- name of supplier
- an up-to-date meter reading
- name of your energy tariff\*
- usage in kWh\*
- bank details if you pay by direct debit

\*Find these on a recent bill

*You can switch without your usage details but you get a more accurate cost prediction with actual data*



**ANY QUESTIONS?  
South Seeds can help you switch and save – so get in touch**

### INDIVIDUAL HOUSEHOLDS

The best way to switch is to enter your address and how much energy you use into a price-comparison website. These include:

[www.uswitch.com](http://www.uswitch.com)

0800 6888 557

[www.which.co.uk/switch](http://www.which.co.uk/switch)

0800 410 1149 / 01259 220235

[www.energylinx.co.uk](http://www.energylinx.co.uk)

0800 849 7077 / 01259 220000

### COLLECTIVE SWITCHING

Another option is to join a collective switching group,

which should be able to negotiate better deals than individuals. Search online for collective switching campaigns.

### WARM HOME DISCOUNT

If you qualify for the £140 Warm Home Discount with your current supplier, your new supplier may not offer it, or the qualifying criteria could be different. If you've applied for the discount it may be worth waiting until you receive it before switching.

### SWITCHING TO RENEWABLES

Many companies offer 100% renewable electricity tariffs, and partially renewable gas tariffs. Renewable tariffs can be as cheap or cheaper than non-renewable tariffs and you'll be reducing your carbon footprint. They are usually highlighted on switching platforms, or check suppliers' websites for more information.



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