



What Bentley is Doing

Bentley's ongoing building energy efficiency program includes upgrades to energy-efficient heating and cooling equipment, high-efficiency lighting and occupancy sensors, and the installation of LED lights on outdoor walkways and in some buildings.

What You Can Do

Follow these simple steps to reduce our carbon footprint:

Faculty and Staff

- Shut down computers at the end of the day. Avoid "sleep" or "hibernation" modes.
- Turn off your power strip after shutting down your computer. This avoids wasteful standby mode.
- If your power strip is under your desk, reconfigure the layout so that it is easily accessible. Hide unattractive desktop power strips with picture frames.
- Always turn off the lights when you leave your office — even for short periods.
- Unplug phone chargers when not in use.
- If you work in an area where you have full control of your heating/cooling (Adamian, Morison, parts of LaCava), keep thermostats set between 68° F and 74° F and set your thermostat to lowest setting before leaving for the weekend and over breaks. Turn off baseboard heat.

Students

- Turn off lights, unplug chargers and turn off power strips when not in use.
- Keep thermostats set between 68° F and 74° F.
- Shut down computers fully — avoid "sleep" mode.
- Unplug appliances when not in use — power still runs to them when they are plugged in.

