

4 Maintenance Tips for Window Air Conditioners



Tip #1: Change the Air Filters

- **Daily use:** change the filter every three weeks; **Occasional use:** every six months
- Helps reduce allergens and minimizes dust buildup inside the unit and on the coils
- Improves air quality and the unit's performance
- Reduces hefty energy costs

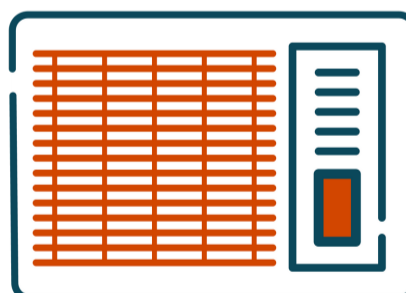


Tip #2: Regularly Clean the AC Unit

- Use a 3% hydrogen peroxide solution, or ½ vinegar and ½ water
- Turn the unit off and spray the outside. Wipe the front, between the grates, and around the unit
- Be mindful of corners and areas where water might collect, resulting in mold

Tip #3: Clean the Coils

- Clean with compressed air, a vacuum and brush attachment, a soft bristle brush, or a household cleaner and cloth
- Removes accumulated dirt, debris, and mold
- Aids in increased airflow



Tip #4: Inspect for Gaps

- Inspect the seal around your unit to ensure there are no gaps or openings
- If present, depending on size, use a foam weather seal or caulk to seal the gap(s)
- Prevents outside contaminants from entering your facility
- Eliminates costly air leaks