Home Energy Costs- Dr Aoife Foley

Showering

If you're using an electric shower, it's 81 cent for 15 minutes.

If you stand in it for half an hour that's €1.62

A normal hair dryer will cost you 11 cents for 10 minutes.

Faster drying hairdryers use more watts. More air for the faster dry. It is more expensive

Kitchen

Which is better, the Air Fryer, Slow Cooker or oven?

The oven is 68 per hour

Slow cooker 31 c for 6 hours

The air fryer is 10 cents for 20 mins

A sandwich maker is a great thing, 2cent for 5 minutes

To grill a sandwich, it may be 20 cents for about 5 minutes

Nespresso machine -Its 3 cent and if you're putting that on 3 or 4 times a day.

What about using the kettle?

A full kettle will cost you 7 cents for 5 minutes. Divide that by half for a half kettle.

Laundry

The iron is 85 cents for an hour.

People are ironing ridiculous things, like bed sheets. People are putting clothes into a tumble dryer, then throwing them into a basket and then ironing them.

Take the sheets out of the tumble dryer give them a good shake, fold them and put them away.

Working from home

Computer 3cent per hour

Work laptop 1c hour

A gaming computer is 7 cents per hour.