



LIGHTING MADE EASY

Just Look for the ENERGY STAR®

Only bulbs that have earned the ENERGY STAR label have been independently certified and undergone extensive testing to assure that they will save energy and perform as promised.



- ★ Use 75% less energy than incandescent bulbs
- ★ Save you \$40 to \$135 in energy bills
- ★ Provide the same brightness (lumens) with less energy (watts)
- ★ Last 10 to 25 times longer than incandescent bulbs
- ★ Help protect the environment and prevent climate change

ENERGY STAR certified CFL and LED bulbs are available in a variety of shapes and sizes for any application—including recessed cans, track lighting, table lamps, and more. You can even find certified bulbs that are dimmable. **Use this chart as a guide to finding the right ENERGY STAR certified bulb for your light fixture and remember to always check the packaging for proper use.**

	BULB TYPES					
TABLE OR FLOOR LAMPS		SPIRAL	A SHAPE			
PENDANT FIXTURES		SPIRAL	A SHAPE	GLOBE	MR16	CANDLE
CEILING FIXTURES		SPIRAL	A SHAPE	CANDLE		
CEILING FANS		SPIRAL	A SHAPE	CANDLE		
WALL SCONCES		SPIRAL	A SHAPE	GLOBE	CANDLE	
RECESSED CANS		MR16	SPOT	FLOOD		
ACCENT LIGHTING		MR16	SPOT			

BRIGHTNESS

For brightness, look for lumens, not watts. Lumens indicate light output. Watts indicate energy consumed. ENERGY STAR certified bulbs provide the same brightness (lumens) with less energy (watts). **Use this chart to determine how many lumens you need to match the brightness of your old incandescent bulbs.**

Old Incandescent Bulbs (Watts)	ENERGY STAR Bulb Brightness (Minimum Lumens)
40	450
60	800
75	1,100
100	1,600
150	2,600

COLOR/APPEARANCE

ENERGY STAR certified bulbs are available in a wide range of colors. Light color, or appearance, matches a temperature on the Kelvin scale (K). Lower K means warmer, yellowish light, while higher K means cooler, bluer light.

2700K	3000K	3500K	4100K	5000K	6500K
WARM			COOL		
Warm White, Soft White Standard color of incandescent bulbs.	Cool White, Natural White Good for kitchens and work spaces.	Natural or Daylight (think blue sky at noon) Good for reading.			

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