

PG&E - Marketing & Communications | Pool Summer Savings

Summertime means more time in the splash zone, but operating a pool can consume a lot of energy. And PG&E has some simple, energy efficient tips to maximize your savings the next time you dive in.

First, use a smaller, higher efficiency pool pump. Installing an Energy Star certified pool pump can save more than \$300 over the lifetime of the pump. Next, scale back the amount of time your pool pump runs by 60% to 75%.

It can trim up to \$500 off your bill each year. Plus, use a pool cover. It can save up to \$1,300 a year.

Installing a pool cover reduces evaporation, chemical consumption, and the need for maintenance by keeping your pool clean. And don't forget to dial down your pool temperature. It can turn up your savings by as much as \$280 a year. For more ways to keep energy costs down, visit pge.com/summer.