

To help avoid condensation you need to:

Rooms

Try to avoid only heating certain rooms in your home as this can create conditions for condensation as warm air and moisture travels and finds cold surfaces to cause condensation.

Bedroom

People produce a significant amount of moisture, for example throughout the night in a cold bedroom condensation can still form due to people sleeping in a room.

Kitchen

When cooking when steam is produced you should open a window or use an extractor fan if you have one.

Tumble Dryers

When drying clothes in a tumble dryer always ensure the tumble dryer is correctly vented.

Ventilation

Ensure there is ventilation in your home and a through flow of air to stop condensation forming. Open windows slightly and do not block air vents.

Bathroom

Ventilation is particularly important when you are having a bath or a shower so open a window or use an extractor fan if there is one.

Drying Clothes

Always dry clothes outside where possible or use a clothes dryer in a ventilated area away from heating if you need to do this indoors.

Heating

You may find that having your heating on for longer periods managed by a thermostat is cheaper than using it intermittently to warm a room quickly and reduces the risk of condensation.

