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Hint and Tip Number 13: The Benefits Of A Ceiling Fan In Winter

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Something many people don't realize is that ceiling fans are also beneficial to use in winter. That's because heat rises. It collects at the upper regions of a room even though you may not feel it right away.

Set Your Ceiling Fan For Winter

The winter setting of your fan is in a clock wise position and run at low speed. The winter setting distributes the ceiling heat toward the walls to circulate throughout a room. Your furnace, heat pump or boiler will shut off quicker and use less energy, and you and your family feel more comfortable.

If you want to make sure you have your fan in the right setting, stand right underneath the fan and blow some bubbles while the fan is going. If the bubbles tend to go straight down, it's a summer setting. If they blow outward toward the walls, you're set for wintertime.

If you don't have ceiling fans in your home and wish to install some, contact Thomas Edison Electric today. We'll be happy to assist you in selecting the right model that provides maximum performance and energy-efficiency within your budget.

