

1. The better you maintain your vehicle the more cost efficient it will be for you. A well-tuned engine burns less gas. Schedule regular maintenance checks and tune-ups.
2. Under-inflated tires make your car less efficient. Consequently, you waste more fuel driving the same distances and wear out the tread on your tires tread.
3. Don't carry unnecessary items in your trunk. The more your vehicle weighs the more fuel it will use. Clear your trunk space of unnecessary and heavy items.
4. Many gas stations charge extra for using credit cards. Learn which gas stations charge you extra; avoid these unnecessary charges and pay cash.
5. Don't top off the gas tank; this adds up. Too much gas can seep out of your tank. Don't buy gas that's going to seep out of your car.
6. If your gas cap does not fit snugly, buy a new one. Make sure you tighten your gas cap. Continually seeping gas or evaporating gas is far more expensive than buying a new gas cap.
7. Revving your engine, sudden stops and fast starts overexert your engine. Not only do these examples create wear on your engine, they burn more fuel because your car is working harder.
8. Even on cold winter mornings, your car doesn't need more than 1 minute to warm up the engine. Allowing your car to warm up longer is simply burning expensive fuel.
9. Make a list of errands you have to complete before you leave your home. Plan the most efficient route possible to limit your driving. This tip will save you fuel and valuable time.
10. Shop around your area for cheaper fuel. Often times, the difference you see can be as high as 10-15 cents per gallon.