

# ARE YOU AIR AWARE?

## Play air quality Bingo and find out!



Peel off the sticker for each action you complete and stick it on your Bingo sheet.

Or print the action sheet at home and cut and paste each completed action onto your Bingo sheet.

### LEARN

Read the "Are you air aware?" booklet



Google search "NIWA lesson one air quality" to watch a video about what's in our air

Search "air quality quiz" at [tasman.govt.nz](http://tasman.govt.nz) and complete the quiz to see how air aware you are

Complete the home air quality map (centre of info booklet)



Complete the air quality experiment and commit to repeating the experiment in winter to see the difference!

Google search "NIWA lesson nine air quality" to watch a video on actions you can take to improve air quality

Google search "warmer cheaper demos" to watch videos on how to reduce smoke from your wood burner

### SHARE

Share the air quality info booklet with a friend and encourage them to participate in the Bingo competition

Share the quiz with a friend (page 15 of info booklet) – see who gets a higher score!

Talk to your whānau and friends about what you have learned about air quality at your home

Put your home air quality map on the fridge as a reminder of the air quality actions you're going to take

Send a photo of your air quality experiment to [AirAware@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:AirAware@tasman.govt.nz)

Send a photo of your home air quality map to [AirAware@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:AirAware@tasman.govt.nz)

Send a photo of you taking air quality action to [AirAware@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:AirAware@tasman.govt.nz)

### ACT For everyone

Check your home insulation and investigate options for improving it. Google 'Warmer Kiwi Homes Programme' or local insulation provider 'Absolute Energy'

Check your vehicle tyre pressure. Low tyre pressure increases fuel consumption, which is expensive and bad for our air!



Check your curtains are clean, dry and free from mould

Swap a trip in the car for a trip on foot, bike, scooter or the bus at least once this week and reduce your vehicle emissions

Open your curtains and windows for at least 15 minutes every day to ventilate your home



Clean the filter on your heat pump using a vacuum cleaner or clean cloth

Check when your vehicle is due for a service. If it's overdue, book it in!



### ACT For good practice fires

Check where your firewood is coming from. Only burn good wood – make sure it's dry, not painted or treated, and stock up early

Check where your firewood is stored. Is it out of the rain? Is there airflow so it can dry out?



Book a chimney sweep



Commit to not damping down your fire overnight, let it burn out. Smouldering fires generate very little heat and lots of smoke

Recycle cardboard, glass, tins and plastics (1, 2 and 5 only). Dispose of other rubbish responsibly, don't burn it!

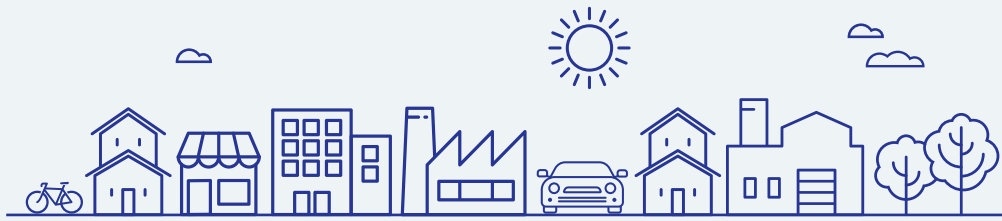


Upgrade your old wood burner with a more efficient burner or heat pump. (Google search 'Warmer Kiwi Homes Programme' for grant information)

Compost or mulch garden waste instead of burning it. Learn how by searching 'compost' at [tasman.govt.nz](http://tasman.govt.nz)

# BINGO SHEET

Be in to win!



When you complete each action, stick the corresponding sticker in the correct column (match the sticker colour to the column colour). **Collect at least one full row of three stickers to enter our prize draw.** Complete the whole sheet to go into our special draw. To enter the draw, send a copy or photo of your Bingo sheet to [AirAware@tasman.govt.nz](mailto:AirAware@tasman.govt.nz) or post to Tasman District Council, 189 Queen Street, Private Bag 4, Richmond 7050, Attention: Jessie Cross.

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## SCAN THE QR CODES BELOW TO LEARN MORE



Learn what's in our air



Take the air quality quiz



Actions you can take to improve air quality



How to reduce smoke from your wood burner

