

green guide

for the Lawn

There's no better place to go green than in your lawn. Cultivating a few changes in your lawn care routine can be a great way to improve the environment. Lawn care can produce ground level ozone, which is formed when warm temperatures combine with emissions, such as those from gas-powered lawn mowers, weed eaters and edgers. An hour of lawn mowing can produce as many emissions as a 1997 mid-sized car driven 125 miles. Keep these tips in mind:

- Mow your lawn in the evening instead of the warmer afternoon.
- Mow on a cloudy day rather than in full sun.
- Choose electric equipment rather than gas-powered.
- Keep mower blades sharpened to cut more efficiently.
- Decrease mowing area by landscaping with more shrubs, trees and flowers.



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