

KICKING OFF THE SEASON SUCCESSFULLY

With all the signs pointing to a busy summer, we wanted to share some hints and tips on getting your laundry off to a great start or finding the right washing machine for you.

A GREAT START

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Switch on your hot and cold water supply and fire up the boiler

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Make sure the machines are clean, especially the detergent drawer

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If the washing machine door has been closed run the hottest wash possible to eliminate odours

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Run a hot wash test cycle in each machine

- Make sure there's laundry in the machine
- Check for fault codes and that the machines are reaching temperature

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Run a test cycle with each tumble dryer

- Check for fault codes
- Feel for hot air coming through the exhaust ducting

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If you notice any issues then contact a commercial laundry specialist. And don't forget to check your services are up-to-date

FINDING THE RIGHT WASHING MACHINE

Lots of parks choose top loaders as they represent good value for money but there can be benefits to switching to front load machines:

Reduced running costs

Did you know that a top loader uses 3-4 times more water than a front load machine, putting more strain on your boiler as they often don't have heating elements? Front load machines have faster spin cycle reducing the time needed in the tumble dryer.

Due to the design of front load washing machines they're better at agitating the washing, giving you confidence your laundry isn't a source of infection.

Infection Control

Free up space

Front load machines can be stacked, taking up less space to free up valuable real estate.

Due to the design of top loaders, if there's an issue with the ball bearings they have to be repaired in a workshop (with 24 hours between installation and testing). Most issues with a front load machine can be resolved quickly on site.

Reducing disruption