

This week on Ireland’s Classic Hits Radio we’re looking at the grants that are available from the SEAI to heat your home efficiently.

**Heat Pump Checklist**

* If you want to avail of an SEAI grant, under the Better Energy Homes (BEH) programme, you must have a Technical Assessment completed on your home by a Registered Technical Advisor to confirm if your home is heat pump ready.
* Carry out any measures identified in the Technical Assessment to bring your home’s heat loss down to the required HLI level of 2 or less.
* [Apply](https://www.seai.ie/grants/home-energy-grants/how-to-apply/) for your SEAI grant under the Better Energy Homes (BEH) programme.
* When you’re ready to have a heat pump installed in your home, register with the SEAI and they’ll be in contact with you to arrange a site survey to design and size your heat pump.

**How it works**

* After you’ve registered, the SEAI heat pump team will give you a call.
* If you’ve had a Technical Assessment completed and you’ve received approval for your grant, they’ll arrange for a site survey to design and size your heat pump system.
* Once the survey of your property is completed, the engineer will recommend the best heat pump and provide details of the works required and the costs involved.
* If you’re happy, you then pay a 50% deposit (of the total price), and they’ll schedule the installation of your heat pump.
* Generally, installations take about a week. Pipework and radiators may need to be updated to get the best out of your heat pump.

**For more information:**

[www.seai.ie](http://www.seai.ie)

