

SHABBAT: MOVING FANS AND HEATERS

Shabbat: Moving a Fan

You may pick up and move a fan on Shabbat (even if it is operating) if you need it elsewhere but you may not plug it in or unplug it on Shabbat.

Shabbat: Moving Electric Heater

You may pick up and move an electric heater on Shabbat (and Jewish festivals) if it is:

- Off, in order to use the space where it is.
- On, in order to use the space where it is OR if you need the heat elsewhere.

NOTE You may not unplug the heater if it is on. You may unplug it if it is off, but only in order to move it.

Shabbat: Moving Flame Heater

On Shabbat, you may not move a kerosene or other heater that has a flame.

Shabbat: Using Electrical Devices for Non-Electrical Purposes

You may use an electric radiator or other electrical appliances for purposes other than their intended purposes on Shabbat as long as the appliances are not expensive.

EXAMPLE You may use an electric fan or radiator to prop open a window.