## How to bleed your radiators if they're not heating up properly

If heat isn't flowing through your whole radiator and it's warm at the bottom but cooler at the top, this may indicate there's some air in the system that needs releasing. You can do this by bleeding the radiator.

- 1. You will need a radiator bleed key and a cloth. First, turn off the heating and allow the system to cool.
- 2. Attach a radiator key to the bleed valve on the side of the radiator and gently turn it anti-clockwise until you hear the hissing sound of the air escaping. Do this slowly, as it can come out completely if you turn it too much.
- 3. Hold a cloth under the bleed valve to catch any excess water which may trickle out when the air has escaped. When this happens, close the bleed valve by turning the key clockwise.



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