# How to refresh clothes

There are a few different ways to freshen up your clothes without having to wash them.

We’ve identified three options to get you started.

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**You will need**

- Large freezer bags
- Cheap vodka
- Spray bottle

**Difficulty**

- Easy

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**Method**

**Option 1: Airing**

Airing is a really useful alternative to laundering clothes that just need freshening up.

And it’s very simple – just hang clothes outside on a washing line or on a hanger in a steamy bathroom.

**Option 2: Put your garment in the freezer**

The low temperature in a freezer kills off the bacteria that cause odours.

This method is really useful for garments such as jeans that can lose their fit when washed.

Again, it’s a simple fix – just put the garment in a large freezer bag and place in the freezer overnight.

**Option 3: Make your own fabric deodoriser**

If you fancy being a bit more creative, try your hand at making your own deodoriser.

Here’s how:

- Using a spray bottle, apply a light misting of vodka to your garment. The alcohol deodorises fabrics. Don’t worry - it won’t leave your clothes smelling of vodka
- You can add a few drops of essential oil or lemon rind if you want some fragrance
- You’ll need to let the garment dry before wearing it.

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