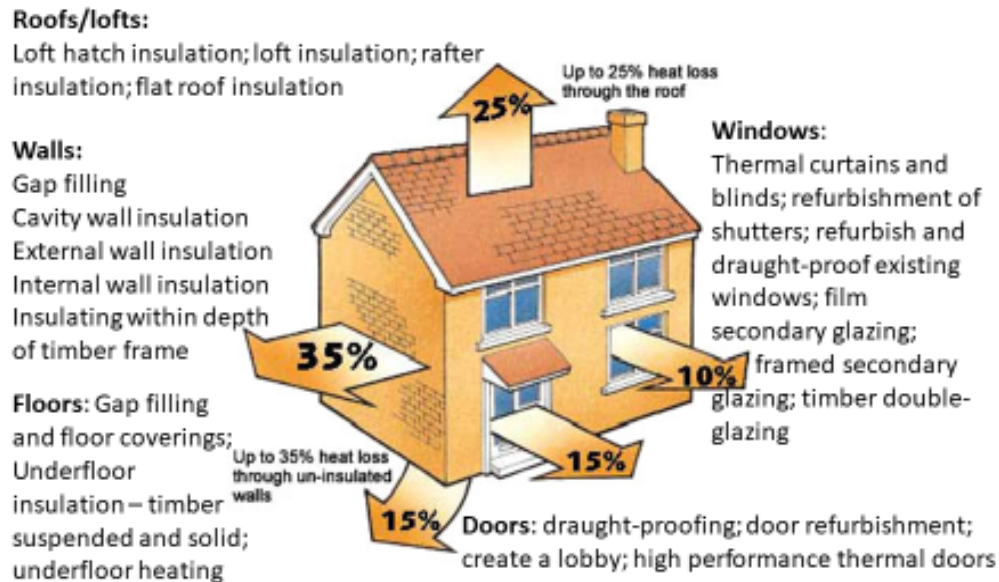


# Home Energy: Did you know that....?

- We all need to use energy more efficiently, to stop wasting heat from our homes, and to stop wasting electricity generally?
- In an uninsulated house, heat goes out in these proportions - with suggestions of what to do about it



- Turning down the thermostat on your central heating by only 1°C can save about 10% on your heating bill (probably about £100)
- Stopping draughts is a cheap and easy way to reduce heating bills
- Switching to a “green” electricity supplier is easy.
- A genuine “green” electricity supplier does not use fossil fuels at all. (Examples are: Good Energy; GEUK & Ecotricity)
- You can turn your home into an energy generator!
- Solar/ PV panels are now half the price they used to be
- You can calculate your home’s carbon emissions from your gas and electricity bills (see example and maps here) \*
- Badger Farm homes produce lower carbon emissions than our homes in Oliver’s Battery (*Why?*)
- New energy saving devices have been installed in the church – take a look.
- You can get free advice for reducing your home’s carbon footprint through the Winchester Area Super Homes (WASH) project ([wash@winacc.org.uk](mailto:wash@winacc.org.uk)).

<https://www.winacc.org.uk/take-action/lower-your-carbon-footprint>

\*[Improved emissions maps now live – Winchester Action on Climate Change \(winacc.org.uk\)](https://www.winacc.org.uk/take-action/lower-your-carbon-footprint)