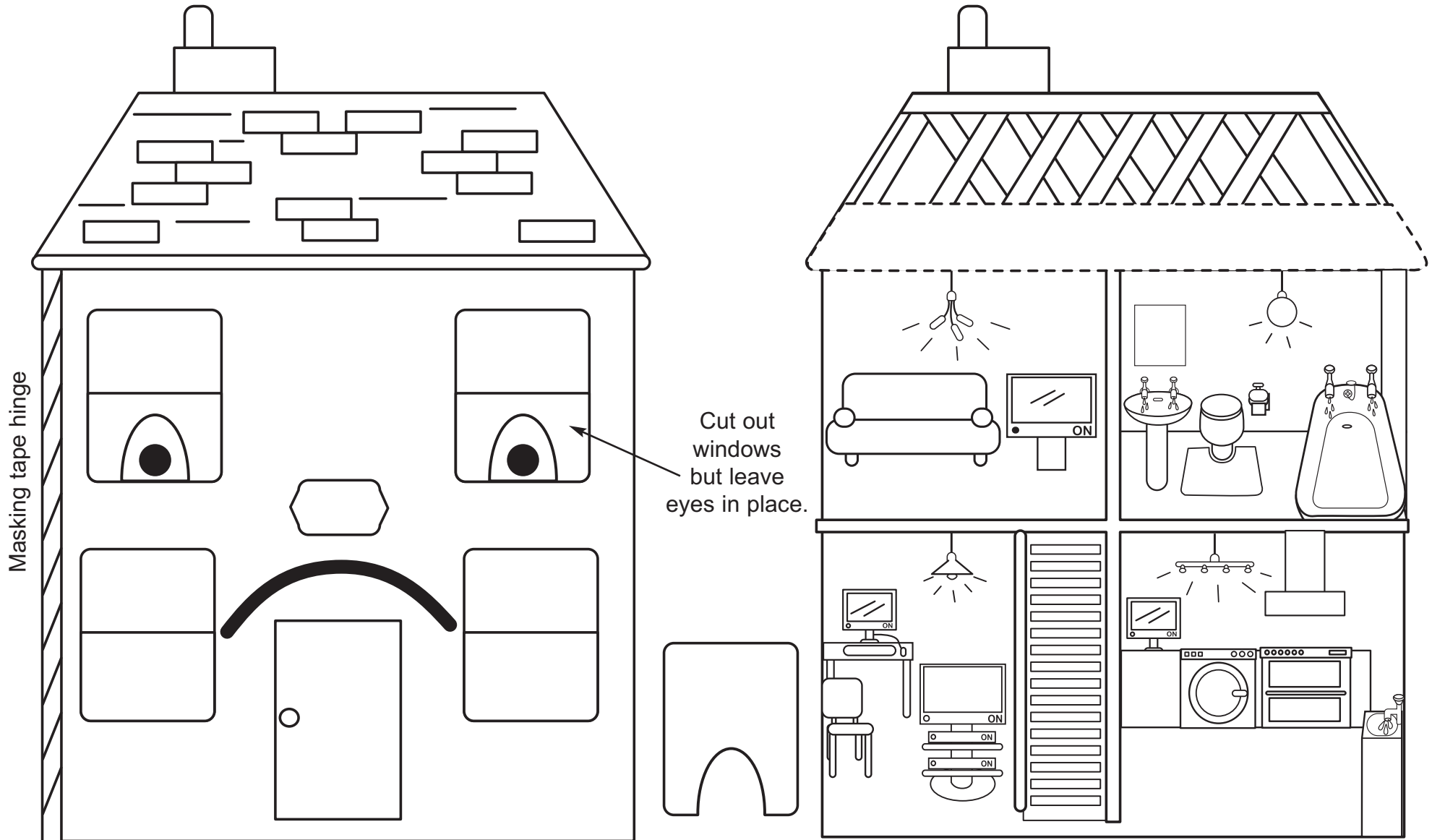


# The Finished Big Sad Wasteful House



Masking tape hinge

Cut out windows but leave eyes in place.



## Lesson Resources (KS1/P1-P3) The Big Green Happy House Assembly



### Make the Big Sad Wasteful House

#### Instructions for making the Big Sad Wasteful House

- 1.** Find some large sheets of cardboard or a big appliance box. You will need to make 2 flat cardboard sheets about a metre square.
- 2.** For the house's 'face', copy the features from the 'The Finished Big Sad Wasteful House' (page 1) onto the first piece of cardboard.

With the pupils:

- a)** Cut out window squares for 'eyes' leaving the iris and pupil in place.
  - b)** Cut the front door so that it opens. The whole of the front should hinge open too.
  - c)** Detachable mouth: for the mouth, make a separate curved mouth out of card. This will be Blu-taked onto the house so that when the house is 'happy' the cardboard mouth can be upturned into a smile and stuck on again.
  - d)** Draw on the door and the roof – the pupils help paint the features.
- 3.** For the inside of the house, take the second sheet of cardboard and draw the inside as per instructions. The loft should look bare and un-insulated.
  - 4.** Ask the pupils to 'furnish' the house with cut-out furniture and appliances from homeware catalogues. Make sure you include:
    - 4 non-energy-saving light bulbs.
    - 4 screens (3 TVs, 1 computer) obviously switched on.
    - Bathroom taps (you'll need to add some drips).
    - Kitchen taps (add drips).
  - 5.** Hinge the two pieces of cardboard together on the right hand side with wide masking tape.