

Plumber/heating engineer

- Fitting thermostatic radiator valves so temperature can be controlled in each room
- Adding inhibitor/descaler to your central heating water system whenever it is serviced

Upgrading insulation

- Identify a registered installer
- Obtain written quotations, preferably three
- Consult local references who have had the work done

Energy advice

Energy team at Citizens Advice, Reading can help with reducing cost of energy bills through

- Finding cheapest supplier
- Claiming any grants, benefits or discounts you may be entitled to
- Using less energy around the home

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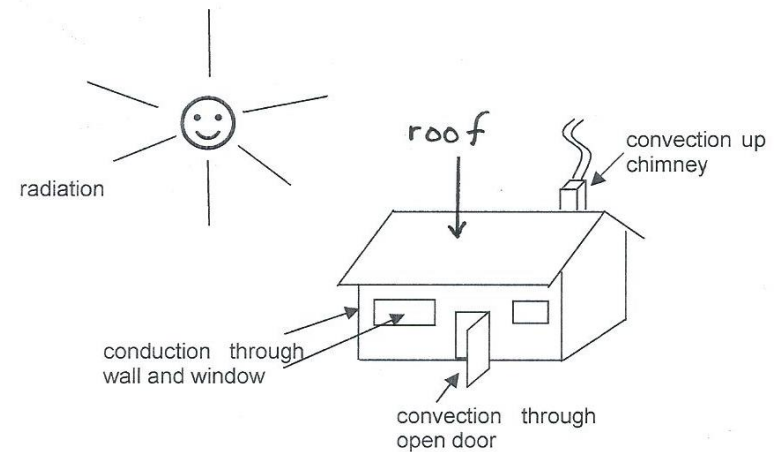
Further information

Leaflets on these measures and other relevant information is available at www.readingcan.org.uk

Getting the work done and creating warmer homes will reduce heating bills and help to limit climate change



Getting the work done



The older the building, the higher the heat loss as Building Regulations only began to require thermal insulation to be fitted from 1965 onwards and insulation standards have been progressively increased over the succeeding 50 years

Creating warmer homes

- Fit draft excluder around window and door frames
- Adjust temperature settings on thermostatic valves if fitted

- Identify possible grants and funding such as ECO, LAD or HUG