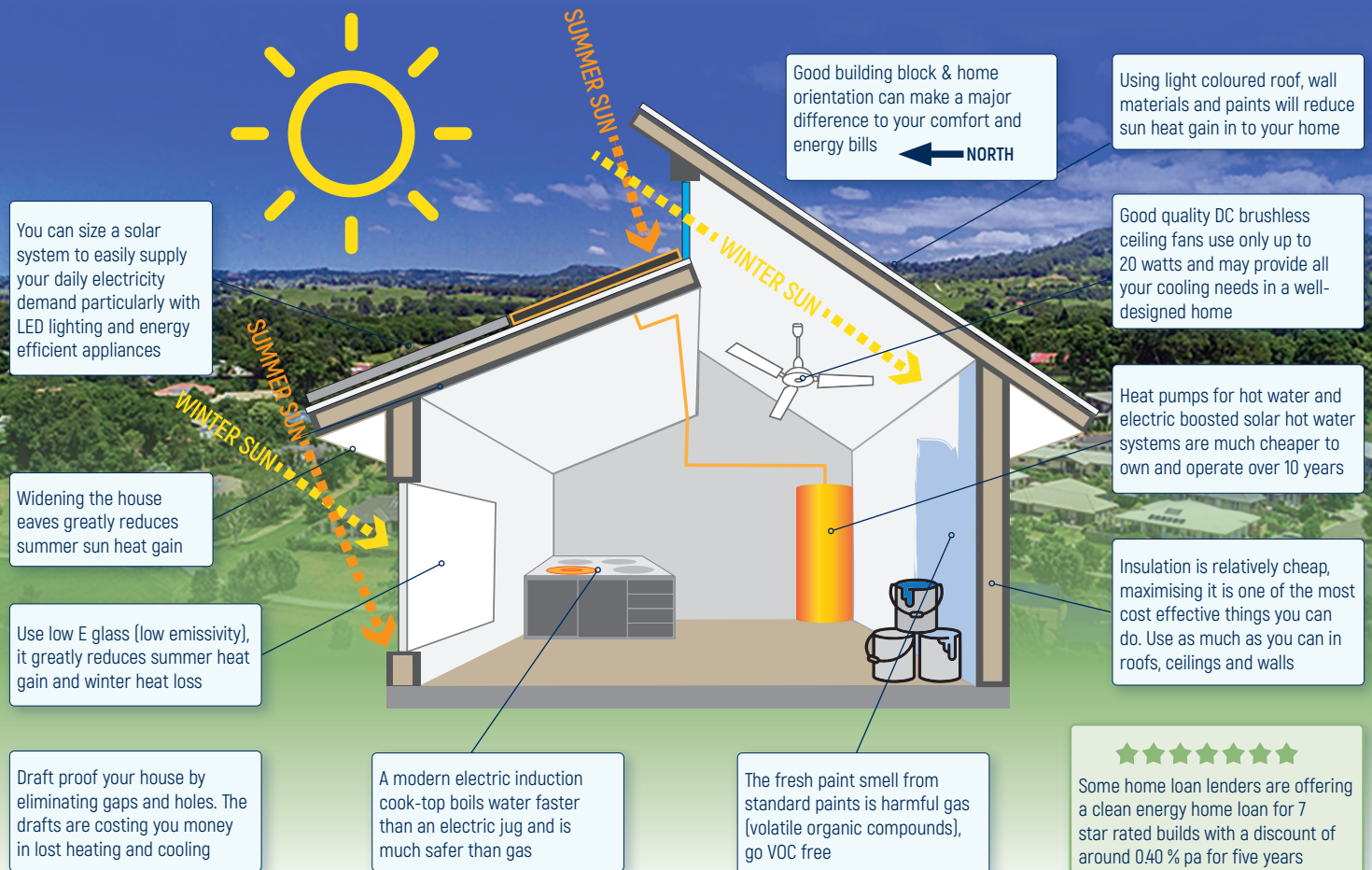


Dare to dream sustainably

design your home for a lighter footprint



Passive design principles can greatly enhance the comfort of your home and reduce ongoing running costs. It pays to factor in our sub-tropical climate when designing your home.

SUSTAINABLE HOUSE DESIGN CHECKLIST

HEALTHY

- ☒ Low toxicity glues and paints
- ☒ Natural fibres and materials

AFFORDABLE

- ☒ Build cost versus low running costs over long life of building
- ☒ Uplift in resale value

DURABLE

- ☒ Material longevity
- ☒ Low maintenance

WELL DESIGNED

- ☒ Good design,
- ☒ Site choice
- ☒ Optimum orientation

COMFORTABLE

- ☒ Year round stable temperature
- ☒ Naturally light
- ☒ Well designed ventilation, avoids AC

EFFICIENT

- ☒ All electric / Renewable energy
- ☒ Low energy use

FIND OUT MORE

- ➔ Your Home, Australian Government, book & free on line www.yourhome.gov.au
- ➔ All Electric Home E Book, Renew, \$5 download shop.ata.org.au/shop/the-all-electric-home-ebook
- ➔ Sustainable House Handbook
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