

POWER SAVER HEROES

MORE POWER
WASTED...
MORE ENERGY
STOLEN!

VOLTY:
THE VOLTAGE
VILLAIN

Defeat villains. Save energy. Become a hero.

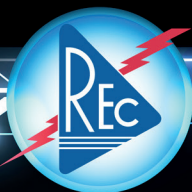
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DEFEAT

VOLTY
THE VOLTAGE VILLAIN

LEARN THE EASY ENERGY-SAVING MOVES THAT HELP YOUR FAMILY STOP VOLTY IN HIS TRACKS



CALLING ALL ENERGY HEROES!

MEET

VOLTY



Volty LOVES wasted energy.
Lights left on in empty rooms?

"DELICIOUS!"

Chargers plugged in
with no phone attached?

"EVEN BETTER!"

TVs glowing when nobody's watching?

"MY MIDNIGHT SNACK!"

The sneakiest trick Volty uses is something called phantom power. That's the energy some electronics use even when they're turned off. If something has a little light glowing when no one's using it, chances are Volty is secretly feeding on it.

BUT HERE'S THE GOOD NEWS...

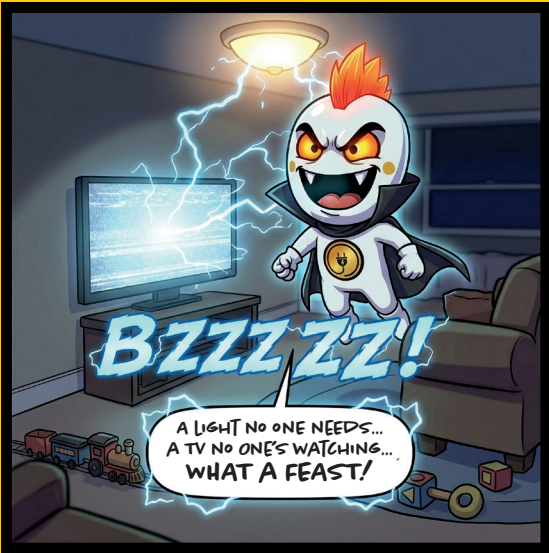
YOU HAVE THE POWER TO STOP HIM!

Use smart energy habits at home to weaken Volty and become an Energy Hero, saving energy and saving money on your family's electric bill. When families work together, Volty doesn't stand a chance!

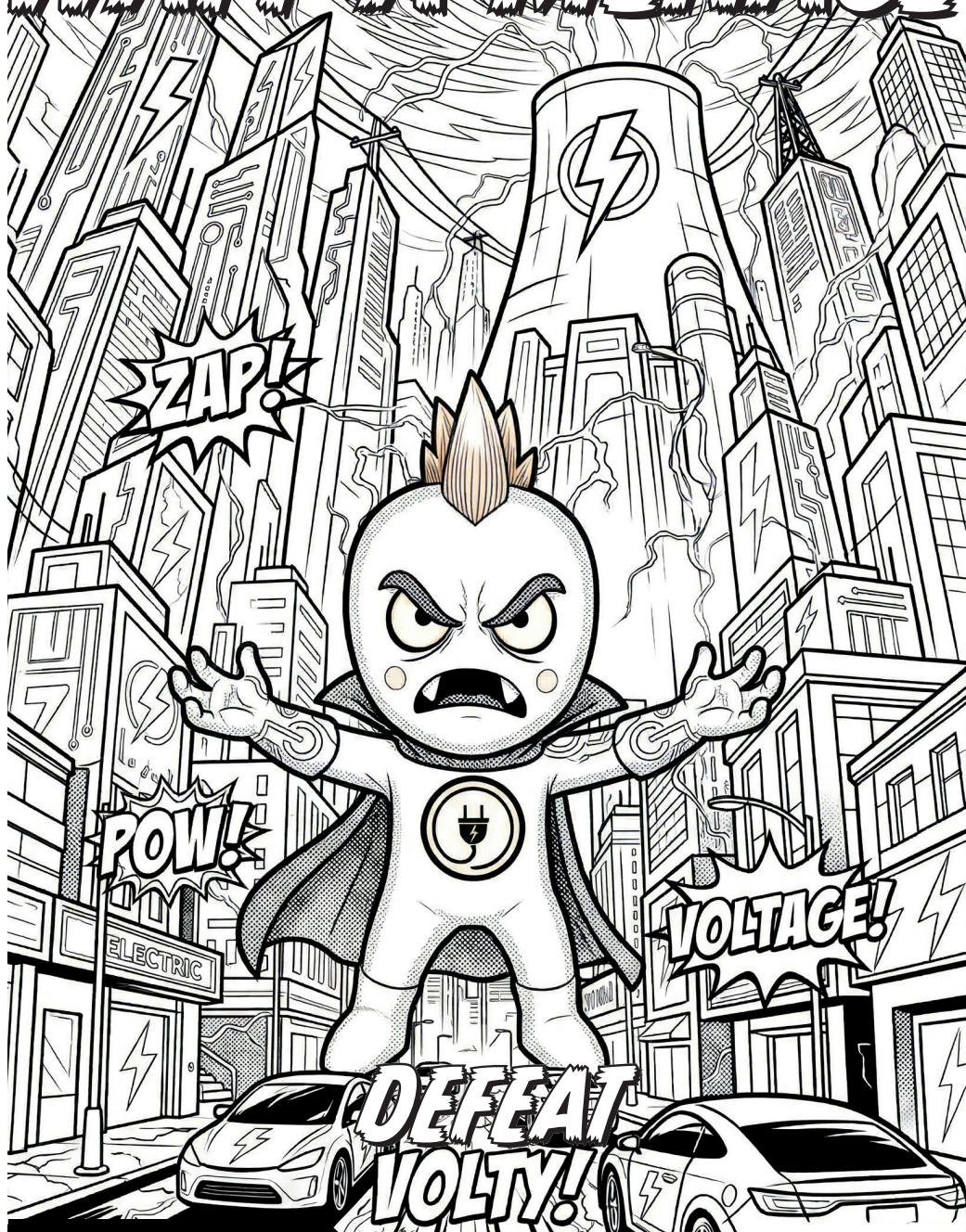


POWER SHIFT!

SMART ENERGY CHOICES
ZAP VOLTY'S POWER!



WATT A MENACE



RECLAIM YOUR POWER

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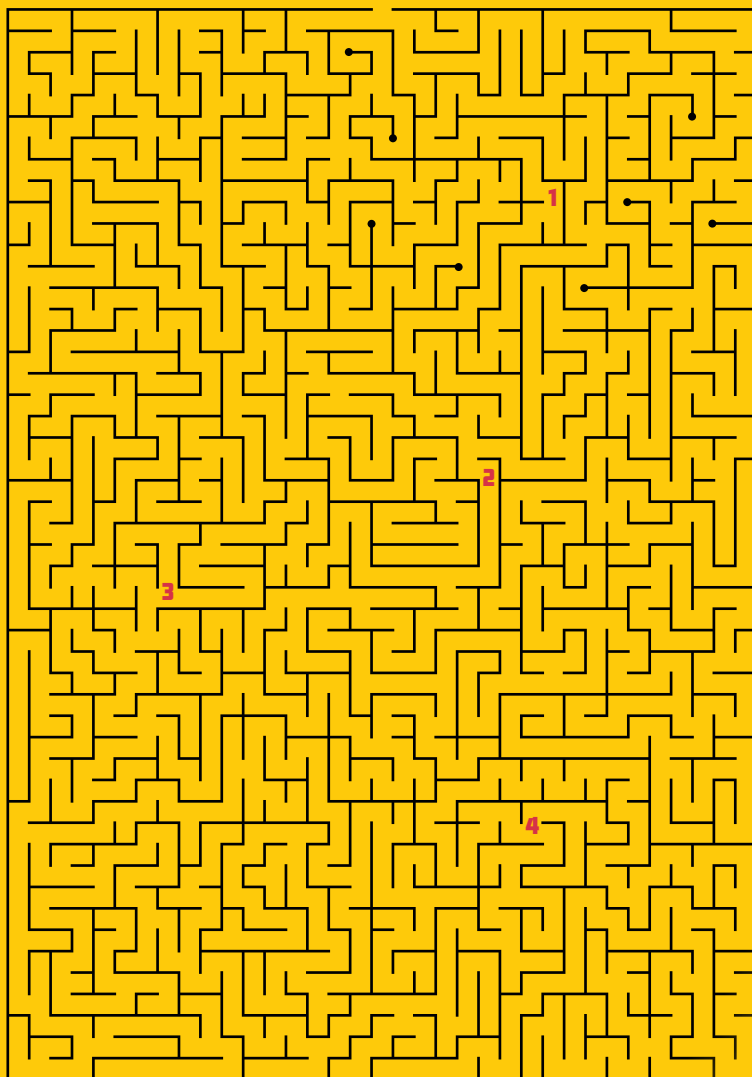
ENERGY TIP: Turn off the lights when leaving a room.
Small steps can make a big impact.



FIND THE SMART ENERGY PATH

Find your way through the maze! To help keep you on track, spot the energy-saving actions that help defeat Volty along the way.

START



FINISH



SWITCH TO
LED BULBS

1



UNPLUG
CHARGERS

2



USE POWER
STRIPS

3



TURN OFF
DEVICES

4

DID YOU KNOW?

Electronics can make up **22%** of your home's energy use!



Volty loves sucking up wasted energy.

The more waste he finds, the stronger he becomes!

REC
VOLTY
VOLTAGE VAMPIRE



Species VOLTAGE VAMPIRE

Superpower INFINITE ENERGY HUNGER

Favorite Snack GAMING CONSOLES LEFT ON

Favorite Room KITCHEN (SO. MUCH. POWER!)

Favorite Movie NIGHT OF THE LIVING POWER BILLS

Favorite Read DIARY OF A WIMPY WATT

Best Move PLUG & PLAY

Known For PHANTOM POWER FEEDING

VILLAIN STATS

Energy Drain	■■■■■	Electricity Overuse	■■■■■
LED Resistance	■■■■■	Arrogance	■■■■■
Vampire Power	■■■■■	Common Sense	■■■■■

But Volty fears kids who look for ways to save energy.
Fill out your own Energy Hero card below!

.....
Your Name

ENERGY HERO

Species

Superpower

Favorite Snack

Favorite Room

Favorite Movie

Favorite Read

Best Move

Known For

HERO STATS

Energy Awareness ☐☐☐☐☐ Light Switch Ninja ☐☐☐☐☐

Watt Watching ☐☐☐☐☐ Eco Hero Level ☐☐☐☐☐

Plug Pulling ☐☐☐☐☐ Voltage Vigilante ☐☐☐☐☐



YOU'LL NEVER CRACK MY POWER PUZZLE

SOLVE THE PUZZLE AND PROVE YOU'RE AN ENERGY HERO!

Fill in the puzzle by drawing the six energy symbols.
Each row, column, and 3x2 box must contain every
symbol once. No repeats!



TV



LIGHT BULB



PLUG



LAPTOP



GAME



LAMP

VOLTY'S SCRAMBLED SECRET

Volty scrambled a message so no one would learn his weakness. Crack the code and reveal the secret that stops him!

Use the decoder key to turn the numbers back into letters and write the message below.

- 1 = A
- 2 = B
- 3 = C
- 4 = D
- 5 = E
- 6 = F
- 7 = G
- 8 = H
- 9 = I
- 10 = J
- 11 = K
- 12 = L
- 13 = M
- 14 = N
- 15 = O
- 16 = P
- 17 = Q
- 18 = R
- 19 = S
- 20 = T
- 21 = U
- 22 = V
- 23 = W
- 24 = X
- 25 = Y
- 26 = Z

21 14 16 12 21 7

21 14 21 19 5 4

3 8 1 18 7 5 18 19

20 15

19 20 15 16

13 5

NOOO!
POWERED
DOWN
AGAIN!

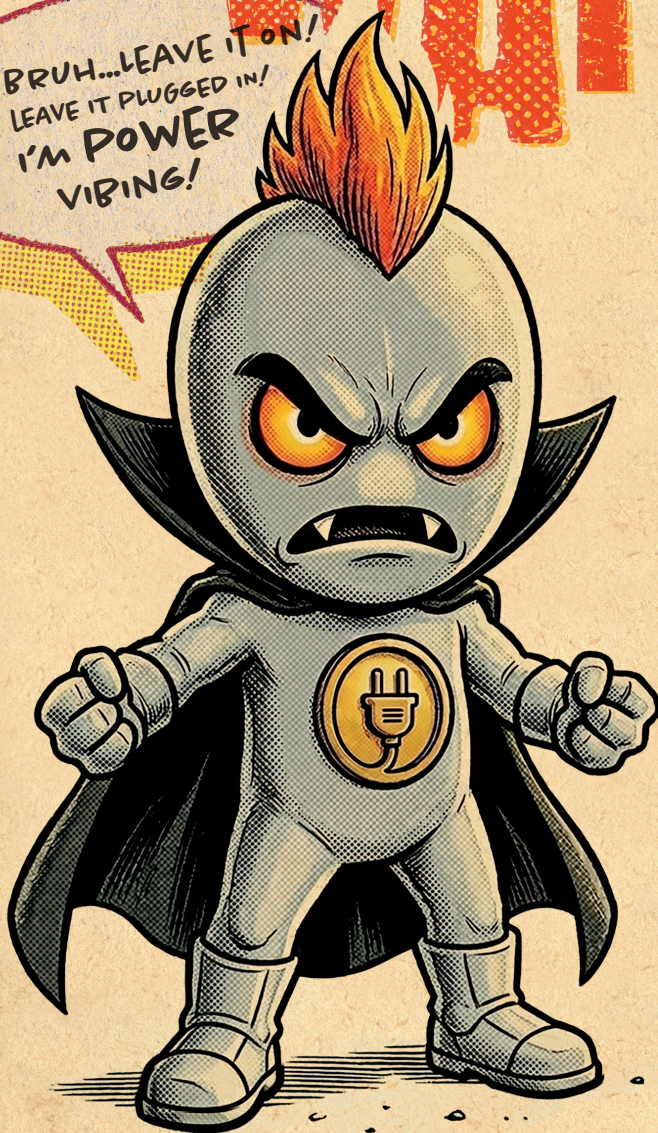


POWER SHIFT!

UNPLUGGING CHARGERS STOPS PHANTOM
POWER, AND TAKES AWAY VOLTY'S ENERGY!

WASTED WATTS

BRUH...LEAVE IT ON!
LEAVE IT PLUGGED IN/
I'M POWER
VIBING!



FIND THE SNEAKY ENERGY-WASTING DEVICES HIDING IN THIS ROOM

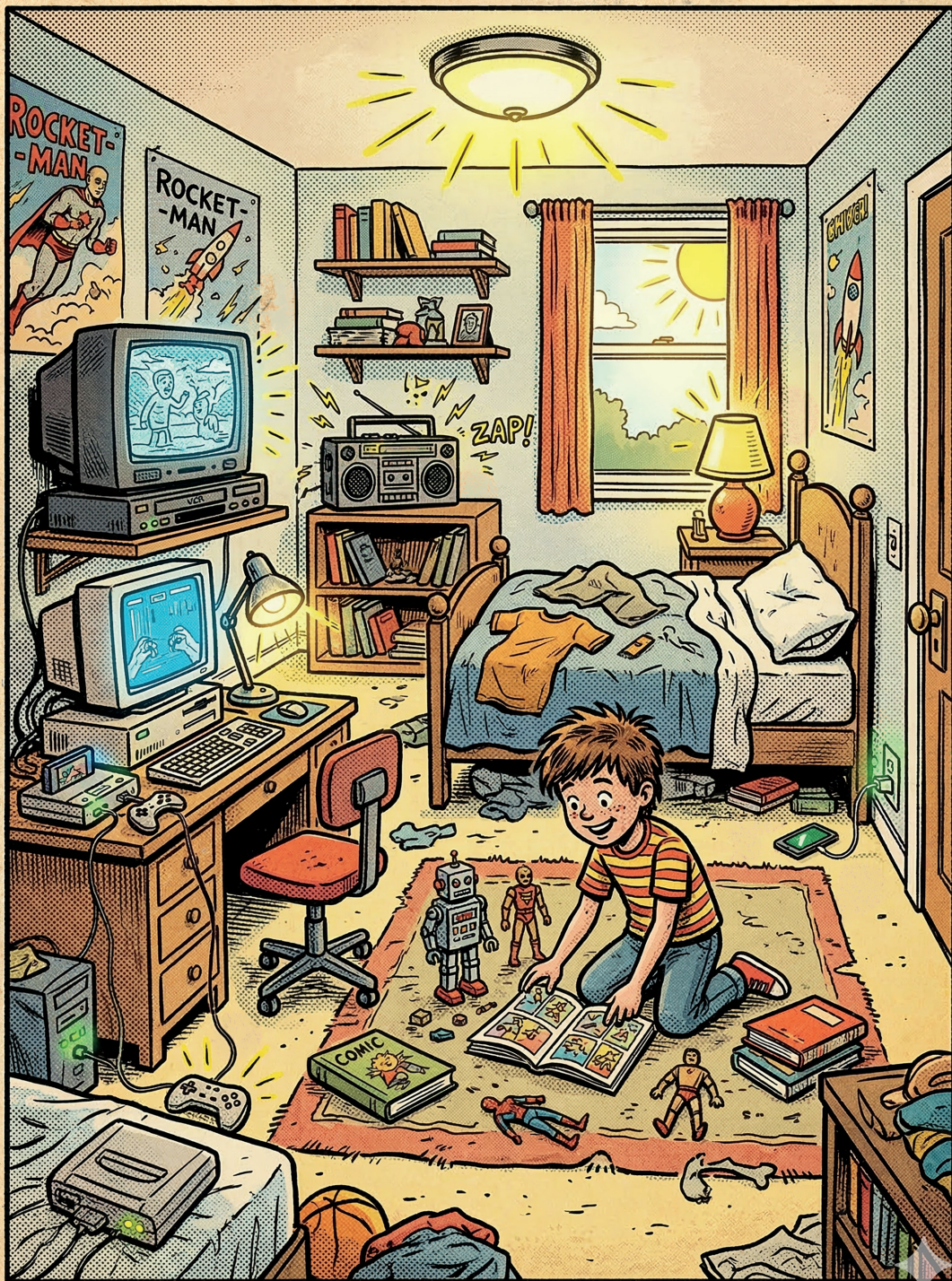
LOOK CAREFULLY AT THE PICTURE
AND CIRCLE EVERY DEVICE
THAT'S WASTING POWER.

CAN YOU FIND THEM ALL?

WHEN YOU'RE DONE, TALK WITH
A GROWN-UP ABOUT HOW TO
TURN THEM OFF, UNPLUG THEM,
OR POWER THEM DOWN TO
SAVE ENERGY AND SAVE
MONEY ON YOUR FAMILY'S
ELECTRIC BILL.

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POWER SHIFT!

IF SOMETHING HAS A LIGHT ON WHEN NOBODY'S USING IT, TURN IT OFF OR UNPLUG IT TO WEAKEN VOLTY'S POWER!

ANSWERS: Bedside Lamp • Ceiling Light • Gaming Consoles • Computer Hard Drive
Computer Monitor • TV • Desk Lamp • Radio • Cell Phone Charger

BE AN ENERGY HERO

12 POWER MOVES TO DEFEAT VOLT

01. KILL "VAMPIRE POWER" WITH SMART POWER STRIPS
02. TURN DEVICES FULLY OFF, NOT JUST ASLEEP
03. UNPLUG CHARGERS WHEN THEY'RE NOT CHARGING
04. SWAP OLD BULBS FOR ENERGY-SAVING LEDS
05. DITCH EXTRA REFRIGERATORS OR FREEZERS
06. CLEAN FRIDGE COILS AND SEAL THE DOORS TIGHT
07. SET YOUR THERMOSTAT WISELY IN WINTER
08. SKIP SPACE HEATERS WHEN POSSIBLE
09. SEAL AIR LEAKS AROUND DOORS AND WINDOWS
10. DON'T OVER-COOL YOUR HOME
11. USE FANS TO COOL PEOPLE, NOT EMPTY ROOMS
12. CLOSE SHADES DURING THE HOTTEST PART OF THE DAY

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