



Inputs, processes and outputs

3rd Class

Print and cut along the dashed lines, then hand one card to each group. These carry the **text a group reads** — a job to do, a brief to research, or notes to identify by. They are not sorted or sequenced, so there is nothing to match on screen.

Toaster

A kitchen toaster. Bread goes in the slots. You push the lever down. Heat browns the bread. Toast pops up. ⚡ ⚡

Torch

A hand torch. You press the switch. Electricity goes to the bulb inside. A beam of light comes out. ⚡ ⚡

Automatic door

A shop or school door that opens by itself. A person steps on the mat or walks in front of a sensor. The door motor runs. The door swings or slides open. ⚡ ⚡

Pencil sharpener

A classroom pencil sharpener. You put in a blunt pencil and turn the handle (or press it in). Blades shave the wood. A sharp point comes out, and shavings collect inside