



Everyday Materials

Year 2 Science Knowledge Organiser Summer Term 2024

This term, in Science, we will learn about the uses of everyday materials including wood, plastic, metal, glass, brick, paper and cardboard. We will then go on to compare the suitability of different everyday materials for different purposes. We will explore how objects made of some everyday materials can change shape and how the recycling process is able to reuse some everyday materials numerous times. We will take part in activities including, discussions, debates, sequencing and go on a local walk working scientifically to identify the uses of everyday materials in the local area.



Examples of Everyday Materials



Key Vocabulary

materials wood
plastic metal paper
waterproof properties
absorbent stretchy
opaque glass
twist bend squash

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Have a look at these different materials...

If you were going to sort them into two groups, how would you do it?

