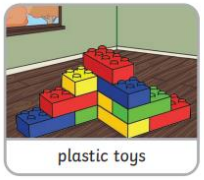
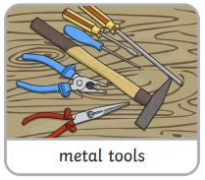
Everyday Materials – Knowledge Organiser

object	An object is something that you can touch.


plastic toys


wooden furniture


metal tools


drinking water


glass window


paper books


brick houses


fabric clothing


stepping stones

material	A material is what the object is made from

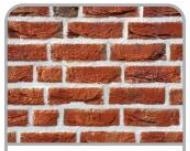

plastic


wood


metal


water


glass


brick


fabric


paper


stone

Natural materials	Some materials occur naturally. They are things that come from plants, animals, or the Earth.
Human-made materials	Human-made materials are made by people

Describing Materials

shiny 	Shiny things are bright and reflect the light.
dull 	This brick wall isn't shiny. It is dull.
smooth 	A plastic ruler is smooth. It is not bumpy.
rough 	A sponge is rough. It is bumpy
hard 	A radiator is hard. It is difficult to change its shape. It is difficult to scratch it.
soft 	A tissue is soft. Its shape can be changed easily. It can be scratched easily.
transparent 	A window is transparent. That means you can see through it.
opaque 	Objects you can't see through.
flexible 	Objects that are bendy.
rigid 	Objects that are not bendy.
absorbent 	A material that is good at soaking up liquids like water.
waterproof 	If something is waterproof, it keeps water out. It keeps things dry.