Science **Materials** Year 2 Autumn 1

## Properties of Materials











paper: lightweight, flexible.







Vocabulary

materials	Materials are what objects are made from.
suitability	Suitability means having the properties which are right for a specific purpose.
properties	This is what a material is like and how it behaves (soft, stretchy, waterproof).

People who developed new materials:



John Dunlop originally used rubber to make tyres for his son's tricycle.



Charles Macintosh invented the first waterproof fabric by painting a dissolved rubber solution onto cloth.



materials	Materials are what objects are made from.
suitability	Suitability means having the properties which are right for a specific purpose.
properties	This is what a material is like and how it behaves (soft, stretchy, waterproof).

Quiz		
What did Charles Macintosh invent?		
What are the properties of paper?		
What are the properties of rubber?		
What are the properties of glass?		

Some common materials and their properties		
Wood	Hard, strong, stiff	
Plastic	Strong, shiny, bendy	
Glass	Transparent, smooth, stiff	
Metal	Hard, strong, shiny	
Water	Runny, wet, clear	
Rock	Hard, strong	

Wood	Plastic
Glass	Metal
Water	Rock