Year 1: Materials

Subject	Specific Vocabulary	Classification	Important Knowledge
transparent	Allows light to pass through	TRANSPARENT	 I know why different materials have been used to make different objects. I know the difference between humanly constructed and manmade.
opaque	You can not see through it	OPAQUE	 I know what properties materials have and how they are constructed. I know the meaning of transparent
absorbent	Able to soak up a liquid		and opaque and know why it is useful that some materials are transparent. I know what elastic is and can explain what happens as elastic is stretched. I know how to describe the season we are currently in and I can say how I know.
elastic	An object that can return to its shape after being pulled		
naturally constructed	Made of only natural materials		 □ I know how to explain the change in temperature from last half term until now. □ I know how to measure the
humanly constructed	Made by man		temperature and can explain how it has changed.
prediction	A forecast	My question: My prediction: predict that	Working Scientifically ☐ I can make a detailed prediction. ☐ I can design and conduct a fair experiment.
investigate	Observe what happens	How will you do this?	 I can observe features of my local environment and name what I have seen. I can record my findings in a table.
experiment	A scientific test	FAIR TEST I will keep the same: I will change:	☐ I can explore the world around me and use everyday experiences to talk about observations and help answer
material	Anything that has a name.		questions. I know how to test an object.