

What are everyday materials and how do we use them?



Wood - is a natural material - grows from trees	  	Metal - is a natural material - comes from ore in rocks	  
Plastic - is a man-made material - is made from oil	  	Stone - is a natural material - comes from rocks	 
Glass - is a man-made material - is made from sand	  	Fabric - can be a natural or man-made material - is made from wool, cotton or oil	  

Key Vocabulary

Material	What an object is made of ... the chair is made of wood.
Property	What is the material like the wood is rough and rigid.
Natural	The material is found on the Earth or grown on the Earth by animals or plants.
Man-made	The material is made by man usually in a factory.

How we can describe different materials

hard or soft rough or smooth shiny or dull waterproof or non-waterproof transparent or opaque rigid or bendy