

St. John's Gosport Church of England Primary School - Science Knowledge Organiser

Year 2 Changing Materials - Why do we choose materials to do certain jobs?



Substantive Knowledge

Materials can be **changed** by **physical force** (twisting, bending, squashing and stretching).

The properties of a material determine whether they are

Disciplinary Knowledge	
Performing simple tests.	Ú



Charles Macintosh was a Scottish chemist, best known for his invention in 1823 of a method for making waterproof garments. The mackintosh garment was named for him.



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Significant Scientists

Beth Esponette has a Bachelor of Science in Fibre Science and Apparel Design and is a dynamic scientist and designer who stands at the forefront of innovation in the fashion industry. She is on a mission to revolutionize the way we perceive and produce clothing.





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Key Vocabulary	
changed	Different from before.
physical force	When objects touch making them move in some way.
absorb	To soak up or take in liquid.
crumbly	Easily broken into a lot of little pieces.
property	How a material can be described.
drag	Pull something along with difficulty.
suitable	Right for the purpose.
strongest	Objects or materials that are not easily broken.
flexible	Bends easily without breaking.



