



Sacred Heart Catholic Primary School



Science Year 3 Topic: Forces and Magnets Prior Knowledge Application of Knowledge Year 2— find out how the shapes of solid objects. Notice that some forces need contact between two

Year 2— find out how the shapes of solid objects made from some materials can be changed by squashing, bending, twisting and stretching



Notice that some forces need contact between two objects, but magnetic forces can act at a distance

Observe how magnets attract or repel each other and attract Some materials and not others

Compare and group together a variety of everyday materials based on whether they are attracted to a magnet, and identify some magnetic materials

Describe magnets as having two poles predict whether two magnets will attract or repel each other, depending on which poles are facing

What will I know by the end of this topic?

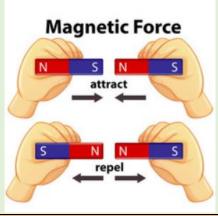
What objects are attracted to magnets?

What objects are repelled by magnets?

Can you describe the features of a magnet?

Which way do magnets have to face each other to attract each other?

Which way do magnets have to face each other to repel each other?



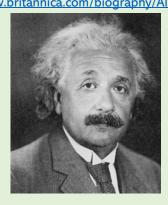
Key Vocabulary Force Pushes or pulls A force that acts between two surfaces or objects Friction that are moving, or trying to move, across each surface The top layer of something. An object which produces a magnetic force that magnet pulls certain objects towards it. Objects which are attracted to a magnet are magnetic. Objects containing iron, nickel or cobalt magnetic metals are magnetic. The area around a magnet where there is a magnetic magnetic force which will pull magnetic objects field towards the magnet. North and south poles are found at different ends poles of a magnet. Repulsion is a force that pushes objects away. For example, when a north pole is placed near the repel north pole of another magnet, the two poles repel (push away from each other). Attraction is a force that pulls objects together.

Famous Scientist

Albert Einstein

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https://www.britannica.com/biography/Albert-Einstein



Books/ Websites

attract (pull together).

https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zhj9r2p



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Marvellous Machines, *Jane Wilsher*

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