

# Knowledge Bank: Year 3 Science - Forces

### Key Facts:

### **Forces**

Friction is the resistance on surfaces and objects when moving over each other.

# **Magnets**

A magnet does not need to touch an object to create a force.

Magnets attract and repel forces on each other.

Magnets have two poles, North and South

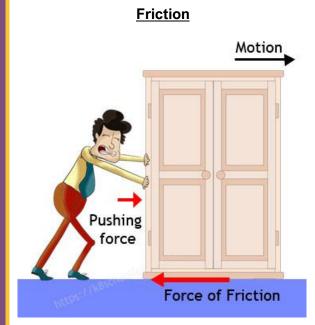
Some surfaces are magnetic and others are non-magnetic

Magnets attract to some materials

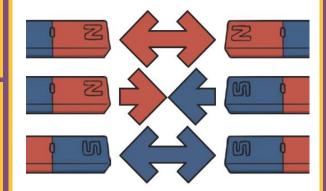
Magnetic forces are affected by magnet strength, object mass, distance from the surface and material of the object.

# what I should already know:

## Diagrams/Images:



### **Magnets**



### **Key Vocabulary**

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force	A force is a push or a pull on an object.
resistance	A force that opposes or slows down another force.
Newton	The unit used to measure a force.
magnetic	Materials which are attracted to the magnetic field of a magnet.
non- magnetic	Materials which are not attracted to the magnetic field of a magnet.
pole	North and South poles are found at different ends of a magnet.
repel	A force that pushes an object away.
attract	A force that pulls objects together.

### Working Scientifically

- To ask relevant questions.
- To set up simple practical enquiries, comparative and fair tests.
- To make careful observations.
- To report findings from enquiries.