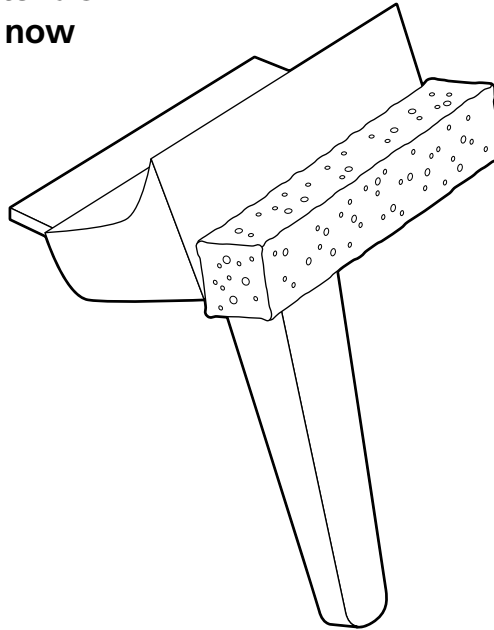


# Common plastics

Plastics are 'designer' materials.  
They are all artificial and now  
have millions of uses.



**Q1.** Here are some properties of three plastics. A is hard and shiny, B is soft and elastic, C is soft and absorbent. Label the three plastics on the squeegee. (A picture of the squeegee is on page 22 of the pupil book.)

**Q2.** What is the purpose of plastic C?

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**Q3.** What is the purpose of plastic B?

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**Q4.** Why can sharp detail be seen in plastic toys?

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**Q5.** What kind of plastic is used to make a lunchbox?

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**Q6.** Name four properties of plastics that make them useful for making bottles.

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3 ..... 4 .....