Vocabulary

Lesson: Why are so many toys made out of plastic?

experiment	a test used to discover new information about a question
freeze	when a liquid turns to solid, like when liquid water freezes to solid ice
glass	a material people make that's easy to see through
invention	a new object or way of doing things that someone creates
liquid	a state of matter, such as water when you can pour it
material	what something is made of, like metal, wood, or plastic
matter	anything that takes up space and has weight; can be in different forms such as solid, liquid, or gas
melt	when a solid turns into a liquid, like when ice melts into water
metal	a natural material that is often shiny and you cannot see through it
plastic	a material people make that can be formed into almost any shape
solid	a state of matter, such as water when it is frozen ice
states of matter	the different forms of matter that include solid, liquid, and gas
wood	a natural material that comes from trees