



Six Simple Machines

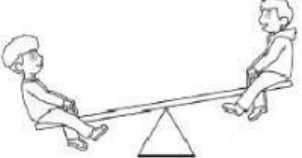
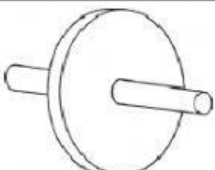
A simple machine changes the direction or size of a force.

It makes it much easier to pull or push something over a longer distance.

Use the word bank below to complete the examples of the six simple machines.

Word Bank

screws	lever	inclined plane	see-saws
wheel and axle	wedge	cranes	pulley
drill	axes	slides	doorknobs

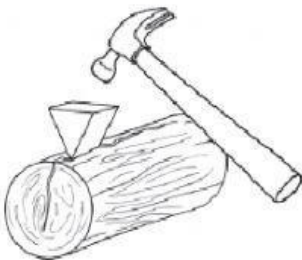
Machine	Example
	• oars • wheelbarrows • _____ • fishing rods • scissors
	• skateboards • _____ • rollerblades
	• _____ • wells • elevators



- jar lid
- tap
- _____
- end of lightbulb



- _____
- ladder
- ramps



- _____
- staples
- nails
- doorstops