Inventions

1 **Fill in the missing letters and match the words with the pictures. Then write the object next to its description.**

a) I__K ☐ c) T__BLE__ ☐ e) __ __N ☐

b) P__P__R__S ☐ d) __ARC__M__NT ☐ f) K__I__E ☐









It's made of clay. _____

It's made of animal skin. _____

It's a liquid used for writing. _____

It's made of river plants. _____





2 **Complete the sentences:**

a) Johannes Gutenberg lived in _____.
(Spain/Germany)

b) He invented an important machine around _____.
(1450/1850)

c) It could make _____ books at the same time.
(many/a few)

d) He made _____ out of wood.
(letters/pictures)

e) And put them together to make _____.
(chairs/words)

f) He covered the words with _____.
(ink/oil)

g) His _____ pressed the words onto paper.
(assistant/machine)

h) His invention was called the _____
(printing press/electronic book)



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3 **Cross (x) the older machine in each pair. Write how they work: <u>human energy</u>, <u>wind energy</u>, <u>steam energy</u>, <u>electricity</u> or <u>horse energy</u>.**

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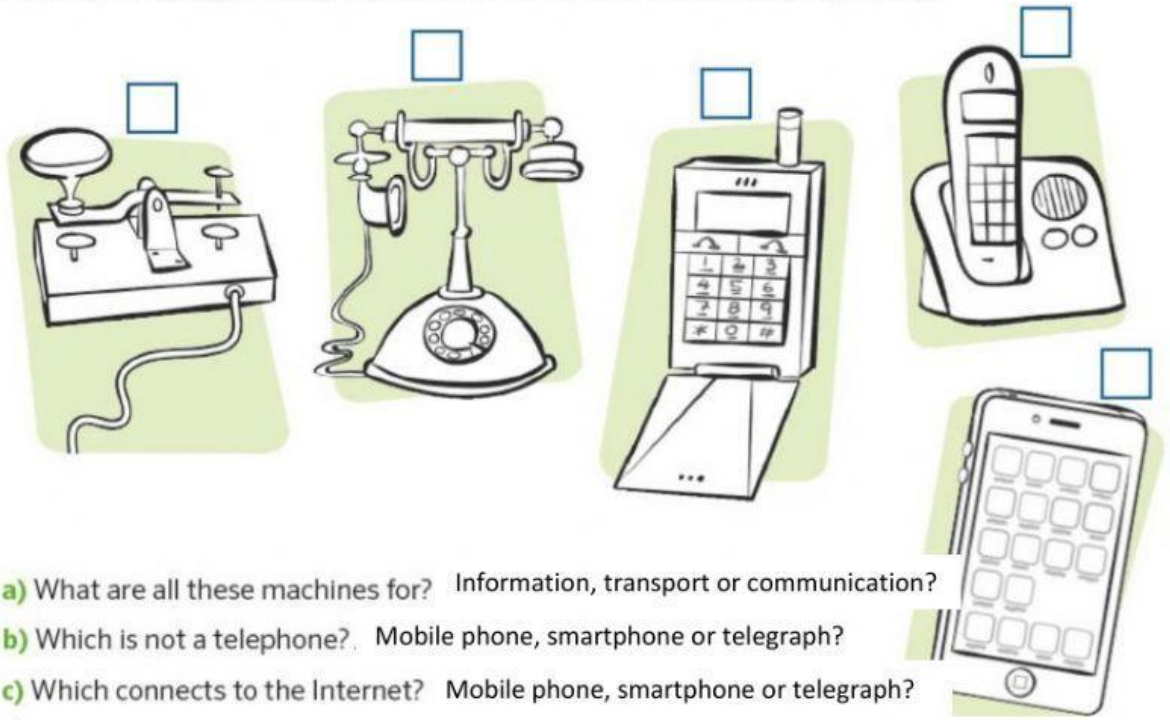
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4 **Order these machines from the oldest to the newest. Answer the questions.**



a) What are all these machines for? Information, transport or communication?

b) Which is not a telephone? Mobile phone, smartphone or telegraph?

c) Which connects to the Internet? Mobile phone, smartphone or telegraph?

a) b) c)