Did you know?

Read these interesting facts about machines with a parent, carer or teacher.



A machine is a man-made device.



Machines need electric power to make them move or work.



Batteries power some devices, such as torches and toys. A battery is a store of electric power.



Vehicles, such as aeroplanes, cars, buses, lorries, boats, helicopters and diggers, are machines that transport people or goods.





A mechanic is a skilled worker who repairs and maintains vehicle engines and other machinery. A robot is a machine that does a task. They only do the tasks for which they have been built.



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Key vocabulary

Explore these words together. Talk with an adult about what each word means and use the words in a sentence or as you play.



aeroplane



battery



boat



bus



car



device



digger



electric



engine



helicopter



lorry



machine



mechanic



robot



torch



transport



vehicle







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