

**Strand:** Matter & materials

**Topic:** Metals and Non metals

**Key Terms:** metals, non- metals, conduct, rusting, magnetism

**Activity 1**

Learners **investigate, compare** and **record** properties of household materials using the known properties of metals and non-metals - such as copper wire, coins, nails, pots, knives and forks and some non-metal objects such as chalk, a stone, a pile of sand.

**Activity 2**

Further **investigate** other properties such as heat conduction, magnetism and rusting

**Activity 3**

**Research and write** about uses of metals and the reasons for use

**Assessment:** Ensure that learners write observations in their exercise books

**Reference:** <https://nect.org.za/materials/natural-sciences-technology>

**Message of the week:** Home schooling is as old as education itself. Let us embrace the opportunities of home confinement to bring schooling into the homes.