Main Learning: Electricity

Key knowledge

Date Learning began	Know what electricity is and why it so important to us
	Know how important electricity is at home and our lives
	Know how batteries work and how they are used in toys
	Know what we mean by a circuit and how to construct one
	Know who Thomas Edison and Lewis Howard Latimer were
	Know about some common conductors and insulators

Vocabulary

circuit	Is a completed path through which an electrical current flows
Lewis Howard Latimer	Lewis was a one of the key people involved in many inventions, including the light bulb. Because he was black it was thought he was not recognised for his inventions
Thomas Edison	A famous American inventor who is associated with the invention of the light bulb
battery	Is a device that stores chemical energy and makes it available in an electrical form
cells	An electrical cell is a device that is used to generate electricity
appliance	Is a device that uses electricity to perform a function









Prior Knowledge-