Electricity

Year 4 — Autumn 2

Glossary

Talk like a scientist



H	Electricity	A type of energy that can be used to power items like kettles, toasters and televisions.
	Electrical circuit	A complete path around which electricity can flow. It must include a source of electricity, such as a battery.
\bigcirc	Complete Circuit	A complete circuit is one with wires connected to both the positive and negative ends of the power supply.
\bigcirc	Circuit diagram	A circuit diagram is a drawing to represent an electrical circuit.
O+ O+	Conductor	A material that electricity can pass through easily.
0+0+	Insulator	A material that does not allow electricity to pass through it easily.

