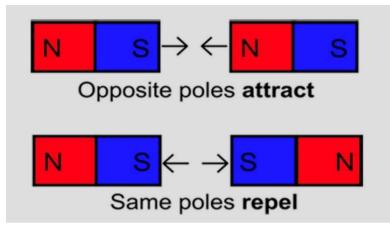
VOCABULARY The scientific word for the force pulling and pushing effect The force that makes it friction difficult for things to move when they touch each other. motion Moving from one place to another accelerate Speeding up Slowing down decelerate When two forces are equal and balanced force 1. Iron there is no motion A piece of iron or other material Nickel magnet which attracts some metals towards it Something that acts like a magnetic magnet North and South ends of a pole magnet The force of one object pulling attract another object towards it repel The force of one object pushing another object away from it The area around a magnet magnetic field where the magnetic forces work



Non-Magnetic Material

1. Aluminium

Copper

Gold

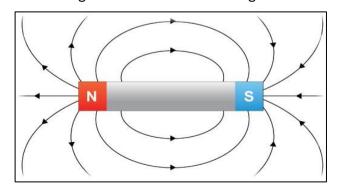
4. Silver

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Magnetic Field Diagram Magnetism is strongest at the ends of the magnet.

Magnetic Materials

Steel



How does a compass work?

This is a compass



- 1. A compass is used to find which direction you are facing.
- 2. They were invented over 2000 years ago
- 3. It was often used by sailors and explorers in the past to help find their way
- 4. The thin metal pin inside is suspended so it can spin freely
- 5. The pin always points North
- 6. Now people often use Global Positioning Systems (GPS) rather than a compass

Points of the Compass

