



Yr5 - Structures



Key Vocabulary

Frame	The strong skeleton that holds something together, like the bones that hold your body up.
Tension	A pulling force that stretches something, like when you pull both ends of an elastic band.
Structure	Something made by putting parts together so it can stand up and do a job, like a bridge or building.
Stability	How well something stays standing without wobbling, falling, or tipping over.
Joint	A place where two or more parts are connected together.
Balance	When forces are even so something stays steady and doesn't move or fall.
Durability	How long something lasts and how well it resists damage, wear, or breaking.
Tilt	A move or cause to move into a sloping position.
Beam	A strong, usually straight piece that helps hold weight, often used in roofs or bridges.



