Year 5: How do forces effect how objects fall?

Subject Specific Vocabulary		Interesting Book	Sticky Knowledge
friction	Friction is a force between two surfaces that are sliding, or trying to slide, across each other.	Important facts to know by the end of the forces topic:	about Forces Frictional force is any force that is caused due to friction. An example of this might be when you put on the brakes on your bike.
gravity	Gravity is a force which tries to pull two objects towards each other.		
air resistance	Air resistance is a type of friction between air and another material. For example, when an aeroplane flies through the air.		Gravity is the pulling force acting between the Earth and a falling object, for example when you drop something. Gravity pulls objects to
water resistance	If you go swimming, there is friction between your skin and the water particles.		the ground. Surface resistance is the force on
levers	A lever can be described as a long rigid body with a fulcrum along its length.		objects moving across a surface, such as an ice-skater skating on
pulleys	Pulley is a simple machine and comprises of a wheel on a fixed axle, with a groove along the edges to guide a rope or cable.		☐ Any kind of force is really just a push or a pull.
gears	Gears are wheels with teeth that slot together. When one gear is turned the other one turns as well.	 Know what gravity is and its impact on our lives. Identify and know the effect of air resistance. Identify and know the effect of 	Air resistance is the force on an object moving through air, such as a plane moving through the sky. Air resistance affects how fast or slowly objects move through the air
parachute	A parachute is a device used to slow down an object that is falling towards		
	the ground. As the parachute opens, the air resistance increases. • Identify and know the effect of		☐ Water resistance is the force on objects floating on or moving in
Galileo	Galileo developed the telescope to enable close observation of the night	friction. • Explain how levers, pulleys and	water.
Newton	During his lifetime, Newton developed the theory of gravity and made breakthroughs in the area of optics, such as the reflecting telescope.	gears allow a smaller force to have a greater effect. Know who Isaac Newton and Galileo were.	Magnetic force is an invisible force created by electrons. Magnetic force controls magnetism and electricity.

