- 1. <u>Force</u> ~ a push or a pull that changes the motion, size, or shape of an object; measured in newtons (N)
- <u>Contact Forces</u> ~ a force that requires contact between two objects
- 3. Noncontact Forces ~ a force that doesn't require contact

Shearing Force ~ a force that distorts material by slippage along a plane parallel to the force. Buoyant Force ~ an upward force exerted on objects in a fluid

Tensile Force ~ a force that results from a pull on an object

Contact Forces

Compressional Force ~ a force that results from squeezing an object Elastic Force ~ force that acts to pull a stretched object back to its regular shape

Friction ~ a force that resists motion in two objects that are touching

Strong Nuclear Force ~ an attractive force which acts on the protons and neutrons of an atom Gravitational Force ~ a force of attraction between any two objects; depends on mass and distance (diagram pg. 211)

Noncontact Forces

Weak Nuclear Force ~ the force within the nucleus that is responsible for certain types of radioactivity Electromagnetic Force ~ determines the ways in which electrically charged particles interact with each other and with magnetic fields (attracting or repelling); depends on distance

1. <u>Net Force</u> ~ the sum of all the forces acting on an object *Forces in the same direction are added; forces in opposite directions are subtracted

2. <u>Balanced Force</u> ~ when the net force equals zero; there is not change in motion $\int 2N$



3. <u>Unbalanced Force</u> ~ when the net force is greater than zero; there is a change in motion



- <u>Work</u> ~ the action that results when a force causes an object to move; the motion must be in the same direction as the force (copy chart on pg. 244); W=fd where f=force in Newtons and d=distance in meters; measured in joules (J)
- 2. Energy ~ the ability to do work; measured in joules (J)

- 1. <u>Power</u> ~ the amount of work done (a.k.a. the energy provided in a period of time); P=W/t; the unit for power is the watt
- <u>Machine</u> ~ a device that makes work easier by changing the size or direction (or both) of a force in one of four ways (see next slide)
- 3. <u>Resistance Force</u> ~ the force needed to do work without a machine (a.k.a. load force)
- 4. <u>Effort Force</u> ~ the force needed to do the same work with a machine
- 5. <u>Mechanical Advantage</u> ~ a measure of how much a machine increases a force applied; no units
- 6. Ideal MA ~ MA that doesn't take friction into account

- 4 Ways Machines Make Work Easier
- 1. Machines can change the direction of a force.
- 2. Machines can reduce the size of the force that must be applied.
- 3. Machines can transfer force from one place to another.
- 4. Machines can increase the size of the force.

Examples in the reading.....pgs. 256-257

- Efficiency ~ the measure of the amount of useful work done by the machine compared with the amount of work done to make the machine operate; Efficiency = (work output/work input) * 100
- <u>Work Output</u> = the resistance force / distance; measured in Joules
- 3. <u>Work Input</u> = force*distance; measured in Joules
- <u>Actual MA</u> ~ MA that takes into account friction and any other forces working against the efficient operation of a machine; AMA=efficiency*IMA