







Contact and Non-Contact Forces

Grade 3: Forces Causing Movement

Handout

1. Sort contact force vs non contact force:

Action	Contact or Non-Contact
Kicking a ball 	
A magnet pulling a coin 	
The balloon you just rubbed through your hair makes your hair stand up. 	
Throwing a ball 	
Dropping an orange 	
Pushing a swing 	

2. What force is pulling on you right now?

3. There are two types of forces. What are they?