W/c 1.3.21 L/O - I can carry out a simple test and record my results.

The shield we need to build for Eric the Knight needs to be **strong** and **hard**. Fill in the table below to show the amount of weight that each material held before collapsing.

Material	Weight supported by material
Fabric	
Wood	
Cardboard	
Paper	
Metal	
Plastic	
Foil	

Which material held the most weight?						
Which material is the strongest / weakest?						
Which material would you choose to build a shield for Eric? Explain your answer.						