



Key Aim

By the end of this topic, pupils will be able to understand and describe how sounds are made.

Sound

Something that can be heard.

Vibration

When an item moves backwards and forwards very quickly.

Medium

An object that can transfer energy.

Pitch

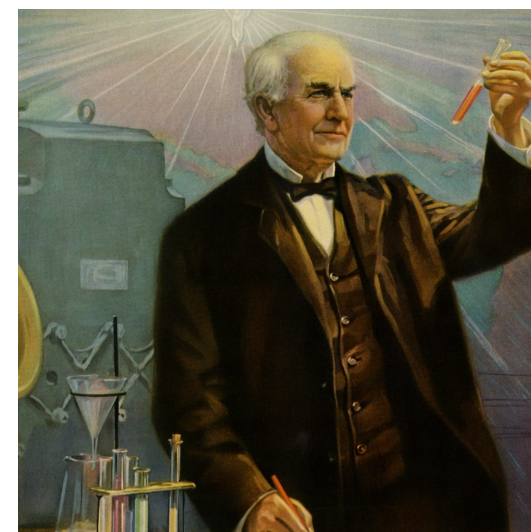
How high or low the tone of a sound is.

Volume

How loud or quiet a sound is.

Ear

The organ of hearing and balance.



Thomas Edison developed methods of recording sound.

We will learn about how sounds travel to our ears, the difference between pitch and volume, and how we can manipulate each with different materials.