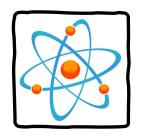
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## **RIF VOCABULARY SCAFFOLD**

**Atoms:** the smallest part of an element



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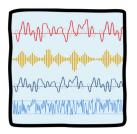
**Energy:** the power to provide heat



**Matter:** the material that everything in the universe is made of, including solids, liquids, and gases



**Frequency:** the number of waves that pass any point per second



**Refraction:** the bending of light rays by a clear substance such as plastic, glass, and water



**Friction:** when one surface rubs against another



**Pigments:** a natural substance that makes things a certain color



**Magnify:** to make something appear bigger



**Wavelength:** the distance between two points on energy waves such as sound or light

