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Which scientist is known for the prism experiments that demonstrated the spectrum of visible light?
○ Albert Einstein
○ James Clerk Maxwell
○ Isaac Newton
○ Niels Bohr
What phenomenon explains the bending of light as it passes from air into water?
○ Reflection
○ Refraction
○ Diffraction
○ Interference
Which of the following are part of the electromagnetic spectrum? (Select all that apply)
☐ Gamma rays
☐ X-rays
☐ Sound waves
☐ Infrared
What device is used to measure the intensity of light?
○ Spectrometer
○ Photometer
○ Oscilloscope
○ Thermometer
What are the effects of light diffraction? (Select all that apply)
Light spreads around obstacles
Light bends at interfaces



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☐ Light changes speed ☐ Light forms interference patterns
Which applications utilize light waves? (Select all that apply)
☐ Fiber optics
Lasers
☐ Nuclear reactors
Spectroscopy
Which of the following are properties of light waves? (Select all that apply)
☐ Wavelength
☐ Frequency
☐ Mass
☐ Amplitude
What is the range of wavelengths for visible light?
○ 100-400 nm
○ 400-700 nm
○ 700-1000 nm
○ 1000-1300 nm
What type of wave is a light wave?
○ Longitudinal
○ Transverse
○ Mechanical
○ Surface
Which color of visible light has the shortest wavelength?
○ Red
○ Green
○ Blue
○ Violet

Which phenomena can occur when light interacts with matter? (Select all that apply)



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☐ Absorption
Reflection
☐ Transmission
Evaporation
Which property of light is related to its brightness?
Which property of light is related to its brightness:
○ Wavelength
○ Frequency
○ Amplitude
○ Polarization
What is the approximate speed of light in a vacuum?
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