

Tiles, masonry and concrete

Individual task



Task 1: Write the correct technical term next to the right explanation.

trowel	mortar bucket	mixing paddle
grout sprayer	tile cutter	tile adhesive
mortar	grout	concrete

1. A _____ is used to put mortar on bricks and masonry blocks.

2. A _____ is used to mix water and binder.

3. A _____ is used to mix plaster, concrete and tile adhesive.

4. A _____ is used to apply grout, sealant or silicone.

5. A _____ is a machine that cuts tiles.

6. _____ is an adhesive that attaches tiles to walls and floors.

7. _____ is a ready-made mixture of cement, sand and water used to bond bricks and fill joints.

8. _____ is a substance for filling and sealing joints between tiles.

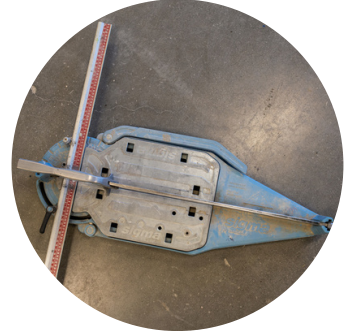
9. _____ consists of cement, water and sand and is used for casting.

Task 2: Draw a line between the correct technical term and the picture.

a)



trowel



mortar bucket



mixing paddle



grout sprayer



tile cutter



tile adhesive



grout



mortar

b)



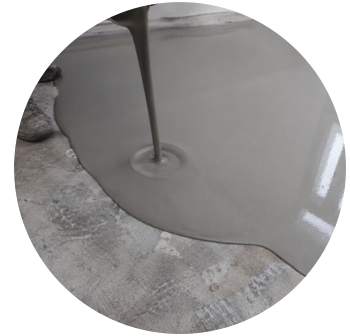
brick



concrete



cement



armouring



bond pattern



self-levelling compound



laying tiles



formwork

Task 3: Write the explanation.

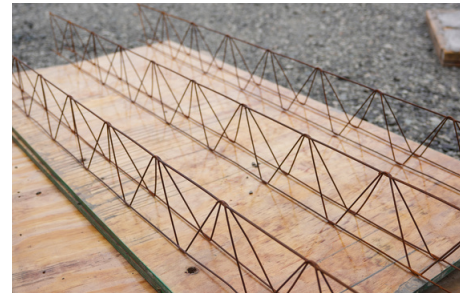
a) Find the technical term "mortar".
Write the explanation.



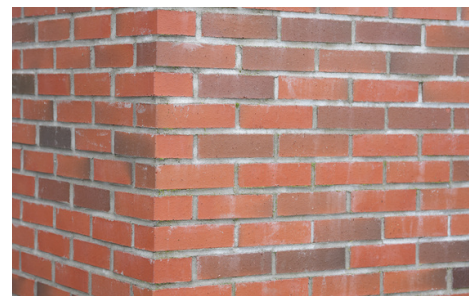
b) Find the technical term "concrete".
Write the explanation.



c) Find the technical term "armouring".
Write the explanation.



d) Find the technical term "bond pattern".
Write the explanation.



e) Find a technical term you did not know before.
Write the explanation.

Task 4: Write a text.

- You are going to write a text of 150–300 words.
- You must use 10 or more technical terms.
- Choose task a) or b).

a) You work as a tiler or bricklayer. You have helped tile a bathroom. Write about what you did.

Examples of technical terms you can use: self-levelling compound, concrete, tile adhesive, tile cutter, laying tiles, bond pattern, formwork, joint, grout, grout sprayer, mortar, mortar bucket, trowel, plastering board, cement and brick.



You can also use other important technical terms from the KLAR app: armouring, mixing ratio, mixing paddle, steel, casting and brickwork.

b) What job would you like to work in? Write about a day at work in this profession.



Tiler



Bricklayer



Concrete worker

You can also use other important technical terms from the KLAR app: concrete, tiling, brickwork, accurate, practical and maintenance.