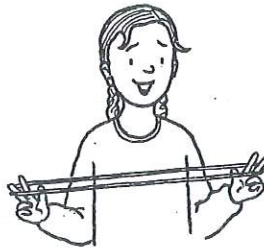


# At a stretch

Understand that a stretched elastic band exerts a force

Mina is stretching  
an **elastic band**.

- Draw red arrows to show which way she is pulling.
- Draw green arrows to show which way the elastic band is pulling.
- Describe what happens when you stretch an elastic band.



Mina



Don't let go suddenly when you stretch an elastic band.



## Word-bank

expand  
longer  
pull  
push  
shorter  
spring  
stretch  
thicker  
thinner

- Describe what happens when you stop stretching it.



Now try this!

- Plan an investigation to find out how much an elastic band can stretch.