

BUCKETS AND SPADES - THE SEASIDE IN THE PAST AND NOW - HISTORY

YEAR 2 SUMMER TERM 1

KEY VOCABULARY

Monarch	A person who reigns over a kingdom or empire (a King or Queen).
Compare	Identify what is similar or dissimilar.
Similar	How things are alike.
Different	Not the same or unlike something else.
Century	A period of 100 years.
Decade	A period of 10 years.
Victorian era	The time when Queen Victoria was on the throne.
The Victorians	People who lived when Queen Victoria was on the throne.
A 'Penny lick'	A small glass that held a penny's worth of ice-cream.

KEY LEARNING

CHRONOLOGY

- Know some differences between seaside in the past and those today.
- Know some similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods.
- Use words related to time: before, after, a long time ago, past correctly.

ENQUIRY, INTERPRETATION AND SOURCES

- Ask and answer questions about the past using a range of sources.
- Use sources to understand why people in the past acted the way they did.

Key Facts:

It was during the Victorian era that seaside holidays became popular in Britain. People had more free time and due to the steam train, they could travel to places quicker than before.

It was also cheaper to travel by train.

This meant that more people could visit the seaside. Before the steam-train, it took 12 days to travel from Edinburgh to London on a horse.

Significant People: Queen Victoria:

She became Queen in 1837 when she was 18.

She was Queen for 63 Years and 7 months.

She married Prince Albert and had 9 children.



Links to other year groups:

Year 6: Victorians (the changing railway, Crime & Punishment and the comparisons between rich and poor).

