

Year 1 Term 1 History - how has transport changed over time?

Curriculum Key Question: Where have we come from?

Topic: Journeys



To find out the different ways in which travel and transport has changed from past to present.

To find out about an early form of travel; the Viking longboat.

To find out about George Stephenson and discussing how the invention of trains had an impact on people's lives in the 19th century

To find out the different ways in which cars have changed from past to present

To learn about the history of flight and the Wright brothers' development of the aeroplane.

To compare travel and transport of the past, present and future.

What should I already know?

- Be able to talk about past and present events in my own life and in the lives and family members.
- To know about similarities and differences between myself and others, and among families, communities and traditions.

Expected outcomes by the end of this topic:

- Able to talk about how the way we travel now is different to the past.
- Able to place different types of transport in chronological order onto a timeline.
- Can recall some key facts about the first flight.
- Can name the brothers who achieved the first flight.
- Can compare cars from the past and present day.
- Can recall some key facts about the first car.
- Able to ask and answer questions about the Vikings and their longboats.
- Can ask and answer questions about a life changing time in the past.



Wright brothers

Key Vocabulary

travel - moving from place to place

transport - carrying people or goods from one place to another

penny farthing - a bicycle that had one large wheel at the front and one smaller wheel at the back

sedan chair - Sedan chairs were mainly used by wealthy people. The person would sit on a chair inside a cabin and would be carried by servants using poles.

horse and cart - A cart, pulled by a horse and driven by a driver, used for transporting goods to other places.

engine - a machine with moving parts that causes something to move

steam train - a train that is powered by a steam engine. The steam train changed the way many people moved goods and travelled - many city people, even the poorer workers, were able to travel to the seaside for the first time

steam engine - a train that uses steam from boiling water to make it move. The steam pushes the moving parts

Wright brothers - the first people to successfully fly in a plane.

flight - the action of flying through the air

electric - worked by electricity

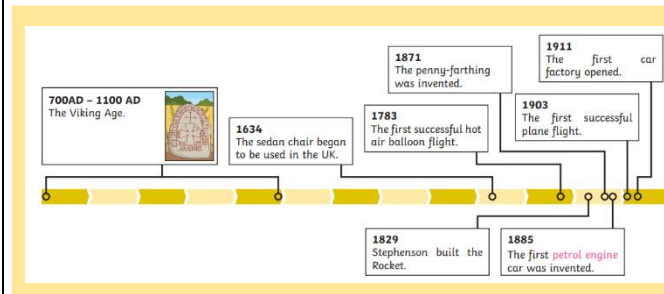
petrol - an oil that fuels cars

Vikings - fierce warriors from Scandinavia, an area in Northern Europe.

longboat - a boat used by the Vikings to travel to other countries

archaeology - the study of things that people made, used, and left behind

• Can recognise different cultures and understand how that life was different in the past.



figurehead - a carved figure on the bow of a ship
magnetic levitation (maglev) trains - trains that are powered by two sets of magnets