

Mickleover Primary School -History Knowledge Organiser

Title: Super Seaside Year Group: 2 Term: Summer

Vocabulary you will know		
Bathing Machine	These were used so people could get changed in private.	
Beach Hut	A small wooden hut that is usually found close to a beach.	
Entertainment	An activity that gives you enjoyment.	
Hokipoke	The name of an ice-cream eaten out of paper.	
Pier	A wooden structure going out from the land to water.	
Promenade	A walkway along the seafront.	
Punch and Judy	A funny puppet show from the Victorian times.	
Steam Train	A train that is powered by a steam engine.	



Key Skills

Put pictures, artefacts or events in chronological (time) order.

Use words and phrases such as old, new, a long time ago, before and after to describe the past.

Find out about seaside holidays in the past from a range of sources including: photographs, film recordings, postcards, letters, diaries, paintings, books and first- hand accounts

Key People

Grace Darling was famous for saving sailors from shipwrecks and was the daughter of a lighthouse keepeer. 1855-1842.





Key Facts

The railways helped to travel further and visit seaside resorts.

Holidays in the past were nearly always health related. Seawater was considered to have a beneficial effect on health and cure diseases. There are differences between seaside holidays 100 years ago, 50 years ago and today. People got changed in special bathing machines. Women would use bathing machines to change into their swimming costume.

In the past people would be covered and wear their clothes to the beach.

People would watch Punch and Judy shows and walk along the promenade to watch a show, hear a band or sit and rest.

Timeline			
1837	1870	1960	2020
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