



Welton Primary School—History Knowledge Organiser



Year: 1

What was different when my grandparents went to school?


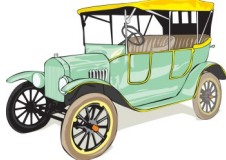

Timeline

1969	1971	1977	1977	1981	1989	2000	2003	2022
First man walked on the moon.	Decimalisation in the UK. 100 pennies make £1.	Queen Elizabeth II celebrates her Silver Jubilee.	First Star Wars film released.	First space shuttle launched.	National Curriculum first introduced in the UK.	A new millennium begins. The 21st Century.	Welton Primary School opened.	Queen Elizabeth II celebrates her Platinum Jubilee.

Vocabulary

change	When something becomes different to how it was
discovery	Finding out or learning about something for the first time
long ago	In the very distant past, before people who are alive can remember
museum	Building where objects of historical or cultural interest are stored and displayed
past	The time before; time gone by
present	Existing or happening now
yesterday	The day before today
memory	Something remembered from the past
invented	Design or create something that didn't exist before
discovered	Find unexpectedly or during a search

History is the study of the past. The study of history helps us make sense of human life and actions. It also helps people understand the things that happen today and that may happen in the future. People trained in history are called historians. Their job is like being a time detective, hunting through the records and the archaeological artefacts, looking for clues that might help build up a picture of what happened long ago.

Long ago	Past	Present
		



Our grandparents are our parents' mum and dad. They have lived longer than the rest of us and things will have changed during their lifetime.

Things change and look different over time. You will look different now to how you looked when you were a baby. You can do lots of things now that you couldn't do when you were younger.

School is different now to how it was when your parents went to school and things for them were different from when their parents went to school. Technology is always changing. When your grandparents went to school they didn't have computers and everyone wrote on a board with chalk!



In 1971, coins changed to the ones we use today. One pound was a note and the coins were bigger.

