

Year 1 History Knowledge Organiser

Travel and Transport



Heathfield Schools' Partnership

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The way people travel has changed over time. We will look at sources from the past to find out how transport has developed over time and changed people's lives for the better. We will compare modes of transport from the past with their present day counterparts, noting similarities and differences. We will find out about buses, cars, trains and aeroplanes through photographs, videos and books. We will then consider how transport may change in the future.

Key knowledge



People travelled by horse drawn carriage from the 1500s

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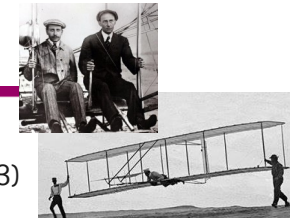
1700



The first car, the Benz Motorwagen was invented (1885)

1800

First flight of Wright brothers aeroplane (1903)



1900

2000

Now
2025

Key Questions

What was the first bus called?

Why did people invent the car?

Why did trains change people's lives for the better?

Who built and flew the first aeroplane?

What kind of transport can we expect in the future?

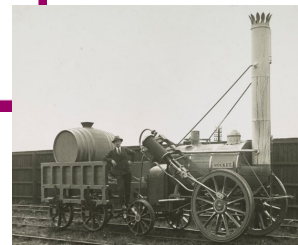
The first bus was used in the UK, the Omnibus (1829)



The Ford Model T (the first factory manufactured car) was invented (1908)



Stephenson built the Rocket, the first steam locomotive, 1829



Vocabulary

Timeline – the order events happen

Chronology – the order events happen (oldest to newest)

Past – Things that have happened a long time ago

Present – Things that are happening now

Future – Things that are going to happen