

Year 2 History Knowledge Organiser Term 1 2023



We will learn that a monarch is the head of the royal family. We will look at some of the prominent monarchs that we have had in Britain.



Queen Victoria is significant because she is one of the most famous queens in history. She was Queen of Britain as well as a vast empire. 'The Victorian Age' was a period in time which was named after her. If something is seen as 'Victorian' it usually means it would have been around in the 1800s.



Queen Victoria ✦

Date of birth: May 24th 1819

Date of death: January 22nd 1901

Queen Victoria's reign lasted for over 60 years. She also saw the start of the 20th Century.

- ### Vocabulary
- Chronological
 - Continuity
 - Contrast
 - Democracy
 - Development
 - Empire
 - Engineer
 - Era
 - Hereditary
 - Invention
 - Monarch
 - Railway
 - Reign
 - Reliable
 - Royal
 - Significant
 - Source
 - Transport

Victorian Inventions



We will look at a range of Victorian inventions and the impact they had on life. The children will learn about the engineer Isambard Kingdom Brunel and look at his bridges, steamships and railway.

