

Carr Head Primary School - Knowledge Organiser

History Topic






Significant historical events, people and places in own locality: Seaside Holidays

Year 2

Summer Term

Key Knowledge

Knowledge and understanding of the past events, people and changes in the past.

Seaside holidays	People have been going n seaside holidays for over a hundred years.	
Railways	Rail travel made it cheaper and easier for people and their families to travel to the seaside.	
Wakes Week	Wakes Weeks became a tradition in northern towns following the industrial revolution. All the cotton mills, factories and shops in the towns would close for two weeks.	
Seaside holiday activities	Many things we see at the seaside now such as donkey rides, fairgrounds and buckets and spades have been enjoyed by people for over a hundred years.	
Blackpool Tower	A tourist attraction in Blackpool, which Was opened on 14 May 1894. When Completed Blackpool Tower was the Tallest man-made structure in the British Empire.	
Punch and Judy	Punch and Judy was a popular puppet Show featuring Mr Punch, his wife, a crocodile and some sausages.	



Key Vocabulary

seaside	A place by the sea, especially a beach area or holiday resort.
coast	Where the sea meets the land.
beaches	A pebbly or sandy shore by the sea.
pier	A raised platform supported by pillars that rises above the water and juts out from its shore.
amusement arcades	An indoor area containing coin-operated game machines.
promenade	A paved public walk along the seafront.
railways	A network of tracks for trains to travel on.
circus	A special kind of entertainment that can be enjoyed by everyone

Know how to...

History Skills and Enquiry

- Recognise the difference between past and present in their own and others lives
- Find answers to simple questions about the past from sources of information e.g. artefacts,
- Sequence 3 or 4 artefacts from distinctly different periods of time.
- Use stories to encourage children to distinguish between fact and fiction. Compare adults talking about their past.
- Find answers to simple questions about the past from sources of information e.g. artefacts, photographs, diaries etc
- Communicate their knowledge through different media.

Timeline of Historical Events

