





Block Rational: This enquiry focuses on the significant life of Queen Victoria and how the world changed during the Victorian times and how this has impacted life today. The children will learn about the significance of her reign on the throne, look at life in the Victorian times and compare this to today along with how Victorian inventions have changed the way in which people live. They will identify inventions and discuss how technology has developed these further.				Subject Links: English –Queen Victoria, Queen Victoria’s Bathing Machine. Geography – Victorian Seaside DT – puppet making.	
Key Texts <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center; margin-top: 10px;">   </div>				Fieldwork/Practical Opportunities: Visit to Helston Museum – Victorian display classroom Victorian Day	
Links to Prior Learning: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> N/A 				Links to Future Learning: Y5/6 <ul style="list-style-type: none"> British Empire 	
Steps to Learning					End Point:
Can I identify past British monarchs and place them in chronological order of when they reigned?	Can I explain what the role of the monarch is?	Can I talk about aspects of Queen Victoria’s life, including items she had influence over that affected England?	Can I identify some facts about specific Victorian inventions and place three inventions in chronological order?	Can I talk about what a Victorian seaside holiday would be like?	They will understand the impact that Queen Victoria had on the lives of people at the time of her reign and the impact her reign has had on life today.
Core Concepts: <div style="display: flex; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 5px;">  <div> <p>Diversity and Significance How people, groups or places have had an impact on history, and how they may be quite different from others at the same time. Related concepts: Prejudice, Society, Progress, Monarchy, Government, Nation</p> </div> </div> <div style="display: flex; align-items: flex-start; margin-top: 10px;">  <div> <p>Chronological Understanding How different time periods all fit together.</p> </div> </div>			Substantive Concepts: Monarchy		

<p>Key Vocabulary: <i>Changed, Important, Compare, Culture, Significant, Influenced, Society, Inventions, Social, Structure, Hierarchy, Commemorate, Birth right, Day, Month, Year, Decade, Century, Ancient, Modern, Era, Millennium, Chronology, Period of time, During, Reign, Rule</i></p>	<p>National Curriculum: Pupils should be taught about the lives of significant individuals in the past who have contributed to national and international achievements.</p>
<p>Sticky Knowledge: Queen Victoria reigned from 1837 to 1901 She married Prince Albert in 1840. Prince Albert died when he was 42. Post boxes were built in the 1850's The telephone was invented by Alexander Graham Bell (1876) Thomas Edison invented the light bulb (1879). People began to visit the seaside for holidays</p>	<p>Home Learning Opportunities: Research other significant Victorian inventions.</p>