


The Marist Primary School	Knowledge Organiser	
Year 2 – Summer 1	History: How have seaside holidays changed over the years?	

Builds on and leads to...	Enquiry/skills	
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Builds on:
 Learning about Victorian toys in Year 1
 Understanding time lines and chronology
 Modes of transport in the past in Year 1
 Leads to:
 Further studies of chronology and timelines in KS2
 Links with the study of the Roman invasion of Britain
 The study of the reign of Queen Victoria in Year 6

- Pupils should develop an awareness of the past, using common words and phrases relating to the passing of time.
- They should know where the people and events they study fit within a chronological framework and identify similarities and differences between ways of life in different periods.
- They should use a wide vocabulary of everyday historical terms.
- They should ask and answer questions, choosing and using parts of stories and other sources to show that they know and understand key features of events.
- They should understand some of the ways in which we find out about the past and identify different ways in which it is represented.

What will I know by the end of the unit?	Vocabulary
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- Be able to explain the differences between holidays today compared to Victorian times.
- Understand how holidays first evolved from day trips to the seaside to spending longer there.
- Understand how the expansion of the railway allowed people to travel further and begin the start of the holidays.
- See how many inventions and creations were brought in through the Victorian era to bring more fun to the seaside holiday.

city	a large town
coast	the part of the land near the sea
island	a piece of land surrounded by water such as the United Kingdom.
cliff	a very steep natural wall of rock
sea	the salt water that covers most of the earth's surface
harbour	a place by the seaside where the boats can stay safely in the water
bathing machine	a little wooden hut where people can get changed into their swimwear
pooling	fun made by finding small fish in small rockpools
Punch and Judy	a funny puppet show made popular at the Victorian beach
donkey ride	beach fun by riding a donkey on the beach
bathing machine	a little wooden hut where people can get changed into their swimwear
rock pooling	finding small fish in small rockpools
physical features	features that occur naturally in the environment eg beach, cliffs
man-made features	features that have been created by humans eg buildings, piers, car parks

Assessment task

To create the 'ideal' seaside resort and use new knowledge to answer the big question.

