



We're going to travel back through time to find out what life was like before the Victorian Era and how much changed during Queen Victoria's reign.

What is Chronology?

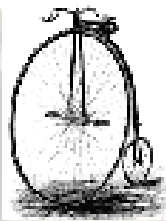
Princess Alexandrina Victoria was born in 1819 and became Queen Victoria in 1837. This was after her uncle, King William IV died with no surviving children of his own; thus starting a new era of Victorians.



The Georgian Era began in 1714. This is a painting of George III and his family.

What do you think life was like during the Georgian Era? Why did change need to happen?

Take a look at some of these products that were invented during Victorian times:



This is the Crystal Palace, created for The Great Exhibition in 1851. It was organised by Henry Cole and Queen Victoria's husband, Prince Albert, to display the wonderful inventions and curiosities from all over the world. More than 6 million people visited the exhibition in London from the 1st May to the 15th October. Did you know that Worcester held its own Great Exhibition? Can you find out what great objects were displayed there?

- The underground railway
- Type writer
- Jelly babies
- Ice Cream
- First flushing toilet
- Electric light bulb
- X-rays

What do you think it was like in Georgian times without these inventions?

A New Era

TALK LIKE A HISTORIAN!

We're going to be using our facts to become Victorian inventors! You will be researching a revolutionary invention at The Hive to become experts.

In English we will be looking at the features of persuasive writing and persuasive letters. What features do you think will be most important? Can you use your persuasive skills to sell your invention?

We will find out when we hold Oldbury Park's very own

GREAT EXHIBITION!



Stuarts
1603

Georgians
1714



Victorians
1837



House of Windsor
1952

