

Year 1 – History Knowledge Organiser

Key Vocabulary

Significant	Something or someone important
Locality	Where you live, your local area or neighbourhood
Transport	Methods of travel such as by air, water, or land
Timeline	A representation of time on which important events are marked
Past	Has happened previously, has occurred before the present moment
Present	Existing or occurring right now
Railway	The network of trains and tracks for the transportation of goods and people
Significant	Something or someone important

Comparing Past to Present

What has changed about trains today? Are they better or worse? How do you know?



Home Learning

- What came first, the bicycle or the aeroplane? The boat or the car? Create a transport timeline showing how transport has changed throughout history.
- What questions would you like to ask George Stephenson if he was still around today?
- What was life like for George Stephenson? What has changed since then? Research food, entertainment, toys, and transport from this period. Discuss the differences between the past and the present.

Summer 2 – George Stephenson

George Stephenson

Who was the 'Father of the Railways'?

