



Y1 Knowledge Organiser – Toys

What will I be able to do by the end of the unit?

- In Year 1, students will have the opportunity to learn about the history of toys in the past through this exciting Toys in the Past KS1 History planning pack. They will begin by discussing their favourite toys and then move on to exploring how toys were different in the past compared to today. Through this exploration, students will have the chance to learn about the evolution of toys throughout history and how they have changed over time. This unit promises to be a fun and engaging way for students to learn about history through playtime!

What should I already know how to do?

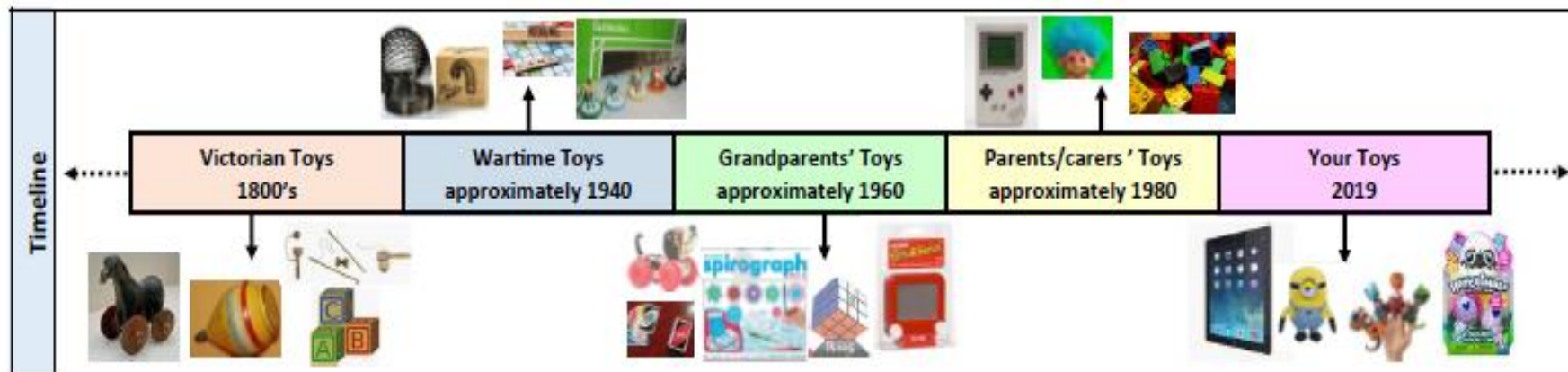
- Comment and asks Units about their familiar world such as they place where they live or the natural world.
- Recognises and describes special times or events for family or friends.
- Shows interest in different occupations and ways of life.
- Knows some of the things that make them unique, and can talk about some of the similarities and differences in relation to friends or family.
- Can talk about some of the things they have observed such as
- Talks about why things happen and how things work.

Key Vocabulary

Ancient	Very old, made a long time ago.
Modern	Made recently.
Material	What the toy is made from.
Artefact	An object from the past that shows evidence of what life was like
Wooden toys	Made from wood, like old boats and trains
Paper toys	Made from paper like, planes and windmills
Metal toys	Made from metal, like soldiers
Plastic toys	Made from plastic, like dolls
Victorian toys	Toys played with when Victoria was queen.
20 th Century	The 20 th Century was 1900-1999.
21 st Century	We are in the 21 st Century. It started in 2000 and will end in 2099.

People

Victorian	The time of Queen Victoria’s reign 1837-1901
Wealthy families	A family who spends money on more expensive toys.
Poor families	A family who spends little money in toys, and mainly makes their own toys .



Unit 1: Do they know the meanings to the following words?	Start of unit:	End of unit:	Unit 2: What were toys made of during the Victorian age?	Start of unit:	End of unit:	Unit 3:What toys did the Victorian children play with?	Start of unit:	End of unit:
Artefacts			Wood			Clockwork trains		
Ancient			Metal			Rocking horses		
Modern			Paper			Pegs		
All of the above			All of the above			Wooden boats		
Unit 4: What are modern toys made of?	Start of unit:	End of unit:	Unit 5: How are modern toys different?	Start of unit:	End of unit:	Unit 6: What are toys used for?	Start of unit:	End of unit:
Plastic			Lights			Learning		
Wood			Buttons			Friends		
Metal			Electricity			Family		
All of the above			All of the above			All of the above		