

Key Vocabulary

Queen Victoria

Victorians

Monarch

Empire

Monarchy

Prince Albert

Workhouse

Source

Era

Industrial Revolution

Legacy



Year 2, Term 3



Who was Queen Victoria?

What do you know?

You should know:

- The Victorian era was a long time ago.
- The Victorians lived very different lives to us.
- There have been many Kings and Queens throughout history.
- Inventions have changed the way we live.



What will you need to know?

- Know who Queen Victoria was and when she was alive.
- Know that Queen Victoria was 18 when she became Queen and reigned from 1837 – 1901.
- Know that an empire is a large group of countries ruled by one monarch.
- Know which countries were part of the Victorian empire.
- Know that life was very different for wealthy and poor people.
- Know the difference between clothing men and women wore.
- Know how the Industrial Revolution changed work.
- Know the school punishments were harsh.
- Know that children worked in unsafe conditions from a young age.
- Know some of the inventions during the Victorian era.
- Know Queen Victoria passed a law that meant children aged 5-10 had to attend school (rich or poor).



Where can this take you?

Historian
Politician
Architect
Fashion designer
Toy maker

Try these at home:

- Draw yourself as a Victorian.
- Research a Victorian recipe. Make it and take a photo!
- Write a diary entry from the perspective of a Victorian child.

