

History

Overview of Victorian age
 Rich and poor in Victorian times (upstairs and downstairs)
Child workers and children at school
 How people lived?
 Industrial Revolution -factory and pit workers
 New inventions and changes to everyday life.

Geography

Locating Great Britain on world maps
 British Empire and Queen Victoria's role
 Why new inventions and industries helped to change how people lived.

Science

Discovery of the light bulb!
 What can we learn about light and how it travels?
 Electricity and the creation of circuits.

Art and design

Light and dark with pencil work and painting
 Painting busy landscapes like Breugel
 Creating wallpaper designs like William Morris
 Victorian art crazes such as decoupage
 Silhouette work for street scenes or portraits

WOW:

Belton House trip
 Museum artefacts

**Literacy**

Biographies of famous people such as Victoria, Brunel or Barnardo
 Reports about famous inventions
 Writing recounts/diaries as a child worker
 Letters explaining exciting discoveries!
 Using texts from classic stories like 'Oliver Twist' and 'Street Child'

Numeracy

Timelines -differences between dates
 Measuring- models and bridges

RE What is right? Victorian values and morals? What changes were needed? Who were the Quakers?

ICT Internet research,
 BBC schools website- Victorian times
 Diary/Biography -Horrible Histories
 PowerPoint presenting

Key/Critical Skills**Focus:**

Researching using different sources
 Making links to today

Music Music hall
 songs/Famous musicals
 Scrooge /Oliver

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Brunel's bridges-test
 Stephenson's rocket
 Design own invention!