



## Keeping in Touch: How communication has changed

### Year 1 (Changes in living memory)

#### Important Ideas:

- The process of change: how have things changed between your grown-ups' childhood and yours?
- How technology has changed our lives.
- What is communication?
- Some pros and cons about different modes of communication.

#### Key Tier 2 Vocabulary:

<b>Old</b>	It has been around for a long time
<b>New</b>	Just made
<b>History</b>	Learning about the past
<b>Past</b>	Before now
<b>Present</b>	Now
<b>Chronology</b>	The time order
<b>Compare</b>	Things change over time. What is the same? What is different?

#### You have already learned:

- How to talk about past and present events in your own life.
- How time passes through yesterday, today and tomorrow.
- To use objects in your learning.

#### Key Tier 3 Vocabulary:

<b>Letter</b>	A written down message, posted
<b>Telegram</b>	A way of sending message down a phone line
<b>Morse code</b>	Using dots and dashes to signal a message
<b>Skype/Zoom</b>	Video message systems
<b>Telephone</b>	Transmitting sound messages
<b>Technology</b>	Scientific discoveries used to make things we can use
<b>Air-mail</b>	Sending letters by airplane
<b>E-mail</b>	Sending messages electronically



## Sticky Knowledge – I will know:

- Pigeons were used to communicate.
- That when new technologies came in, only rich people had them to start with.
- Telecommunication uses satellites in space.
- Information can travel down phone lines.
- Symbols are used for communication in Morse code.
- The first telegram was sent in 1844.
- The first telephone was invented by Alexander Graham Bell in 1876.
- The first iphone was released in 2007.

## Historical Skills – I will be able to:

- Put pictures, artefacts or events in chronological (time) order
- Use words and phrases such as old, new, a long time ago, before and after to describe the past
- Talk about how things are changing in my own lifetime e.g. As a result of Covid.

Pigeons were first used to deliver messages by Ancient Egyptians.



1844 – Telegram



The first telegram was sent on 24th May 1844 by Samuel Morse. His message was, 'What hath God wrought.'



1973 – Mobile Phone



The first mobile phone was made in 1973 by Motorola.

2003 – Skype



Skype allows people to talk over the Internet face-to-face. It began in 2003 and is popular because calls are free.



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1840 - Letters



Up until this date, people who received letters had to pay for them. In 1840, the first one penny stamps were used.

1876 – Telephone



Alexander Graham Bell invented the telephone in 1876. Only the very rich could afford to have a telephone in their homes.

1971 – Email



In 1971, Ray Tomlinson sent the first email from his computer. Email became a popular way to communicate

1992 – SMS



Neil Papworth sent the first text message from his computer which said, 'Merry Christmas.'

2004 – Facebook



Facebook was founded in 2004 by Mark Zuckerberg.