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| Key Dates | |
| 1940’s | Rationing was introduced and lasted 14 years. |
|  | During World War Two toy making came to a standstill. Factories and materials were used to make weapons instead. Cheaper toys were made from card or paper such as cut out paper dolls. |
| 1944 | The Education Act guaranteed free education for every child in England and Wales. |
| 1950’s | Rationing was in force until 1954. |
|  | T.V became the focus of entertainment. |
| 1953 | Preston Hall museum opened.  Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. |
| 1963 | Harrow Gate Primary Infant and Junior school opened. |
| 1960’s | Beginning of convenience foods. |
| 1969 | Neil Armstrong landed on the moon. |
| 1980’s | Children started to take packed lunches to school. |
| 1982 | First McDonalds opens in Stockton. |
| 1990-present | In the 1990s the portable video game system Gameboy was produced by Nintendo Co Ltd |
| 1995 | Tees Barrage opened. |

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| Key Facts | |
|  | Butter, milk, eggs, meat, cheese and sugar were all rationed. |
|  | Up until 1944, children left school when they were 10 years old. 28 years later, it was raised till 16. |
|  | During World War Two, toy making stopped. Factories and materials were used to make weapons instead. Cheaper toys were made from card or paper such as cut out paper dolls. |



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| Vocabulary | |
| past | The time before the present and the things that happened then. |
| present | Existing now. |
| history | Events that happened in the past. |
| rationing | A small amount of something. |
| Living memory | A time that can be remembered by people who are alive. |
| Corporal Punishment | Punishment that involves hitting someone |

