Britain's Got Talent

History and Art

The Industrial Revolution	The Victorians	Modern Era
1760 - 1820	1837 - 1901	1926 - 1989
Richard Arkwright – The Spinning Frame (1769) Roads and Canals used mainly for transporting goods around UK	Graham Alexander Bell – Telephone (1876) First Electric Tram – Blackpool (1884) The Railway Network was developed	John Logie Baird – TV (1926) Alexander Fleming – Penicillin (1928) Tim Berners-Lee – World Wide Web (1989)

ESSENTIAL VOCABULARY			
Engineer	Someone who designs and creates for purpose		
Invention	A creation that serves a purpose		
Industrial	The process of making something, usually on a large scale		
Primary source	Direct evidence about the area that is being studied		
Secondary source	else that tells us about what is being		
Spinning frame	A design for using cotton (and raw materials) to make fabrics such as clothes		
Stitch	Using needle and thread to bring two pieces of fabric together		
Technology	Use of scientific knowledge for practical purposes		

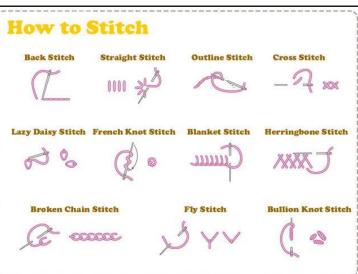
Famous British Female Engineers		
Beatrice Shilling	Aeronautical engineer who fixed a fault in the Spitfire's engine during WW2.	
Delia Ann Derbyshire	Electronic music engineer who worked on sounds for the BBC and helped write Doctor Who theme tune.	
Victoria Drummond	UK's first marine engineer who served at sea as an engineering officer in British Merchant Navy during WW2.	
Dame Caroline Haslett	Electrical engineer who campaigned for the use of electric appliances to help with housework. She also encouraged all adults to know how to wire a plug safely.	
Helen Sharman	Chemical engineer who was the first British astronaut and first woman to visit the space station in 1991.	

Textiles



The Spinning Jenny was invented by James Hargreaves in Blackburn in 1720 but was improved by technology created by Richard Arkwright (from Chorley) when creating his spinning frame in 1769.

Both were designed to spin cotton to make clothes. Arkwright's was water powered and led to the first cotton mills being used during the Industrial Revolution.



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Geography and DT



Transport Links

First railway line – Liverpool and Manchester Railway – 1830

First Electric Tramway – Blackpool - 1884

First motorway – Preston Bypass – 1958

Major UK ports including Liverpool



All in the North-West of England!

Vehicles

Past

Present













How (and why) have vehicles developed?

- Higher demand for goods and services more quickly;
- Awareness of energy efficiency and renewable energy;
- Better understanding of how things work;
- A more connected world.

Mills in Chorley Design Technology Stages

