History: Year 4 Preston: Local History The Docklands

What should I already know...

How to use dates and historical terms when ordering chronological events

Changes in lives over time.

Some historical changes locally and nationally

Some facts about Ancient Greece

How life has changed since during the Tudor times and since the Tudor times.



Vocabulary

Bird's Eye View- a general view from above.

Import- bringing goods or services into a country for sale.

Export- sending goods or services to a country for sale.

River Ribble- River flowing through Lancashire to the Irish Sea.

Development- creating a positive change or growth

Expansion- action of becoming larger.

Regeneration- action of improving a place or system.

Docks- an enclosed area of water for ships to load or unload.

Strike- refusal to work by employees organised as a protest.

What I will know/be able to do at the end of this unit.

Describe what life was like for workers of at Preston Docks.

Ask questions and find out the answers about how Preston used to be.

Explain how Preston Docks changed over the period.

Place events on a timeline using dates.

Compare Docklands in 1948 to now using a Venn diagram.

Understand the advantages of a 'Birds Eye View' and sketch a bird's eye view of how the docks were.

Study iconic photos of the docklands and use sketching skills to complete.

Understand the importance of the River Ribble to the life of Preston Docks.

Explain what led to the closure of the Docks.

Describe why the Docks were built and what sources were used.

Bronze Age- River Ribble is used for transport.	1948- Preston dock was the first to introduce roll on and roll off ferries.
1806- Rapid expansion of the cotton industry provides impetus for the development of the Docks.	1976- The dockers go on strike in 1976 and the news that Preston Docklands may close is first heard.
1883- construction for the present dock began.	1981- Preston Docklands Port formally closed on the 31st October 1981.
1892- Prince Albert opened Preston Docks.	1987- Morrison opened on the Docklands on the 9th July 1987.
1900- By 1900 the docks had a variety of warehouses, a hospital and was unloading over 170 vessels.	2005 - The Steam Railway opened its doors to transport passengers along the preserved docklands line on 17th September 2005.