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**Technical Vocabulary (Tier 2 Tier 3)**

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| **Tier 2 High Frequency** | |
| The Industrial Revolution | The period of time where Britain moved from agriculture (farming) to industry (factories and manufacturing) as a way of making money. |
| Reform | Making changes to improve something |
| Manufacturing | The act of turning raw materials (wood, metal, cotton) into goods that can be sold (furniture and clothes). |
| Chronology | use of dates and terms such as ancient, modern, BCE, CE, century and decade. |
| **Tier 3** | **Subject Specific** |
| Population explosion | When the population increases (Britain went from 8.9 million to 30.5 million in population) |
| Railway | Train line for moving goods and people at speed |

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|  | **As a Historian**  Can I differentiate between primary and secondary sources and select evidence appropriately to inform their understanding of historical period/event? |
|  | **Curriculum Drivers**  **Our Place in History**   * Know and understand some of the historical events of the United Kingdom * Know and understand the role Britain played in shaping world history * Know and understand many of the main historical periods and the major events that defined them |

**Background**

The **Industrial Revolution** was a time when the manufacturing of goods moved from small shops and homes to large factories. This shift brought about changes in culture as people moved from rural areas to big cities in order to work.

The **railroads** accelerated the pace of the Industrial Revolution. New technologies, such as machine building and iron and steel production, advanced to meet the demands of railroad growth. By providing cheaper and faster freight delivery, the railroads helped create a new national market.

The **Victorian Era** (1837–1901) is defined by the reign of Queen Victoria, who ascended to the throne at the age of 18 and ruled during the industrialization of England, encouraging tremendous change and expansive growth of England's domestic and foreign power.

**Knowledge Organiser: Year 5 The Industrial Revolution**



