

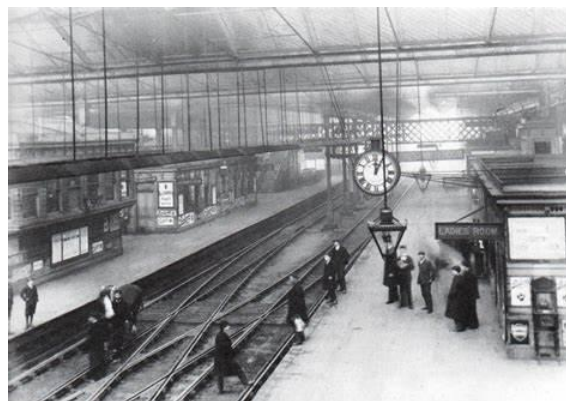


Year 6 History

A local history study: The Derby Project

Prior Learning

- The Tudor period ran from 1485 to 1603
- The Tudor monarchs were: Henry VI, Henry VIII, Edward VI, Lady Jane Grey, Mary I, Elizabeth I
- Henry VIII had six wives who he married for a range of different reasons.
- Armistice Day is on 11th November every year and it commemorates the end of WWI, which finished on 11/11/1918 at 11am. It is held to remember those who died in any war or those who are currently fighting.
- Queen Victoria reigned from 1837 to 1901 (Y1/2)



Derby train station circa 1890

Sticky Knowledge

- Derby changed a great deal in the Victorian times.
- Derby train station opened in 1839, seaside holidays became a possibility for people in the Midlands.
- Punishments have changed in Derby over the years – now the nearest prison is Sudbury.
- The Friar Gate Gaol was site of many hangings, and the small attraction today displays reproduction newspaper accounts of the executions on the walls, a replica of a gallows which stood in front of the building can be located in the small garden of the gaol.
- The Vernon Street Prison served as the County Gaol from 1843 to 1919, at which time it was demolished.
- The land at central Derby, known as “The Cathedral Quarter” has changed in use over the years, some of which can still be evidenced.
- The Cathedral Quarter area shows similarities with the past.



Vocabulary

City	An area which is home to at least 300,000 residents, a distinct identity that is the centre of a wider area, and a good record of local government. Derby became a city in 1977
County	An large area of land to which cities, towns and villages belong. There are 27 counties in England.
Gallows	a structure, typically of two uprights and a crosspiece, for the hanging of criminals.
Gaol	Other spelling of ‘jail’ – a place for the confinement of people accused or convicted of a crime
Land use	The term used to describe the human use of land. It represents the economic and cultural activities (e.g., agricultural, residential, industrial, mining, and recreational uses) that are practiced at a given place.
Tourism	The industry associated with operation of holidays and visits to places of interest



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