

History

Who could be described as the 'Father of the Railways' and why?

What are people's different opinions of the developments of the railway?

Using multiple sources to find information, who were the navvies?

How could you describe what life was like for a navvy and did they all have the same experiences?

In what ways has the railway impacted on towns and cities, including Coulsdon/East Croydon?

How do we know that some people considered the railway unsafe?

In what ways did the development of the railway influence Victorian holidays?

How did Victorian holidays compare with holidays now?

All Aboard

Summer 2024
Year 4

Design and Technology

Why might you need a bridge for a railway?

What are the uses of symbols important when creating a map of your journey?

Using a variety of sources, what are the benefits of rail travel?

Geography

How could you describe what life was like for a navvy and did they all have the same experiences?

How has railway technology developed and improved since Stevenson's Rocket?

What materials, tools and techniques do you need to produce a bridge?

How do I use my plan to construct a bridge?

How do you design packaging that considers aesthetics and function?

Art

How can you make watercolours darker and lighter?

What materials can you use to create a 3D train?

Can you create your name or initials in the style of graffiti lettering?

What patterns are there on train seat fabrics?