

# Year 1 Local History: What Was

## Key Learning

We can find out about the past by asking questions.

Where did my grandparents live?

What toys did my Mum and Dad play with?



What was my grandparents' house like?

What is my family history?



Past

Present

Homes



Toys



Clothes



Technology has developed over time which means the things our grandparent/parents used are different to the things we use today.

## Key Vocabulary

past	Things that have already happened.
present	Things that are happening now.
heritage	The background that you come from.
modern	Something that has existed or developed in the present time.
old	Something that happened or belonged in the past.
childhood	The state or time of being a child.
Timeline	A way of organising events in the order that they happened.

I can remember things that have already happened. Things that happened yesterday, last week, last month, last year are all in the past.



My birthday happened in the **past**.



I went on holiday in the **past**.



I celebrated Christmas in the **past**.

I can also talk about things that happened in the past **before** I was born. I can talk about what my mum and dad did when they were little.

## Toy Timeline



Toys have changed over time.

What toys did your grandparents play with?

How are they different to the toys you play with today?

## Toys

In the past, toys were often made of wood, paper and metal. As technology has improved, toys have changed.

Many **modern** toys use electricity or batteries to move, make noise or light up.

These toys may have lots of different parts, made from lots of different materials.

A tablet computer has a glass screen, a plastic cover and metal parts inside to make the electric parts work.

