



Year 2 Autumn History Knowledge Organiser



William Hesketh Lever/Port Sunlight & Prince Charles/Poundbury

What should I already know?

- Prince Charles is the son of Queen Elizabeth.
- Port Sunlight is a village located in The Wirral Peninsula.
- Lots of historical events happened before I was born.

Historical Skills and Enquiry

- Explain why William Hesketh Lever created a village for his workers.
- Describe what life was like for the employees of the Lever Brothers' Factory.
- Compare the villages of Poundbury and Port Sunlight.
- Present what you know about Port Sunlight and Poundbury.

Important Facts

William Lever

- William Hesketh Lever lived 1854 – 1916
- William Hesketh Lever and his brother James Lever founded Lever Brothers in 1885.
- Lever Brothers' factory opened in Port Sunlight in 1885.
- William Lever developed Port Sunlight so that his workers would have a better place to live.
- Port Sunlight village was founded in 1888.

Prince Charles

- Prince Charles is the heir to the throne.
- Prince Charles founded the town of Poundbury in 1993.
- In 1922 the Lady Lever Art Gallery was opened in the village of Port Sunlight.

Vocabulary

William Lever

- Manufacture – to make on a large scale using machinery
- Factory - a building or group of buildings where goods are manufactured or assembled chiefly by machine
- Business - a person's regular occupation, profession, or trade
- Village - a group of houses and associated buildings
- Workforce - the people engaged in or available for work
- Community - a group of people living in the same place
- Residents - a person who lives somewhere permanently
- Employee - a person employed for wages or salary

Prince Charles

- Heir - a person legally entitled to the property or rank of another on that person's death
- Social housing - housing provided for people on low incomes or with particular needs by government agencies or non-profit organizations
- Architecture - the art or practice of designing and constructing buildings

Timeline

