Let Me Entertain You

History Knowledge Organiser: Key Objective: changes in an aspect of social history

I already know...

The impact of WW2 on Britain.

Vocabulary

Leisure - free time for enjoyment.

Entertainment - an event, performance, or activity.

Pastime - an activity that someone does regularly for enjoyment.

Theatre - area in which plays and other dramatic performances are given.

Seaside - a beach area or holiday resort.

Cinema – a theatre where films are shown.

Football – a sport popular in Britain.

Holiday – time away from work.

Television – a device for watching moving images on.

Blackpool – a seaside town in northern England.

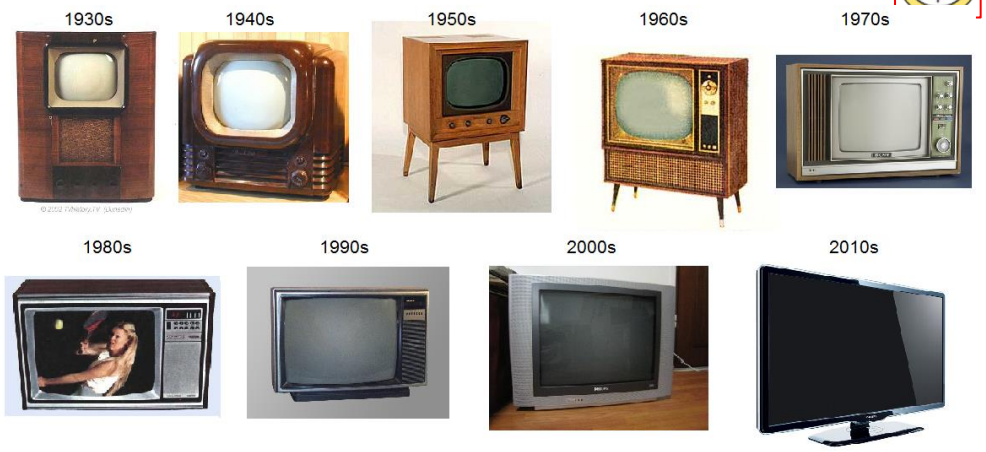
Key Knowledge

- Edwardians visited the seaside, the fair, the races and theatre for their leisure time.
- The London Olympic Games was held in 1948 and the Festival of Britain was held in 1951. These events made people proud to be British.
- Over time people listen to music on radios, vinyl, cassettes, Compact Discs (CDs) and synthesisers.
- Children can describe holidays in Blackpool in 1950s compared to now.

Key people

- **Charlie Chaplin**
- **Humphrey Bogart**
- **Herbert Morrison**

Timeline



Questions to ask

- How did people spend their leisure time in the past?
- How have holidays changed from the past to the present day?
- How has the way we listen to and enjoy music changed over time?
- How have major events and celebrations shaped British identity?

Sources

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