



History - Year 6 - Spring 2 - Their Lives Our Lives



New History Knowledge

- You will know the features and importance of education
- You will know what education has looked like throughout different periods of history
- You will know what life was like in Victorian Britain
- You will know how the idea of education for all became common in England
- You will know how attitudes towards education have changed throughout history
- You will know how the modern school system developed during the 20th Century
- You will know the impact of government legislation such as The Forster and Butler Education Acts

Things you already know

- You know the legacy of the Greek, Egyptian and Benin Empires
- You know how Anglo-Saxons, Celts and Vikings came to settle in Britain
- You know what life was like in a variety of historical periods
- You know the impact and legacy of the Transatlantic Slave Trade
- You know the invasion of Britain, and Britain's invasions of other places, has shaped our lives today

Key Vocabulary

education	process of being taught knowledge or skills at school or university
equality	the state of being equal in status, rights or opportunities
Forster Education Act	a law passed in 1870 which made school compulsory for children aged 5-12
comprehensive school	public secondary schools that are free and do not have a selection criteria
change	the changing of events over time
continuity	staying the same, or are relatively unchanged, over time

New History Skills

- You will be able to evaluate and select relevant historical sources
- You will be able to discuss different interpretations of the past and give reasons for this
- You will be able to consider the impact on society of changes that have taken place
- You will be able to evaluate what makes an event significant in British history

Skills you already have

- You can identify causes and consequences of historical events
- You can devise historically valid questions about the past
- You can identify significant historical events and order them chronologically
- You can compare and contrast life in different historical periods