

# History Knowledge Organiser

Term 6 - Honeybees Class

Seaside Holidays - then and now

## Key Knowledge

The railways were developed in the Victorian times and so many people could travel further, like to the beach.

Holidays in the past were health related. The Victorians believed that the seaside air and sea water was good for your health.

People did not sunbathe in the Victorian times and they would go to the beach fully clothed. They liked to sea bathe instead, and women would change into their bathing costumes in a bathing machine.

There was lots of entertainment at the beach. People would watch a Punch and Judy show, have an ice cream, walk along the promenade, and have donkey rides.



## Key Vocabulary

Victorian Britain	A period of history when Queen Victoria was on the throne. 1837 to 1901.
Bathing machine	Carriages that people used to change into their bathing costumes. It was very private.
Pier	A wooden structure going from land and out over water.
Promenade	A walkway, usually along the sea front.
Entertainment	An activity that makes people happy.
Souvenir	Something that is kept as a reminder of visiting a place.
Punch and Judy	A funny puppet show.
Steam train	A train powered by a steam engine.

