

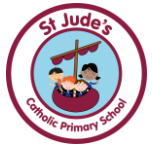


St. Jude's Catholic Primary School – Homework

Topic: History of Wigan

Year 6

Summer term



Questions:

1. Why did Wigan become important during the Victorian period of British History?
2. How does life in Wigan today compare to Victorian Wigan?
3. How has sport influenced the culture of Wigan?
4. How has music from Wigan impacted the UK and the wider world?
5. How has the landscape of Wigan and Worsley Mesnes changed over recent time?
6. Find out about significant monuments located in the town and what they represent.

HOMWORK PROJECT:

Your homework task is to create something to represent a historical aspect of Wigan.

You could make something to represent the industrial revolution, the history of Wigan music or the sporting heritage of the town.

Key Vocabulary	
Spelling	Definition
Industrial revolution	Development of mass manufacturing in an efficient way.
Empire	A number of countries or territories all under one rule.
Victorian	Period of time when Queen Victoria was reigning monarch
Mines	An area where material such as coal is extracted from the ground.
Canals	Man-made waterways used historically to transport goods in boats.
Factories	Buildings where products are made.
Social mobility	The change in a person's place in society due to varying reasons.



Your projects are due in on **Monday 30th June** to be presented in the hall on **Wednesday 2nd July.**

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