



British History—Year 1 Yellow class

Would my Great Grandparents play with toys like mine?

Key Vocabulary

present	Right now
modern	Having to do with current times
memory	Something that someone remembers
similar	Something being like another
time	A period of events
handle	To touch with the hands



Overview

What are our favourite toys now?

What are the characteristics of modern toys?

How can I group and organise modern toys?

How can I recognise toys from the past?

What do I see about how toys have changed over time?

When I handle toys from the past, what do I notice about how they were made?

Key Dates



use. Older materials used include wood and metal. Toys have changed over time. There are many differences between toys from the past and present. Pre-1960 toys were more simple in design and easy to use. Older materials used include wood and metal. Modern toys are made from plastic, nylon or foam. There are now lots of strict rules to make sure modern toys are very safe to play with.

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Key Knowledge

19th century

Toys: wooden dolls, wooden doll houses, tea sets, ball and cup, spinning top, toys soldiers, leather footballs.



20th century

Toys: teddy bears, Barbie dolls, Action Man, electronic toys, computers, games consoles.



21st century

Toys: handheld games consoles, virtual reality.



Key Knowledge

dolls



Meccano



teddy bears



board games



doll house



ball and cup



building blocks



computer games and consoles

