
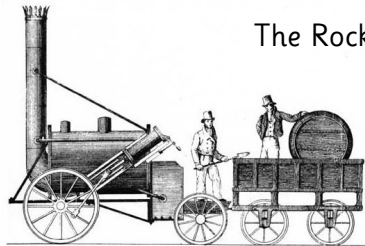




Knowledge Organiser - History - Year 1 - George Stephenson & Railways

<u>George Stephenson</u>	Born and lived locally, in the north east of England.	Why was he famous?	His achievements were recognised nationally. He changed how people used trains today.
<u>The Rocket</u>	G.Stephenson's steam engine that was the fastest of its kind.	How do people use trains today?	Holiday, work, travel around the country and across borders to other countries.
<u>Steam Engine</u>	Trains were powered by coal fires heating water in their engines to produce steam.	Why was 'The Rocket' so important?	It was the fastest steam engine of its kind.

<u>Vocabulary</u>	<u>Meaning</u>
Long Ago	Many years since
Invention	A new product
Inventor	A person who creates a new product
Local	Close to where we live now
Steam Engine	A motorised vehicle powered by steam
Locomotive	A powered railway vehicle
National	Across the whole country

 <p>George Stephenson</p>	 <p>The Rocket</p>
 <p>Steam Engine</p>	 <p>North –East England</p>