

## History Knowledge Organiser: FS2/Year 1 - Toys over Time

### Key Questions

How long have toys existed?

What were toys made of during the Victorian age? What toys did Victorian children play with?

What are modern toys made of? How are modern toys different?

### Timeline

#### 19<sup>th</sup> century toys

Wooden dolls, wooden dolls houses, tea sets, ball and cup, spinning top, toy soldiers, leather footballs



### Key Vocabulary

**Change** - things not staying the same.

**Past** - a time which has already happened.

**Present** - things that are happening now.

**Timeline** - a way to show what order events happen in.

**Victorian** - the time of Queen Victoria's reign, 1837-1901.

**20<sup>th</sup> century** - the years 1900-1999.

**21<sup>st</sup> century** - the current century. 2000-2099.

**Plastic toys** - most modern toys are made of plastic. Toy soldiers, dolls and ride on cars are usually made of plastic.

**Metal toys** - toy soldiers and spinning tops were made of metal.

**Wooden toys** - lots of toys were made of wood. Boats, train sets and cup and ball were all made of wood. Some toys are still made of wood.

**Technology** - method and machines invented to help us. Technology makes lots of things quicker and easier.

#### 20<sup>th</sup> century toys

Teddy bears, Barbie dolls, Action Man, Lego, electronic toys, computers, games consoles



#### 21<sup>st</sup> century toys

Handheld games consoles, virtual reality, pop-its

