




River Bank Primary Knowledge Organiser	Year 2	Summer 2	Seasides
Key Vocabulary		Important Facts	
<p><b>Seaside</b> - a place by the sea, especially a beach area or holiday resort.</p> <p><b>Christmas</b> – a holiday to celebrate the birth of Jesus Christ.</p> <p><b>Easter</b> – a holiday celebrating the resurrection of Jesus Christ.</p> <p><b>Summer</b> – the warmest season of the year.</p> <p><b>Artist</b> – a person who creates art.</p> <p><b>Camera</b> – an instrument used to take photos or record people.</p> <p><b>Steam train</b> – a train pulled by an engine powered by steam.</p> <p><b>Tradition</b> – the handing down of information from one generation to another.</p> <p><b>Costumes</b> – clothing worn when swimming.</p> <p><b>Punch and Judy</b> - a traditional puppet show in which the main character Punch argues comically with his wife Judy</p> <p><b>Sunbathing</b> - the activity of sitting or lying in the sun, especially to tan the skin.</p> <p><b>Bathing machines</b> - a wheeled hut drawn to the edge of the sea, used for changing in.</p> <p><b>Brass band</b> – a band made of brass instruments, often with a percussion section.</p> <p><b>Carousel</b> – a circular ride for children.</p> <p><b>Jugglers</b> – a person who can toss and catch objects at once.</p> <p><b>Magicians</b> – a person skilled in magic.</p> <p><b>Promenade</b> – a place at the beach for walking along.</p> <p><b>Arcades</b> – an entertainment venue at the seaside.</p> <p><b>Amusement parks</b> – a park that offers entertainment through its attractions.</p>		<p>Reasons for holidays in the past were nearly always health related.</p> <p>A holiday is an extended length of time for leisure usually spent away from home or travelling.</p> <p>Many people would go to the seaside for a holiday as flying wasn't an option.</p> <p>The railways developed so more people began to travel further and visit seaside resorts.</p> <p>Not many people sunbathed. Women would use bathing machines to change into their swimming costume.</p> <p>People would watch Punch and Judy shows and walk along the promenade to watch a show, hear a band or sit and rest.</p> <p>Punch and Judy shows can be seen today but very rarely at the beach</p> <p>Beaches were a lot cleaner during the Victorian times as there were not many packaged foods or snacks.</p> <p>In the past people would be covered and wear their clothes on the beach. They did not have shorts and T shirts to wear.</p> <p>Bucket and spades would be very heavy to carry. They were made from metal, tin and wood.</p> <p>Donkey rides, entertainment and carousels on the pier are still popular today.</p>	
Useful Websites			
<p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rwoU_Rk4m-o">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rwoU_Rk4m-o</a></p> <p><a href="https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zWgnpY4L9so">https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zWgnpY4L9so</a></p>		 <p>Donkey rides</p>	 <p>Carousel</p> 

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=u1h1d5GAPRg>

## Resorts from the past



People travelled by steam train or paddle steamer.



Piers were built to get on and off the paddle steamer.



Children making sandcastles.



English Beach



Swimming costumes looked different.



Bathing machines



Ice cream cart.



Photography

Quiz

- 1) Complete the sentence...  
Along time ago people would travel to the beach by...
- A) Aeroplane
  - B) Train
  - C) Car
  - D) Bus

- 2) What were bathing machines used for?
- A) Keeping warm
  - B) Washing clothes
  - C) Changing in
  - D) Sleeping in

- 3) What famous show did the children watch on the beach?
- A) Punch and John
  - B) Punch and Judy
  - C) Pinch and John
  - D) Punch and Julie

- 4) Name two things which people still do at the beach today?
- A) Eating ice cream
  - B) Using Bathing machine
  - C) Watching Punch and Judy
  - D) Donkey ride

- 5) During the 1900s, people would wear T shirts and shorts at the beach.
- A) True
  - B) False

- 6) What is not popular at the beach today?
- A) Entertainment
  - B) Photography
  - C) Sun bathing
  - D) Punch and Judy show