

Britain from the Air

OS Map Symbols

						
Railway Station	Level Crossing	Motorway	Trunk or main road	Footpath	Bridleway	National Trail/Long Distance Route/Recreational Route
						
Camp site/caravan site	Viewpoint	Picnic site	Access information point	Building of historic interest	Recreation/leisure/sports centre	Museum
						
Site of battle	Castle/fort	Cadw: Welsh Historic Monuments	Historic Scotland	English Heritage	National Park boundary	Nature reserve
						
Access land in woodland area	Access land boundary and tint	Cycle trail	Information centre	Telephone	Parking	Garden/arboretum
						
Place of worship with spire, minaret or dome	Place of worship with tower	Place of worship	Youth hostel	Sch	PO	PC
						
Bus or coach station	Cliff	Wind pump/wind generator	Electricity transmission line	Quarry	FB	W Spr
						
Non-coniferous trees	Coniferous trees	Marsh, reeds or saltings	Orchard	Bracken, heath or rough grassland	Scrub	Contours
						
Scree	Sand/sand & shingle	Mud	Mud	Mud	Mud	Mud

The Industrial Revolution

The Industrial Revolution took place more than 200 years ago and changed the way people lived and worked.

Before, products were made by hand but during this time, many factories were built. Large numbers of things could be made using machines powered by engines.

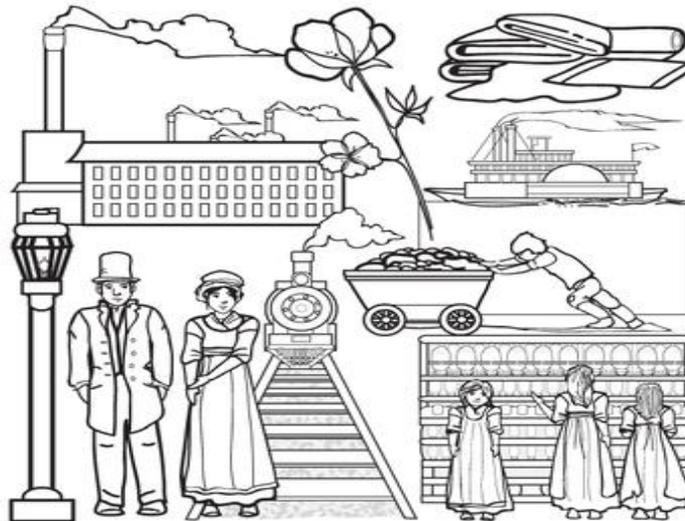
As a result, people could no longer earn their living in the countryside so they moved to bigger cities and towns to find work.

The Great Exhibition

The Great Exhibition was an exhibition which was held in a massive glass structure called "The Crystal Palace" in 1851.

It was organized by Prince Albert, the husband of Queen Victoria and it was visited by over 6 million people.

The aim was for Great Britain to show off its inventions to the rest of the world.



Vocabulary

birds-eye view	The ability to look at something from a very high place so that you see a large area below you.
atlas	A book containing maps, showing a large area.
OS map	An Ordnance Survey map shows a small area in detail, marking all roads, paths, landmarks etc.
compass	An instrument for finding direction. It has a needle that always points to magnetic north.
grid reference	A location on a map which is found using numbered lines.
landmark	A building or place which is easily recognized.
inventions	Something that has never been made before.
inventors	Someone who has invented something or whose job is to invent things.
National Trust	A trust for the preservation of places of historic interest or natural beauty in England, Wales, and Northern Ireland. It was founded in 1895.
preserve	To look after something so that it does not get lost or destroyed.
monuments	A statue, building, or other structure built in memory of a person or event.
archaeologists	A person who studies history through the excavation (clearing) of historic sites and items

This term I have learnt:
