

The Knowledge

Supporting the National Curriculum



Ardleigh Green Learning Federation

Memory Box



Year 1

Working Together, Learning Together, Growing Together

Knowing More

Remembering More

Learning More

Key People

- Queen Elizabeth II is the Queen of the United Kingdom and 15 other Commonwealth realms.
- Queen Elizabeth II lives at Buckingham Palace.



Key Dates

- Toy bears rise in popularity. **1902**
- Queen Elizabeth II is born. **1926**
- The 2nd June marks the official coronation of Queen Elizabeth. **1953**
- The new millennium starts. **2000**
- The iPad is launched. **2010**
- The Queen becomes the longest-reigning monarch in British history. **2015**
- The Queen celebrates her Platinum Jubilee marking 70 years since she ascended the throne. **2022**

Key Facts

- A memory is something remembered from the past. They can be good or bad.
- Toys from the 1900's were often made from wood or metal but modern day toys are often made from plastic.
- Transport is something that takes something or someone from one place to another.
- A family tree is a diagram showing the relationship between people in several generations of a family.
- A timeline is a display of a list of events that document stages of life or key events.
- Queen Elizabeth II was born on the 26th April 1926.
- The coronation of Queen Elizabeth II was on the 2nd June 1953 at Westminster Abbey.
- The five senses are: taste, touch, sight, smell and hearing.

Key Vocabulary

1. **Memory** : Something remembered from the past.
2. **Artefact**: An object from the past.
3. **Celebration**: A special event.
4. **Generation**: People of a similar age who have lived through the same time.
5. **History**: Learning about events that happened in the past.
6. **Old**: Something that has lived or been made for a long time.
7. **New**: Something that was made or came recently.

Test Yourself

- Who is the current Queen of the United Kingdom and 15 other Commonwealth realms?
- What were most toys made from during the 1900's?
- What are toys made from now?
- Where does Queen Elizabeth II live?
- What is a memory?
- What are the five senses?
- When was Queen Elizabeth II born?

Texts to Read

