

A Journey into Victorian Times

Step back in time with Ellie the Elephant to discover how Victorians lived!

- The Victorian era is named after Queen Victoria, who ruled Britain for nearly 64 years.
- Many new machines were invented during this time, helping factories to make clothes and goods much faster.
- Trains became a very popular way to travel, connecting towns and cities across the country for the first time.
- Most Victorian children from poorer families worked long hours in factories or coal mines instead of going to school.
- By the end of the Victorian period, new laws were passed to make sure all children could go to school for free.

Did you know? Did you know? During the Victorian era, the very first postage stamp, called the Penny Black, was created. It cost just one penny to send a letter anywhere in the country!

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