

History

In history we will become detectives and use pictures to make predictions about the story of the Bradford Boar. We will learn about the interesting tale and use it to write non-chronological reports in the form of a wanted poster and newspaper style recount.

We will also look at the importance of the Shipley Glen Tramway and how transport has changed over the years.

Geography

In geography we will be exploring maps and the information they give us. We will identify the symbols used to show both natural and man-made features, and then use this information to find out what we might see when we visit Shipley. We will also look at a compass and how we use North, South, East and West to give directions.

Our Bradford Shipley

For the first two weeks of term, we will be building on the pupils' local knowledge and learning about Shipley and Bracken Hall Country Park. During the topic, we will mainly focus on Geography and History.

Key Vocabulary

boar - a wild pig

fossils - the parts of a dead animal or plant that have become hard and turned into rock

habitat- The place where a particular type of animal or plant is normally found

map - a drawing or plan of the Earth's surface or part of it, showing features like countries, towns and rivers

symbol - a sign, number or letter that has a fixed meaning

location - a place where something happens or exists

city - a large and important town where many people live and work

local area - a particular place such as a neighbourhood or town

tram - a rail vehicle that runs on tramway tracks



Visits

We will be visiting Bracken Hall Country Park in Shipley on Friday 23rd September. During the visit, we will explore the park collecting and examining the wildlife, we will also have a go at pond dipping. We will finish our trip with a go on the Shipley Glen tramway.

To end our unit of learning we will be write a recount of our trip to Bracken Hall Country Park.

In art and design, we will be using textiles to create some art work inspired by our trip.

Other Keywords:

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