



**ELSLEY PRIMARY SCHOOL
GEOGRAPHY
KNOWLEDGE ORGANISER**

**Studying the human
geographical aspects
of our local city**

**YEAR 6 AUT 2
BIG QUESTION:
What makes London unique?**

Key Vocabulary

Population	All the inhabitants of a particular place
Industrial Revolution	The transition to new manufacturing processes in the period from about 1760 to sometime between 1820 and 1840
Transportation	The action of transporting someone or something or the process of being transported
Densely Populated	Somewhere that contains a lot of things or people in a small area
Sparsely Populated	Somewhere with few people scattered about an area
Landmarks	An object or feature of a landscape or town that is easily seen and recognized from a distance, especially one that enables someone to establish their location
Estuary	The tidal mouth of a large river, where the tide meets the stream
Borough	A large urban area within a large city made up of houses and shops

London's Boroughs

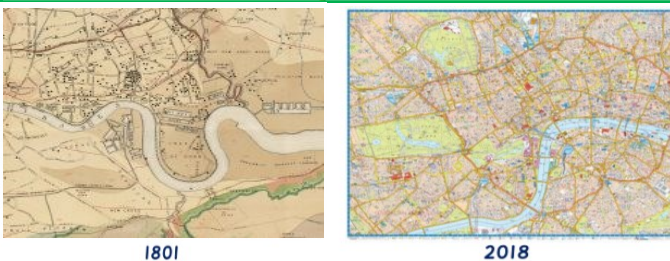
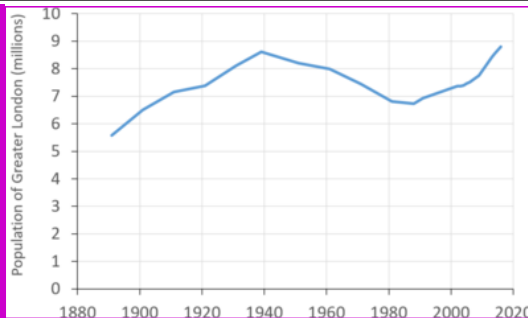


Wembley is in Brent

London's History

50AD	The Romans found the town of Londinium.
61AD	Boudicca, a Celtic queen, burns London
180AD	Stone walls are built around London
250AD	Population around 45,000
600AD	Saxon's settle in London
1065	Westminster Abbey is built
1348	Population around 50,000
1348	The Tower of London built
1348	The Black Death Strikes
1600	Population around 250,000
1665	Plague strikes London
1666	Great Fire of London destroys about 13,200 houses
1700	Population around 600,000
1703	Buckingham Palace is built
1760	London town walls are demolished
1800's	Surrounding villages become areas of London.
1801	Population around 950,000.
1831	Cholera strikes London
1863	First London Underground train network is built.
1881	The Natural History Museum is founded
1903	First council houses built
1923	Wembley Stadium built
1940	WW2 Bombs kill about 20,000 people in London.
1962	Severe smog causes numerous deaths
1971	Elsley Primary School is built
1976	Brent Cross Shopping Centre in opened
1981	First London Marathon
2000	The London Eye is opened
2012	London hosts the Olympics
2012	The Shard is unveiled to the public

London's Growing Population



Problems facing Londoners

	Traffic	Litter	Shops
Issues	Congestion can cause: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Delays Air Pollution Frustration 	Litter can be: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Unhygienic Unpleasant to look at Dangerous for animals 	Expensive rent can cause: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Businesses to close Shops to be left empty Shopping areas to lose diversity
Possible Solutions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Congestion charging Building new roads Improving public transport 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Increase waste collection Provide more bins Encourage recycling and reusing 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reduce rent for local businesses Turn empty shops into community services such as libraries and arts centres

London Landmarks



Recommended websites

- <https://www.atozkidsstuff.com/london.html>
- <https://kids.kiddle.co/London>