










Knowledge Organiser - Year 2

History - Flight



<i>Vital Vocabulary</i>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Picture of Examples:</i>
transport	Any vehicle that you can travel in. For example, a car, a bus, a train or a plane.	
flight	A journey made through air or into space.	
invention	Something new that has been created by someone.	
legacy	Something that is left behind from the past	
success	The achievement of something that you have been trying to do.	
mission	An important job or challenge given to a person or group of people. For example, the mission to the Moon.	

<i>Vital Vocabulary</i>	<i>Definition</i>	<i>Picture of Examples:</i>
aircraft	A machine that can fly. For example, a plane or space craft.	
aviation	Flying or working with aircraft.	
astronaut	A person, who is trained to travel on a spacecraft.	
spacecraft	A machine that travels into space, such as a rocket.	
chronology	Past events that are in the order that they happened from oldest to newest. A timeline shows their chronology.	<p><i>Timeline of Events:</i></p> 



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Knowledge facts

Transport means any vehicle that you can travel in. Flight is a way of flying through the air. This could be on a plane, a glider, a hot air balloon, a helicopter or even a space ship!

The hot air balloon is the oldest invention that was able to take people in the air. The first successful air balloon was made by the Montgolfier brothers in 1783, but was first used for only animals. The first hot air balloon flight lasted only 15 minutes and was made out of paper.

Orville and Wilbur Wright (the Wright brothers) successfully completed the first powered flight in 1903 on the 17th of December. The first aeroplane, the Wright Flyer, flew in front of 5 people, but for only 59 seconds.

There have been many changes in aeroplanes since the Wright Brothers. The world's first jet propelled aircraft was made in 1910, while the first crossing to America was in 1919. The first airliner flight that carried passengers was in 1957 but only had 10 passengers and couldn't fly very far. Concorde took its first test flight in 1962 and was the fastest passenger plane.

The first trip to the moon was on the 16 July 1969, called the American Apollo 11 space mission from the Kennedy Space Centre. This flight had three astronauts (Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Edwin 'Buzz' Aldrin) and the journey took four days before landing on the Moon's surface

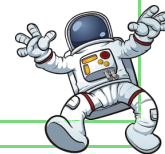
In the future, holidays into space, could soon be a possibility!



Famous Speech:

On the 20th July 1969, Neil Armstrong as he stepped foot on the moon famously said:

"One small step for man and one giant leap for mankind!"



Key figures—The First Men on the Moon

Neil Armstrong, Michael Collins and Edwin 'Buzz' Aldrin after their adventure to the moon.



Timeline of Events:

1783



1903



1910



1962



1969



Key figures—The Wright Brothers

Orville and Wilbur Wright on their first successful flight in 1903.

