

## Activity

### Victorian Timeline

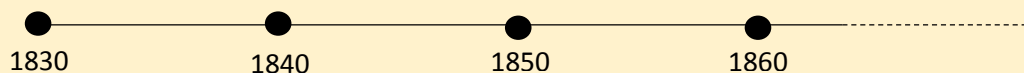
Queen Victoria was Queen for 64 years. It is the longest time any Queen or King has spent on the throne. During her reign (time as Queen) many events took place in Britain and Horsham.



### Tie a Timeline

Let's make a timeline of Victorian Events.

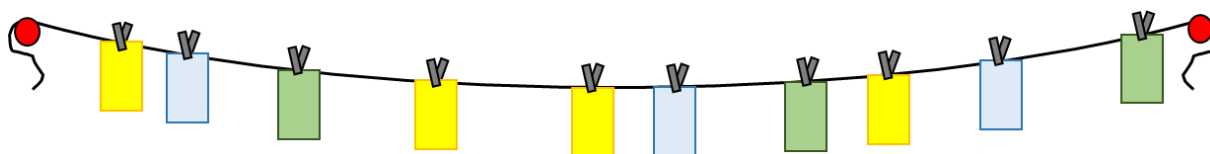
1. Tie a knot in one end of the string, this marks the year 1830.
2. Tie 7 more knots along the string equally spaced apart. Each knot marks ten years e.g.



The last knot will be 1910.

3. Tie the string across the classroom or along a wall.
4. Cut out the cards on the next page.
5. Can you place them in the right order along the time line?

Follow up activity - Do you know of any other events that happened in the Victorian Age? Use the blank cards to add your own dates - why not draw a picture of the event on the card too.





THE QUEEN ON THE MORNING OF HER ACCESSION, JUNE 20, 1837.  
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**1837**

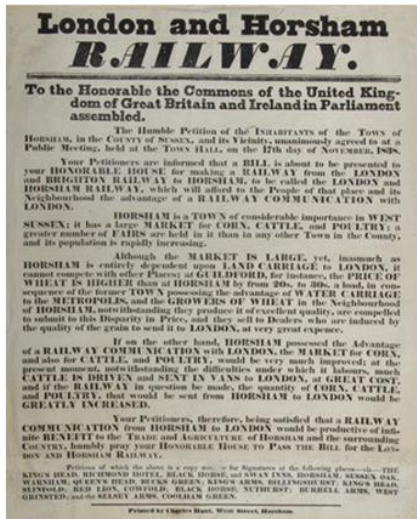
Victoria becomes  
Queen of Britain



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**1840**

Queen Victoria marries Prince Albert



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**1848**

The first Horsham  
Railway opens



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**1851**

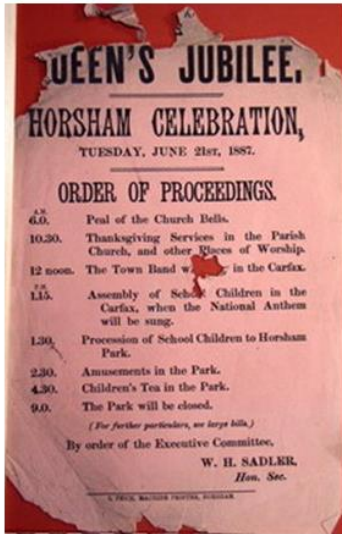
Queen Victoria opens the  
Great Exhibition of arts  
and crafts



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**1861**

Prince albert dies. Victoria is very sad and has a monument built in his memory



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**1887**

Horsham has a party for Queen Victoria's Golden Jubilee



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**1897**

Horsham has a party for Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee



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**1901**

Queen Victoria Dies and Edward becomes King

