



Knowledge Bank: Year 1 – History – Inventors

Who is a famous inventor?

Key Vocabulary:

Word	Definition
Inventor	A person who goes through a process to make something.
Invention	Something that is made by someone for the first time.
Engineer	A person who designs and builds an engine, machine or structure.
Past	Something that has already happened.
Present	Something that is happening now.
Future	Something that hasn't happened yet.
Change	To make something different.
Improve	To make something better.

Sources:

Books:

Some books to read and share.

<https://www.scholastic.com/parents/books-and-reading/raise-a-reader-blog/7-books-to-inspire-young-inventors.html>

Internet:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/graces-amazing-machines>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/cbeebies/shows/do-you-know>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episode/b0br9mz8/caties-amazing-machines-series-1-17-amphibious-machines>

What I should already know:

In year R, the children learned about old and new toys. They were able to talk about their differences.

Children were able to talk about how things age over time.

Key Facts:

Fact
To know that Leonardo Da Vinci was an inventor.
Leonardo Da Vinci invented the parachute.
Alexandra Graham invented the telephone.
The first wheel was invented in 4200–4000 BC

