

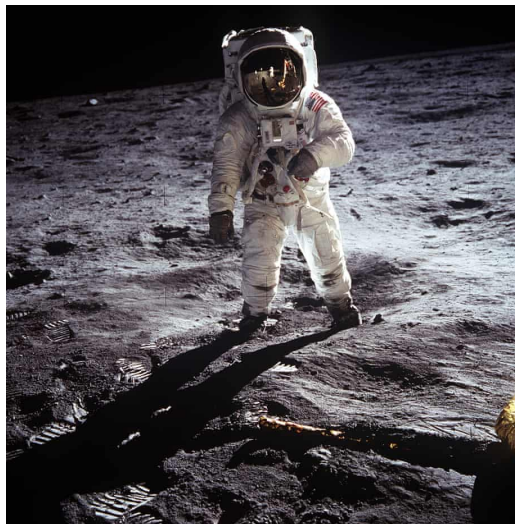
History Knowledge Organiser – Leisure and Entertainment

During this unit, we are going to look at how the drastic changes in the 20th century has influenced our lives today. Within this, we will look at sport, cinema, television, the holiday industry and the technological boom towards the end of the century.

We will be drawing comparisons, thinking and communicating historically and finding ways to present our ideas and thoughts.





How did the leisure time of people in the 20th century change?



Key Vocabulary

broadcast	To show on TV or radio.
century	A period of 100 years.
decade	A period of 10 years.
entertainment	An event or activity to provide amusement and enjoyment.
invented	Created for the first time.
leisure	Free time.
popular	Liked by many people.
technology	A collection of tools and devices which help people to do something.

Technology

1920s	Radio became an important way of communicating. Live news and entertainment programmes were broadcast .	
1930s	Cinemas became very popular .	
1950s	TV became more popular than going to the cinema.	
1958	The first computer game was created.	
1969	The Internet was invented for use by the armed forces for defence.	
1970s	Computers became cheap enough and small enough for many people to have in their homes.	
1973	Mobile phones were invented but they became more popular in 1983 when they were available to buy.	
1989	The World Wide Web was invented .	