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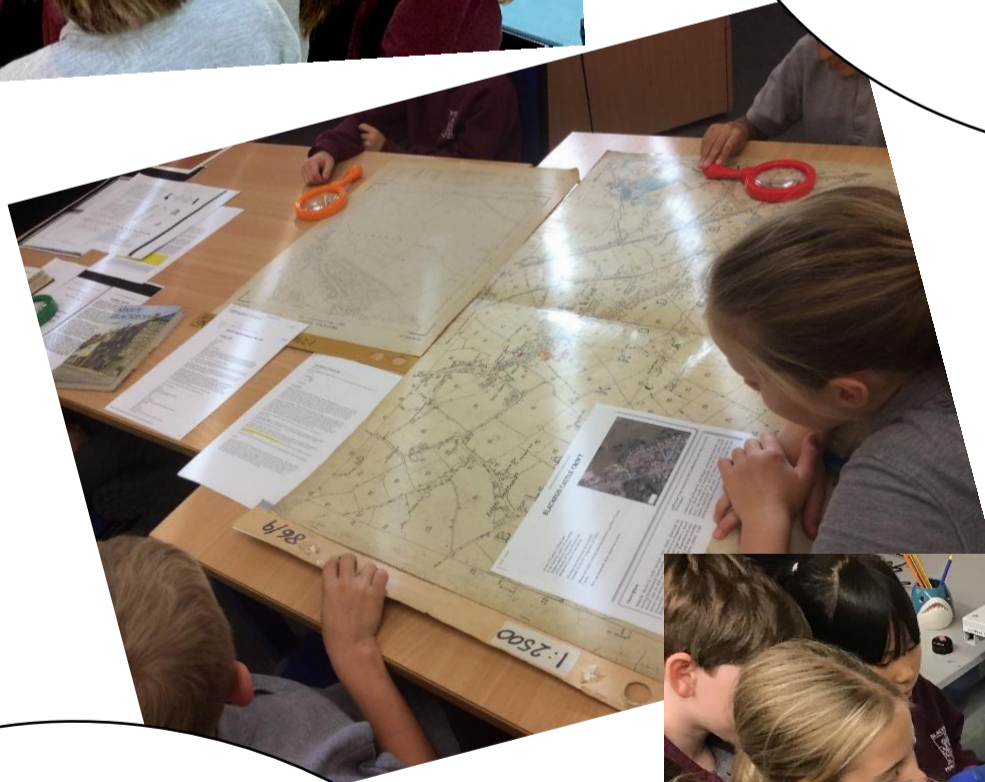
Project Reflection – Autumn 1

Local History: We are Historians

Within this project the children developed and practiced the skills to become historians of their local area. By exploring both primary and secondary evidence, made available by family members and friends as well as Bolton Museum Service, the children were able to describe some of the social and cultural diversity of past society. By investigating the experiences of men, women and children in the past and through using more than one source of evidence the children were able to develop historical enquiries that have given them a more accurate understanding of their own local history.



We had a really interesting visit to the Library and Museum. We enjoyed developing our knowledge of both Bolton and Blackrod in the past.

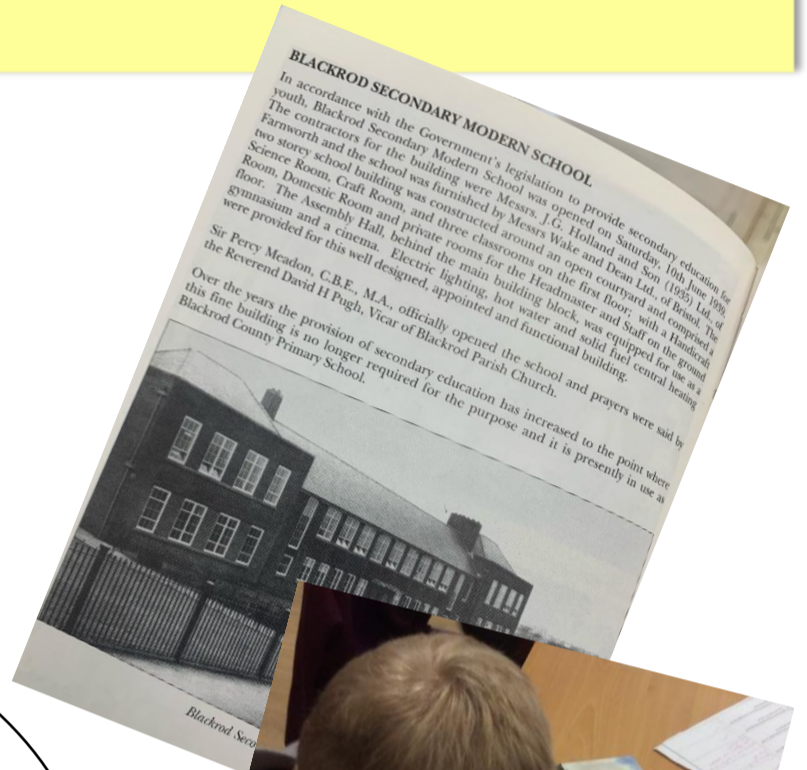
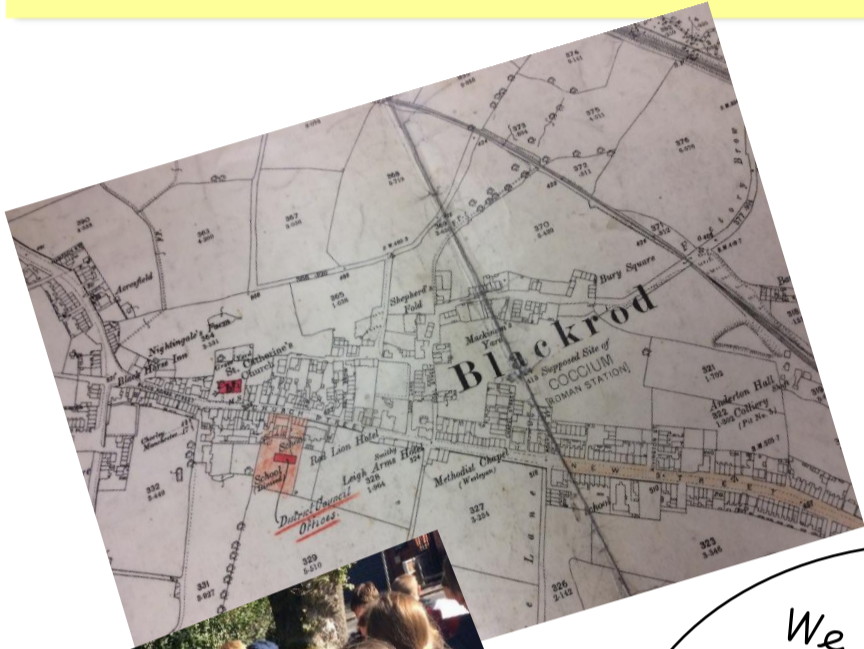


We found the artefacts especially the pictures, maps and diaries really interesting.

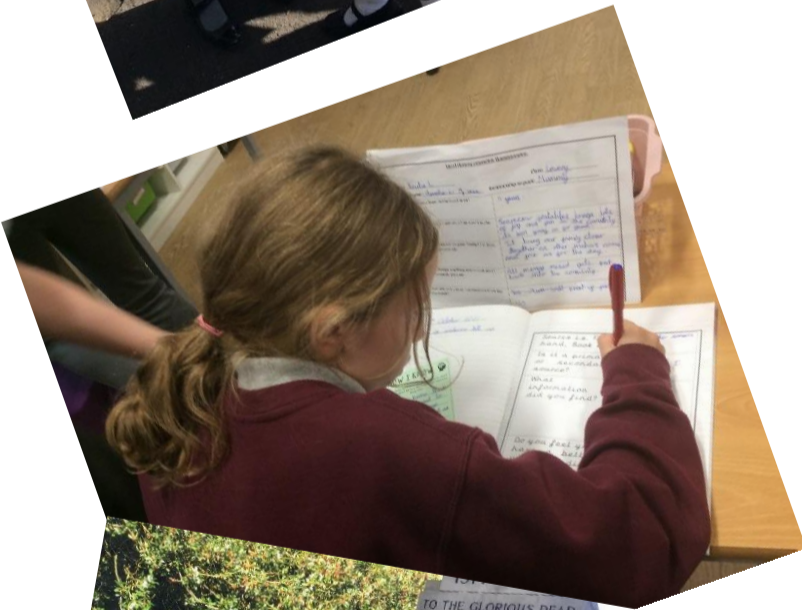
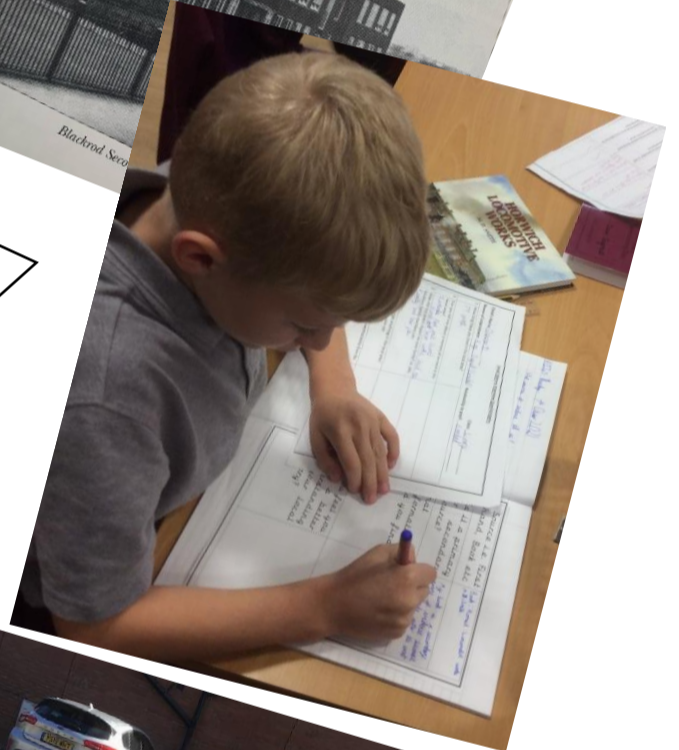


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As part of this project the children were able to both observe and handle some evidence, on our fieldwork walk through the village and at the museum, to ask questions and find answers to questions about the past. By having access to more than one source of evidence for their historical enquiry the children were able to link previous and new learning to hypothesise and suggest possible conclusions to their research.



We couldn't believe how many historical buildings and events had happened in Blackrod.



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Thursday 7th October 2021
H/M/P3 What sources of evidence tell us

NOW I KNOW

Write down something you didn't know or were not sure about before on the bottom but that you know now.

I now know that playdays used to be a privilege at school, hotel and as signs.

Primary sources are things that people use to record like documents and pictures or images of an event.

Secondary sources are things where people have gathered them and built them back together and they weren't there where it happened. *Super understanding!*

Friday 8th October 2021
H/M/P1 H/M/P2 Ask questions, did use sources to find out about the past Blackrod Senior School



This plaque was built to know when Blackrod Senior School was opened.


Time capsule



Great findings!

The children built on their learning by sharing their research with peers and using their amazing geography skills to develop their own guide to the historical places of interest in Blackrod.

Friday 8th October 2021
H/M/P1 Use evidence to ask questions and find answers to questions about the past



1) Greenham Way Blackrod Primary School

We have found out that Blackrod Primary school was a High School but it got turned into Blackrod Primary school because Rivington and Blackrod High School was built.

2) Greenham Way

Greenham Way used to be Greenham Farm, but it got changed to Greenham Way in 1704 because they had to extend the road and disband a police station. I would like to know more things that had to do with Greenham Way.


3) The Park

This Park was donated to Blackrod Primary School in 2015. The first community use in 1951.

Use of your learning to answer questions and to add extra detail.

This is something I would like to know as well.

Friday 8th October
H/M/P1 Site of our local history


Great-born for to be a farm in 172. Why we call it a farm? because it was a farm. It was a farm. It was a farm. It was a farm.

In 1922 playdays used to be a school play. It was a school play. It was a school play. It was a school play.

In 2015 this land was built on the site of a farm. It was a farm. It was a farm. It was a farm.

I would like to know more about it. It was a farm. It was a farm. It was a farm.



This church was built in 1492. This church was built in 1492. This church was built in 1492.



This house was built in 1497 before it was built. It was built in 1497 before it was built.



In 1941 this was an old school. It was an old school. It was an old school.



Bolton to Blackrod is 17 miles. It is 17 miles. It is 17 miles.

This is a great effort for answer questions effort.

Home Learning Reflection Links

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/clips/z2mj2hv>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/history/handsonhistory/local-history.shtml>

Blackrod Town Council

Key Vocabulary

Local History

Research

Experiences

Excavation

Evidence

Hypothesise

Conclude