

Quick Write: The Victorians

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Collecting Vocabulary

Write down nine ambitious words to describe this picture.



Name It

Give this picture a title.

Quote It

Write one line of correctly punctuated speech that the statue might say if it came to life.

Quick Questions

Write your answers on the back of your sheet.

1. Do you think that Queen Victoria would like this statue of herself? Explain your answer.
2. If a statue of you was made, what would you be holding?
3. Why do you think that Queen Victoria is surrounded by angels?

Opening Lines

Write the opening to a story based on this picture.

Give Your Opinion

Do you think that this statue is of national importance?

Circle **YES** or **NO**

Give a reason for your answer that includes the word 'because'.

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Name It

Give this picture a title.

Quote It

Write one line of correctly punctuated speech from a worker shown in the photograph.

Quick Questions

Write your answers on the back of your sheet.

1. How do you think that the workers are feeling?
2. If this picture was on the front page of a newspaper, what might the headline be?
3. Why do you think that this picture was taken?

Closing Lines

Write the ending to a story based on this picture.

Give Your Opinion

Would you like to work on the railway?

Circle **YES** or **NO**

Give a reason for your answer that includes the word 'for'.

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Write down nine ambitious words to describe this picture.



Name It

Give this picture a title.

Problematic Lines

Write the dilemma of a story based on this picture.

Quote It

Write one line of correctly punctuated speech from one person in the photographs.

Quick Questions

Write your answers on the back of your sheet.

1. Why do you think that these photographs have been kept?
2. Why are the women in the photographs dressed in this way?
3. What do you think the best thing about owning these photographs would be?

Give Your Opinion

Should old photographs like this always be kept?

Circle **YES** or **NO**

Give a reason for your answer that includes the word 'since'.

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Write down nine ambitious words to describe this picture.



Name It

Give this picture a title.

Opening Lines

Write the opening to a story based on this picture.

Quote It

Write one line of correctly punctuated speech from a spectator in the crowd.

Quick Questions

Write your answers on the back of your sheet.

1. Why do you think that there are no cars in this photograph?
2. How common do you think it is to find photographs like this? Explain your answer.
3. How would life be different now if time had stopped on this day?

Give Your Opinion

Would you like to time travel back to Victorian London?

Circle **YES** or **NO**

Give a reason for your answer that includes the word 'as'.

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Collecting Vocabulary

Write down nine ambitious words to describe this picture.



Name It

Give this picture a title.

Quote It

Write one line of correctly punctuated speech as if the girl in this picture is talking.

Quick Questions

Write your answers on the back of your sheet.

1. What do you think the large machine in the picture does?
2. If this was the opening scene of a movie, what do you think that the film would be about?
3. Why isn't the girl smiling? Give two possible reasons.

Resolving Lines

Write the resolution to a story based on this picture.

Give Your Opinion

Would you like to live one day in the life of this girl?

Circle **YES** or **NO**

Give a reason for your answer that includes the word 'if'.
