

English: Tuesday 24th March

Today we would love it if you could research fairgrounds. Use the internet (with your parent's permission) to find out all about them. If you are not able to access the internet, think about any personal experiences or ask different family members.

Make notes in a creative way which you can use later on in your topic work. You might want to organise your notes in subheadings or in different bubbles. You could just make a long list and then colour code themes afterwards.

Think carefully about the technical vocabulary which is specific to fairgrounds. Have you come across any new, unusual or interesting words?

Questions to help focus your research

- What is a fairground or funfair?
- When did fairgrounds begin?
- Which rides can be found at the fairground?
- How has the fairground changed over time?
- What are common foods at a fairground?

Here are some useful websites to start you off

<https://www.fairground-heritage.org.uk/learning/british-fairground-rides/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/topics/z72vrj6>

searching 'What is a _____' will give you some dictionary definitions

e.g. What is a Waltzer?

Here is a bank of words that you might find useful - you might wish find out about the different attractions and what they are:

