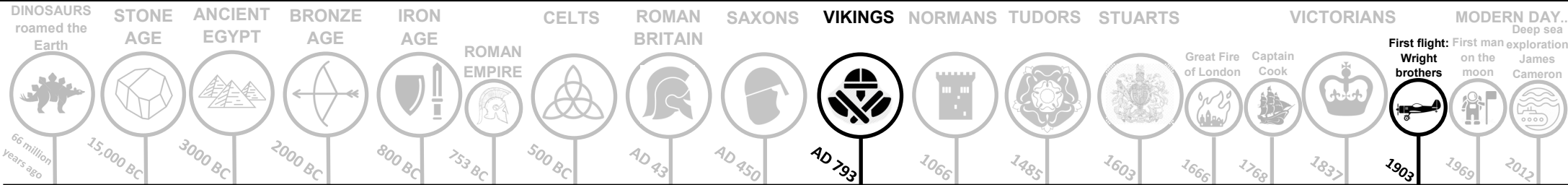


Year 2	History Knowledge Organiser
Topic:	Travel and Transport
Links to other year groups: Year 4: Viking longboats Year 6/8 Victorian Britain/Industrial Revolution.	

HISTORICAL CONTEXT (within the whole school narrative)



Key Vocabulary:

travel
moving from one place to another

transport
carrying people from one place to another

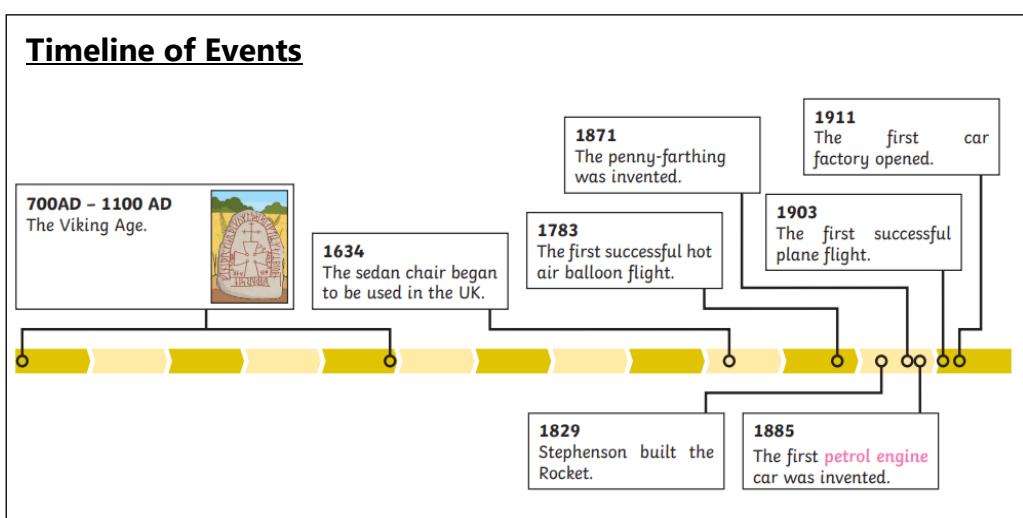
steam engine
an engine in which the energy of hot steam is converted into mechanical power to make it move

petrol/combustion engine
combustion means burning; a petrol engine burns petrol to make it move

electric cars
electric cars use electricity to make the motor turn

Significant People:

Karl Benz
Henry Ford
Wright Brothers
George Stephenson
transportation



Key Questions:

What is a longboat?
Longboats were used so the Vikings could travel to other countries.

What were Sedan Chairs?
Sedan chairs were mainly used by wealthy people. They would sit inside a cabin and would be carried by servants using poles.

What was a horse and cart used for?
Horses and carts were used to transport people and goods to different places.

How did the steam locomotive change lives?
It changed how we moved goods around the world. Many poorer people could go on holiday to the seaside for the first time.

Who invented the petrol car?
Karl Benz invented the first petrol car.

Who flew the first plane?
The Wright Brothers were the first people to successfully fly in a plane.

How did Ellesmere port canals change the lives for local people?
Goods from all over the world were imported through Liverpool and then transferred to Ellesmere docks where they were loaded onto narrowboats for distribution.