



Maths

Can you write these years in Roman Numerals?

Roman Conquest	43	
Battle of Winwaed	655	
Battle of Hastings	1066	
Magna Carta	1215	
Black Death	1349	
Henry VIII head of Church of England	1531	
Christmas banned by Oliver Cromwell	1649	
Queen Victoria's Diamond Jubilee	1897	
Queen Elizabeth's Diamond Jubilee	2012	



English

From a Railway Carriage

By Robert Louis Stevenson

Faster than fairies, faster than witches,
Bridges and houses, hedges and ditches;
And charging along like troops in a battle
All through the meadows the horses and cattle:
All of the sights of the hill and the plain
Fly as thick as driving rain;
And ever again, in the wink of an eye,
Painted stations whistle by.



Here is a child who clammers and scrambles,
All by himself and gathering brambles;
Here is a tramp who stands and gazes;
And here is the green for stringing the daisies!
Here is a cart runaway in the road
Lumping along with man and load;
And here is a mill, and there is a river:
Each a glimpse and gone forever!

- 1 a) Why does the poet describe the train as 'charging along like troops in a battle'?
b) What type of sentence is this?
- 2 a) In this poem, what do the words 'clammers and scrambles' mean?
b) What do these words suggest about the child?
- 3 What is the meaning of the word 'glimpse' in this poem?

History

Choose an event from your Maths work to research.

Try to record ten facts about the event.

Challenge – How did this event have an impact on the future?

