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|  | **Toys Then and Now** | **I:\Cross Gates Primary\Cross Gates Primary LOGO.jpg** |
| **Year Group: 1** | **Subject Focus: History** | **Term: Summer 2** |
| **Key Questions*** How long have toys existed?
* What were toys made of during the Victorian age?
* What toys did Victorian children play with?
* What are modern toys made of?
* How are modern toys different?

**Key facts*** Our local area has changed over time, and so have the lives of the people who live here.
* Some toys and games are thousands of years old.
* Dolls are one the earliest forms of toy to exist.
* Teddy bears were invented over 100 years ago.
* We can compare the differences between toys now and in the past by asking other grown-ups questions, reading books and using the internet to find out information.
 | In the past children played with different games and toys depending on whether they were a girl or boy/ rich or poor.   | **Key words:**

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| **Exciting books/ web links:**  | **Parents as partners:*** Look at old family photographs together and compare what looks the same and different to now.
* Discuss your toys and school life in the past, or ask older members of the family. What is the same? What is different?
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