**Urbanisation Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

<https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/year-9/urbanisation-reading/>

1. What was the Industrial Revolution, and when did it occur in Britain?
2. What was one of the primary issues associated with urbanisation during the Industrial Revolution?
3. Why was sanitation a significant problem in urban areas during the Industrial Revolution
4. What were some of the consequences of poor living conditions in urban areas during the Industrial Revolution?
5. What measures did the government introduce to improve public health during the Industrial Revolution?
6. What was the Window Tax, and how did it impact the quality of housing in urban areas?
7. What lessons can we learn from the Industrial Revolution regarding improving public health in urban areas today?

**Paragraph Writing**

Based upon what you have learnt in your reading, answer the question below in paragraph format (Topic Sentence, Explanation, Evidence, Concluding Sentence):

*What were the consequences of poor living conditions in urban areas during the Industrial Revolution, and how did the government respond to these issues?*