**Industrial Revolution Reading Questions**

Read the web page below and answer the following questions:

[Industrial Revolution Reading - History Skills](https://www.historyskills.com/classroom/year-9/year-9-industrial-revolution-reading/)

1. When did the Industrial Revolution take place?
2. What is meant by the term ‘cottage industry’?
3. What became easier as a result of new innovations?
4. What did Thomas Newcomen create?
5. What did Watt and Boulton invent?
6. What was coal used for during the Industrial Revolution?
7. What did steam engines do?
8. What were factories made to do?
9. What major city benefited from canals?
10. What was needed now that cloth production had increased?
11. What were ‘Turnpike Acts’?

**Paragraph Writing**

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

*What changed as a result of the Industrial Revolution?*