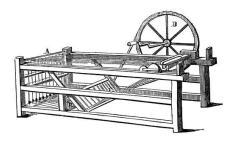
SS9: Famous Inventors Research Assignment



Over the past month we have examined the English Revolution and the French Revolution. We will now be turning our attention to a different type of revolution: the Industrial Revolution. To begin this unit, everyone will be choosing an inventor to research and write a 500 word essay. Along with your essay, you will be required to hand in Cornell Style notes and a formal bibliography.

Your Assignment:

- 1. In 500 words max., you must answer the following question:

 Explain why the person you have selected could/should be considered one of the most important inventors in history. (18 marks)
- 2. To organize your research you must use Cornell Style notes. (6 marks)
- 3. You must also include a Bibliography (APA format) using a minimum of 3 sources (minimum of 2 print sources). Use the sheets provided by the teacher librarian in the LRC. (6 marks)
- Joseph Marie Jacquard (loom)
- Alexander Graham Bell (telephone)
- Gotlieb Daimier (engine)
- Rudolf diesel (engine)
- Henry Ford (assembly line)
- James Watt (condensing steam engine)
- Henry Cort (iron purity)
- Michael Faraday (optic glass/electricity)
- George Stephenson (safety lamp/mining)
- Samuel Morse (Morse code)
- William F. Talbot (photogenic drawing)
- Thomas Newcomen (steam engine)

- Samuel Crompton (spinning mule)
- Henry Cavendish (many scientific exp.)
- Guglielno Marconi (wireless)
- Louis Daguerre (daguerreotype)
- John Kay (fly shuttle weaving)
- Thomas Edison (over 1000)
- Jethro Tull (seed drill)
- Henry Bessemer (steel)
- Thomas Savery (polishing glass)
- Robert Fulton (3 patents)
- Eli Whitney (cotton gin)
- Ed Cartwright (power loom)
- Richard Arkwright (spinning frame)
- James Hargreaves (spinning jenny)
- William Perkin (aniline dyes)
- Elizabeth Fry (prison reform)

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