## Local History: What impact did the Industrial Revolution have in Cornwall? Industrial A period of major changes in the way products are made. It took place more than 200 years ago and greatly affected the way people lived as well as the way they worked. Invention A new thing that someone has created. Manufacture The process of making products, or goods, from raw materials by the use of manual labour or machinery. Mining The process of removing minerals from the Earth. Tin A chemical element that has been mined for over 3000 years.

The Industrial Revolution started during Queen Victoria's

reign because of the power of steam.



The industry depended on steam, and steam depended on coal.



Cornwall became the most industrialised place in the UK and possibly the world.



Steam aided the tin mining process by pumping water, lifting produce and providing other services.

Ports in Cornwall were developed due to mining.

Children worked in the coal mines and



factories to earn money for their families

