

## LESSON PLAN:

# WHAT HAPPENED ON THE DAY?



### OVERVIEW:

This lesson provides students with an overview of the key activities that took place at St Peter's Field. It follows the lives of four people who attended and explores their progress throughout the day.

In addition to the slide decks we have also included a knowledge organiser, to familiarise students with new terms and a series of source analysis worksheets. Please use these as you see fit, for suggestions, please see the teacher guidance.

### KEY ACTIVITIES:

Most of the activities are built in to the slide deck and should be easy to see. Below is a list of activities that require external resources.

#### Activity One (slide 26) - Where was St Peter's Field?

Ask students to use Google Maps to look up how long it would take them to walk to Peterloo from where they live.

#### Activity Two (slide 28) - Reflection questions

Whilst the students are watching the video (or alternatively just afterwards) ask them to think about the list of reflection questions on the worksheet. After the video is finished ask them to discuss them in small groups.

#### Activity Three (slide 29) - Chronology activity

Using the worksheet ask the students to identify which order the various activities at Peterloo took place. Ask students to number them one to 11.

### LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- To understand what happened at St Peter's Field in 1819
- To understand and reflect upon why this happened

### RESOURCES:

- Slide deck
- Worksheets
- Knowledge organiser
- Source bank
- Peterloo1819.co.uk website

### SUITABLE FOR:

Age 11-14

### ADDITIONAL MATERIALS:

- Knowledge organiser
- Source bank