

MARY ANNING

Lesson 7

Vocabulary

timeline	chronological	pioneer
laudanum (very strong medicine)	lightning	

Who was Mary Anning?



What dates can you remember about key events in Mary Anning's life? TTYP

Who was Mary Anning?



Work with a partner to work out how old Mary Anning was in each year.

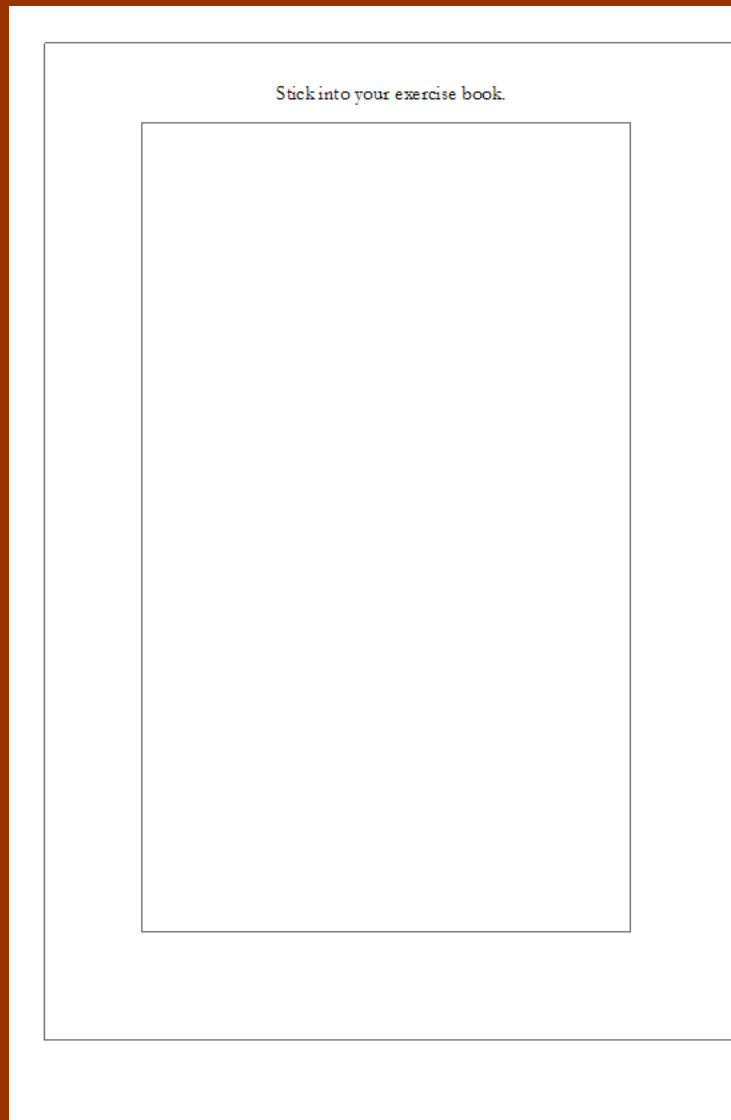
- 1799
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Date	Age
1799	0
1800	1
1810	11
1811	12
1824	25
1828	29
1832	33
1842	43
1847	47*
1849	n/a

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Ask the children to read the following booklet and then stick it into their books.



Sources for timeline activity

Source name: Mary Anning's tombstone

Sacred to the memory of Joseph Anning who died July the 5th 1849 aged 53 years. Also of three children who died in their infancy. Also of Mary Anning sister of the above who died March the 9th 1847 aged 47 years.

Source name: www.lymeregis.net

This proved to be an Ichthyosaur some thirty feet long that she and her brother Joseph pieced together in 1811 and sold for £23.00 to Sir Everard Home, professor of anatomy & surgery at London University.

A plesiosaur, in excellent condition was discovered in 1824 and sold for 120 guineas. Four years later, she discovered the first intact pterodactyl with a wing span of four feet.

Her final important discovery was another Ichthyosaur in 1832 that measured thirty feet long and can now be seen in the natural history museum along with many other specimens.

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So - what happened in each of these dates?

1790	1800	1810	1820	1830	1840	1850	1860
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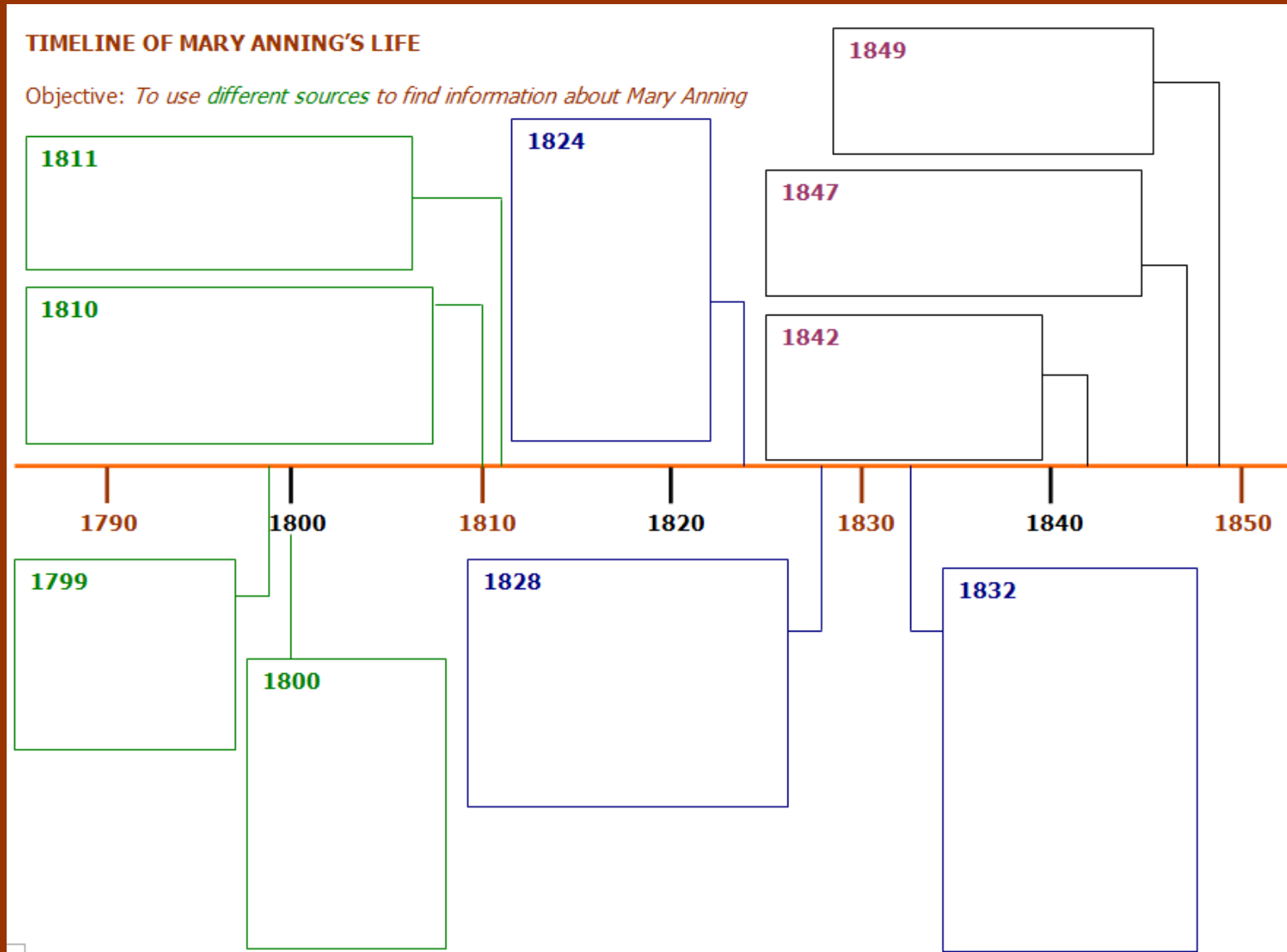
1847

1849

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Ask the children to stick the timeline into their books.



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* What was the 'big fossil'? Ichthyosaur

TIMELINE OF MARY ANNING'S LIFE

Objective: To use different sources to find information about Mary Anning

1811
Joseph and Mary sold the big fossil for £5.00 to £23.00 source: [unclear]

1810
Mary Anning's dad died and Joseph found a big fossil. source: [unclear]

1824
Mary found a plesiosaur was discovered in great condition. source: [unclear]

1847
Mary Anning died. source: [unclear]

1842
Mary's mother died. source: [unclear]

1849
Joseph Anning died. source: [unclear]

1799
Mary Anning was born. (21 May) source: [unclear]

1800
At the age of one Mary Anning got struck by lightning. source: BBC

1828
She discovered a pterodactyl. source: [unclear]

1832
She found another ichthyosaur. source: [unclear]

Which key skill did you use first to help you locate the information for the timeline in the different sources?
Write the correct answer.
(1) Skimming (2) Scanning (3) Detailed reading
How did this skill help you find the answer?

This helped me because it was quick and once I scanned I done detailed reading to know what it's about.

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1800	1828	1847
1811	1832	

Great effort with your time line! How many historical sources did you use? 5

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When I mark your work...

1799 1824 1842
1800 1828 1847
1810
1811 1832

Great effort with your time line! *How many historical sources did you use?*

SELF-ASSESSMENT

Think back to the work you did in our last lesson.

What do you know now that you didn't know before?

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Date	Event
1799	Count Alessandro Volta invents the battery.
1800	Sir Humphry Davy invents the first electric light.
1810	Peter Durand invents the tin can.
1811	
1824	Michael Faraday invents the first toy balloon.
1828	
1832	
1842	Joseph Dart builds the first grain elevator.
1847	Ignaz Semmelweis invents antiseptics.
1849	Walter Hunt invents the safety pin.

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Ask the children to copy the following into their books.

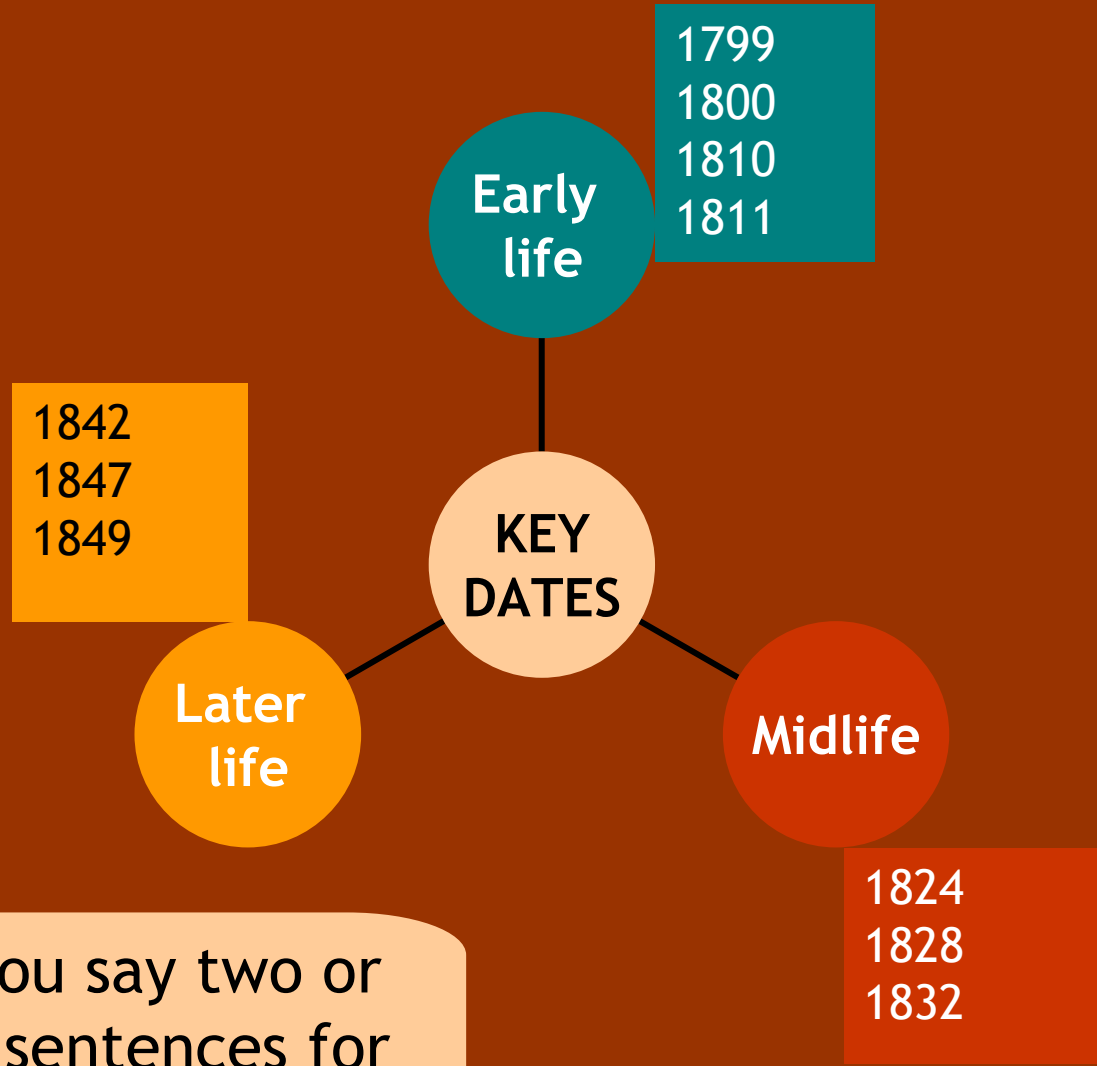
Date

Key dates in Mary Anning's life

SC: Group chronological information into sections
Explain understanding clearly
Use a bibliography

Who was Mary Anning?





Can you say two or three sentences for each date?



Could your writing be like this?

Key dates in Mary Anning's life

Early childhood

Mary Anning was born in 1799 in a small town called Lyme Regis. Lyme Regis is in Dorset which is a county in the south of England. Her father was called Richard.

When Mary was one years old she was taken to a fair. The year was 1800. The weather was poor and there was thunder and lightening. Mary was sitting under a tree with her nurse and two other women. All three died when the tree was struck by lightning - Mary survived.

By the time she was 11 her father had died. It was 1810. The family had no money and was in debt. So Mary and her brother decided to carry on finding fossils.

It was a good thing that they did. In 1811 Mary discovered...

Try and write two or three sentences about each key event in Mary's life.

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When I mark your work...

SUCCESS CRITERIA

- Group chronological information into sections? ◦
- Explain understanding clearly? ◦
- Use a bibliography? ◦

A great effort with your work about key dates in Mary Anning's life.

Try and remember what happened in the following years: 1799, 1800, 1810, 1811, 1824, 1828, 1832, 1842, 1847, 1849

SELF-ASSESSMENT

Think back to our last lesson.

Can you make up a short quiz (with answers) based on what you learnt?

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