









The History of Communication
Televisions

Guess which eras these televisions are from. Don't worry if you get them wrong because no marks are given for this activity.

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A. Read about the history of televisions and answer the questions in complete sentence.

The television was invented after the radio. A man named John Baird helped invent the first television in 1925.

Do you have a TV in your house?

TVs in the past were very different from the TVs we have now. Early T.Vs had very small screens. They were in big heavy boxes. The pictures were black and white and not very clear.

Now TVs have bigger screens, and they are flat. They can even hang from walls! The pictures on modern TVs are very clear and colourful. With Smart TV, you can even connect tv to the internet to watch Netflix and Youtube.

1. Who helped to invent the first TV?

2. When was the first TV invented?

3. What were the pictures like on old TVs?

4. What are the pictures like on new TVs?

5. Where can you put a new TV?

6. Do you like watching TV? Why?

B. Make 3 sentences to show the differences about the old television and the newer television. Read the examples to help you understand how to make the sentence.

E.g. The old TVs have smaller screens but the newer TVs do not.
The newer TVs are lighter to carry but the old TVs are not.

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Name: _____

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