

Where our archives meet your curriculum!

Below are some examples of where we have documents to support your curriculum.

Our records start in the 1100s, meaning we do not have original material relating to anything earlier such as Prehistoric or Roman.

We are always happy to discuss your requirements archives@gloucestershire.gov.uk



- **Local history:** local villages and towns, maps, local buildings & landmarks, newspapers, local traditions & celebrations
- **The role of women:** Great Gloucestershire Women, Suffragettes, employment and trade, legal, political, leisure, war roles
- **WWI & WWII**
- **The English Civil War**
- **The poor:** workhouses, charities, Poor Law
- **Local industry:** pin-making, local jobs and crafts, rivers & docks, mining, transport, trade, shopkeepers, pubs
- **Education:** schools, colleges, apprenticeships
- **Black History:** slave trade, Gloucestershire 'firsts', photographs
- **Health:** hospitals, mental asylums, disability, cures, diseases, barber surgeons
- **Homes:** houses, stately 'grand' houses, gardens, inventories, wills
- **Local individuals**
- **The Arts:** local links, poetry, literature, painting and sketches, music, bands, photography
- **Royalty:** charters (legal documents), portraiture, links to Gloucestershire
- **Entertainment:** sport, hobbies, clubs, theatre
- **Families:** births, deaths, weddings, celebrations, baptisms, family history, censuses, photographs
- **Childhood:** schools, games, illness, crime
- **Transport:** trains, cars, buses, boats, canals
- **Crime & punishment:** prisons, police, courts, punishments
- **Wildlife**
- **The environment:** urban and rural, rivers, agriculture, sewers, floods, transportation