

FORM TWO HISTORY
HOLIDAY ASSIGNMENT
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1. Identify two ways in which the invention of the wheel promoted early transport.
2. Identify one advantage of beating drums as a form of communication over the use of smoke signals in Africa during pre-colonial period.
3. What was the contribution of Alexander Graham Bell in Communication.
4. a) Mention **THREE** early written forms of communication
 b) Discuss ways through which the modern society has benefited from the development in Telecommunications.
5. What were the features of Roman roads
6. Why is the world referred to as 'global village' today?
7. Name **two** wheels vehicles that were among the earliest to be developed by man
8. a. Identify **three** results of the invention of the wheel in Mesopotamia
 b. Explain **six** disadvantages of modern forms of communication
9. Give two ways in which air transport has improved trade between nations
10. a) State five reasons why road transport is commonly used all over the world
 b) Explain five ways through which modern society has benefited from the development of Telecommunications.
11. State **two** disadvantages of using the railway line as a modern means of transport.
12. State two of the earliest forms of communication.
13. Give **two** limitations of animals transport
14. (a) **State five** limitations of railway as a means of modern transport
 (b) **Explain five** ways through which modern society has benefited from the development of Telecommunication
15. Give the greatest contribution of Alexander Graham Bell in the field of communication
16. Give two ways in which telecommunication has facilitated modern trade
17. State two limitations of canal transport
18. Give **two** challenges facing space exploration
19. Who invented the telegraph?
20. Give the main reason why drum beats were effectively used at dawn.
21. Give two methods used in building the Roman roads in the 18th Century
22. Identify two additional improvements that have been made to the modern roads from the macadamized roads.
23. Identify two uses of the wheel among the Sumerians.
24. Who revolutionised railway transport in the world?
25. Mention two negative impact of telecommunication in the modern world.
26. State two advantages of cinemas.

27. Give two results of space exploration
28. (a) Give **three** advantages of motorcycles as a modern means of transport
(b) Explain **six** effects of the modern terms of transport.
29. Outline three reasons why railway transport is preferred to road transport in major towns
30. List **two** results of the development of the steamship in Europe
31. Give one challenge facing space exploration
32. (a) Identify five limitations of early forms of communication.
(b.) Explain five disadvantages of railway transport.