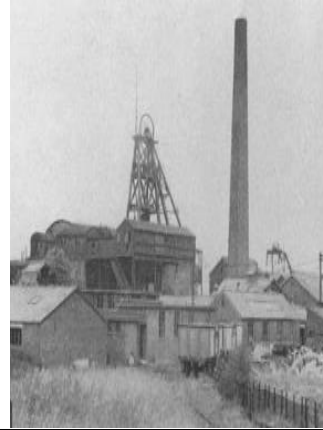


What happened in Tyldesley in the past?

Subject Specific Vocabulary	
mining	When minerals and metals are removed from the earth.
coal	A black rock that is found underground.
colliery	A coal mine and the buildings and equipment associated with it.
pit	A large hole in the ground.
factory	A place where products are manufactured.
cotton mill	A factory used for producing cotton, fabrics, thread etc.
landmark	Something that is easy to see and can help a person find their way to a place near it. It can also be a building of historical importance.
farthing	A farthing was a coin. It was worth a quarter of an old penny. Four farthings made an old penny.
charabanc	A type of horse-drawn vehicle or early motor coach, usually open topped.



Exciting Books

Sticky Knowledge about Tyldesley in the past

- ❑ In the 19th century and early 20th century, Tyldesley was known for textiles and coal mining. These industries provided jobs for many people.
- ❑ Coal mining was a very important industry in Tyldesley. The town was surrounded by collieries for more than 100 years until after World War II.
- ❑ About 100 years ago most children would have been working in a full-time job by the time they were 12 years old.
- ❑ There were no televisions or electronic games 100 years ago. There were very few books as well and very few poor children would know how to read.
- ❑ Tyldesley looks very different today but it is still a bustling market town with a market square.

