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The Teaching portal: How to use resources in and out of the classroom

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The Aims of the RHS Teaching Portal:

• To showcase the different teaching and research resources that are available in the public domain and which can be incorporated into the classroom.

• To be a platform where teachers, students, researchers and interested members of the public can discover history resources on a diverse range of history topics.

• To learn about the various historical societies and organisations which encourage historical research and public engagement.
Where will you find the Teaching Portal?
The Teaching Portal Landing Page:

- Online Databases
- Archives, Libraries and Subject Associations
- History in HEIs
- Innovative Modules
- For Teachers
- For Students
- Transitions through HE
- Careers
Online Databases Categories:

- Ancient History
- Ancient Greek History
- Roman History
- Medieval British Isles
- Medieval Europe
- British History
- European History
- Early Modern Europe
- Early Modern Britain
- Global History
- History of London
- Victorian Britain
- Modern Britain (1900-present)
- Modern Europe (1800-present)
Queen Victoria's Journals

Queen Victoria's Journals website reproduces coloured digitised images of all the surviving journals of Queen Victoria, from her first volume written as Princess of Kent in 1832, until her death in 1901. All pages in the journals have been transcribed and are fully searchable in its online database. Additionally, visitors to the website can also view illustrations and sketches drawn by Queen Victoria and read essays about her reign.
Researchers will be provided with the URL link to the history resource website. All the resources are ‘tagged’ which makes them keyword searchable by period, discipline, interest and theme. Tags will make it easier narrow to searches for resources which have teaching material available and for different school levels.

http://www.queenvictoriasjournals.org/home.do

TAGGED BRITISH EMPIRE, DATABASE, DIARIES, DRAWINGS, JOURNALS, NINETEENTH CENTURY, QUEEN VICTORIA, ROYAL FAMILY, SKETCHES, TIMELINE, VICTORIAN BRITAIN, WOMEN, WRITING
To conclude:

- The Portal will be a useful online hub and tool for both students and teachers to access different history resources.
- The online databases will be fully searchable on the database.
- We welcome suggestions and feedback that you have about the Portal before its formal launch in November 2020.
- Teaching Portal ‘How to Contribute’ category to share teaching methods and resources.