**WEBQUEST :**

**VICTORIAN ENGLAND**

*Click on the blue words to access a website page. Then read the page to find the right information. Write the answers on your booklets.*

-**Great Britain in the 19th century**:

Name of the [Queen](http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/timeline/victorianbritain_timeline_noflash.shtml)?

What is [special](http://history1800s.about.com/od/leaders/p/victoria-bio.htm) about her reign?

[Name](http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/timeline/victorianbritain_timeline_noflash.shtml) of the period? Why?

-**Political, economic and social situation of the country**

Major change regarding [industries](http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/victorians/workshop_of_the_world_01.shtml)?

[Economic power](http://www.bbc.co.uk/history/british/victorians/workshop_of_the_world_01.shtml)? “nickname” given to Great Britain?

What about the [social situation](http://resources.woodlands-junior.kent.sch.uk/homework/victorians/children/working.htm)? Lives of the people?

[Where](http://www.londonlives.org/static/RW.jsp) did poor people (=paupers) go when they were too poor to eat?

-**The British Empire**

[Expression](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/The_empire_on_which_the_sun_never_sets) used to describe it. [Why](http://chnm.gmu.edu/wwh/modules/lesson8/images/sources/world.gif)?

So, can you compare Great Britain in the 19th century to another country today? (considering its economic power for example?)

Can you guess British people’s feelings about their country at that time?