

For this topic we will be learning all about the rich heritage of our local area and finding out how it has changed through the decades.

In Autumn 1 we will be focusing on history of aviation, Manchester airport and how transport in our local area has changed over time. We will also be creating some mixed media art!

Glossary

Aviation - the flying or operating of different aircrafts.

Airport - a place where aircraft land and take off, usually with buildings for passengers.

Terminal - a building at an airport where passengers transfer between the ground and the aircraft.

Chronological order - putting something in the order that it happened.

Sequence - a particular order in which things follow each other.

Transport - to carry people or goods from one place to another using a vehicle, aircraft or ship.

Sources - an place where we can gather historical information e.g. photographs, objects or people's stories.

Mixed media - art work that uses more than one medium or material.

Wonderful Wythenshawe!



Did you know...

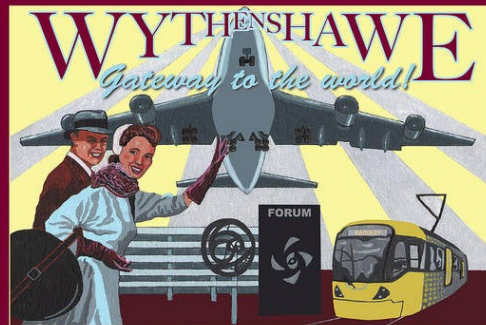
In 1928 a temporary airfield was built in Wythenshawe and in 1929 Wythenshawe airport opened for business.

In 1935 building began on a larger airport on land at Ringway and in 1938 Ringway Airport officially opened.

During the Second World War Ringway Airport was used for building planes and as a training centre for over 60,000 parachutists!

It wasn't until 1986 that Manchester Airport took its official name of Manchester International Airport.

This poster was created by a local artist called Eric Jackson. He uses recognisable images and landmarks to represent towns in and around Manchester.



Pollution is where the environment is unclean or dirty and has harmful or poisonous effects on air, water or land.

There are many different types of pollution around our local area.

Airports and other transport can cause air pollution. This can be harmful to the health of humans and other living things as well as damage to our climate.



UNITED KINGDOM

The United Kingdom is made up of England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales.

Here is Manchester which is the city that Wythenshawe is in!

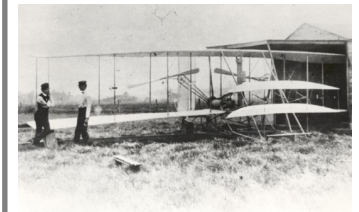


1778 - The hot air balloon was invented by Montgolfier



brothers in 1783. It has become the oldest invention that can successfully take people into flight.

1903 - Orville and Wilbur Wright were two brothers who were born in America. Their first aeroplane, the Wright Flyer, successfully flew in front of 5 people in 1903.



1939 - The first flight of a helicopter.

1957 - The first airline flight to carry passengers.

1961 - The first flight into space.