

Exercise 2

Answer the questions:

- 1) How did people travel in primitive times?
 - a) By car
 - b) **On foot**
- 2) Which invention was revolutionary and helped people travel faster?
 - a) hammer
 - b) **wheel**
 - c) broom
- 3) Which transport was pulled by animals?
 - a) car
 - b) balloon
 - c) **coach**
- 4) The inventor of the first car in the world was:
 - a) Thomas Edison
 - b) **Karl Benz**
 - c) Werner von Siemens

Exercise 3

Read the passage and answer the questions

Rail

Why railways? Wasn't road travel good enough? No. Not for the transport of heavy goods in big quantities. That's when the concept of rail took birth. Slowly, people also began to travel as it made travel cheaper and quicker. Earliest rails were known as 'Wagonways'. The invention of steam engine gave a historic leap to the rail travel. In 1781, James Watt created a steam engine.

- 1) What influenced the rail travel?
 - a) gas engine
 - b) oil engine
 - c) **steam engine**
- 2) When was a steam engine invented
 - a) In the 20th century

b) **In the 18th century**

c) In the 19th century

Exercise 4

Answer the questions

1) How were boats used in ancient primitive times?

a) **for fishing**

b) to transport goods

2) What helped to move ship faster?

a) A rope

b) A wheel

c) **A sail**

3) The first man-made flying object was:

a) **A kite**

b) A balloon

c) A spaceship

4) The first aeroplane was invented by:

a) the Germans

b) the English

c) **the Americans**

5) The first man in space was:

a) Neil Armstrong

b) **Yuri Gagarin**