

Do You Know Your Local History?

The Local Heritage Competition for Young Historians!

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It's simple! Just tell us:

- **Who** are these people?
- **What** facts can you gather about one or more of them?
- **Devise** a creative way of telling us what you have found out that would interest visitors to Birmingham.



What will you win?

1st Prize: £500 voucher to use at Peters on books

Runner Up: £250 voucher to use at Peters on books

Prizes will be presented by Cabinet Member for Education, Skills and Culture - Cllr Jayne Francis and winning work will be displayed in the Birmingham City Council House with the winning child/children having a visit.

Deadline for submissions:
8th April 2019.

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**For full details please see
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WHO CAN ENTER?

Any Birmingham Primary or All-through (KS1&2) school. We don't mind which year group you do this with, it could be as a class, an after-school club or for individual children.

HOW TO ENTER?

Simply submit your project by Monday 8th April 2019. Depending on the nature of the work, projects can be emailed to danietha.hayden@bep.education or delivered to the BEP office, Unit G4-G5, The Arch, 48-52 Floodgate Street, Digbeth, B5 5SL FAO: Danietha Hayden. It should be possible to display the entry on a board. Please include the name and email address of a lead person who can be contacted.

WINNERS

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