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| Key Vocabulary | Meanings |
| landmark | A significant place |
| artefact | An object from the past |
| past | Gone by in time and no longer exists. |
| present | Existing and happening now. |
| timeline | Order of events |
| factory | A place where things are manufactured (made). |
| straw plait | A string or strand made out of pieces of straw woven together. |

A group of children in a classroom

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A group of people walking on a street

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A collage of a building

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A picture containing text, building, outdoor, sign

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| Key facts: |
| * Chesham is famous for boots, brushes, beer and Baptists. * There were factories and workhouses in Chesham that made boots, lace, teddy bears and toys, beer, bricks, brushes (wooden) and straw plaits for the hat factories in Bedfordshire * Chesham has a variety of buildings of different ages and that have had different uses over the years. * Sir Arthur Lasenby Liberty who founded Liberty London was from Chesham. * Chesham Station opening is a historically significant event for Chesham. |