Vintage Carriages Trust Museum of Rail Travel

Topic: Wartime Evacuation of Children

School-based activities: "The Journey" - Worksheet suggestions



Look at the carriage print below, which would have been seen in a frame above the seats inside the compartments of the carriage.

What are the passengers supposed to do? What are they supposed not to do?





Again imagine you are sitting in the compartment. Your Mum has waved goodbye and the train is steaming out.

Describe the view from the window as the train left the city and went out into the country. How would it be different?

How do you think the children would pass the time on their journey? Can you make up a game which they could play?