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|  Willowbrook Primary School - History |
| Topic: Mary Anning | Year 1 | Significant individuals and historical events |

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| Vocabulary |
| Fossil | The hard remains of a **prehistoric** animal or plant that are found inside a rock  |
| Coast | An area of land that is next to the sea |
| Extinct | No longer has any living members |
| Poor | Not having very much money |
| Discovery | Finding something |
| Cliff | A steep rock face |
| Excavate  | Remove earth carefully to find something that is buried |

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| Mary Anning |
| * Mary Anning was a famous English **fossil** hunter.
* She was born in 1799 and lived in Lyme Regis by the **coast.**
* Dinosaurs existedmillions of years ago - before humans lived on Earth. They are now **extinct.** When they became **extinct**, their remains were left behind as **fossils.**
* Mary would sell the **fossils** to help support her family.
* Mary’s family were very **poor**.
* Mary and her brother made an amazing **discovery**. They found a giant **fossil** that no one had ever seen before. She had found the first complete **fossil** of an Ichthyosaurus.
* Queen Victoria came to the throne whilst Mary was alive.
* Not all children attended school at this time and schools were very different to our school now.
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