

INVESTICE DO ROZVOJE VZDĚLÁVÁNÍ

## Angličtina: Queen Victoria

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| <b>Způsob využití</b>   | Snímky prezentují základní informace o královně Viktorii jako jedné z významných osobností britské historie. Součástí jsou kontrolní otázky a závěrečné shrnutí obsahu. |
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# Who is it?

- It is a woman
- She ruled in the 19th century
- Her rule was the longest of any British king or queen
- During her reign Britain became the dominant political and industrial power of the world
- Her husband was Prince Albert
- She had nine children

# VICTORIA



# Victoria

(1819-1901)

- ruled the longest of any British king or queen, from 1837 to 1901
- married her cousin Prince Albert of Saxe-Coburg-Gotha
- nine children
- the Empress of India
- Albert died at the age of 42 → Victoria took no further part in public affairs
- remembered as a bad-tempered old woman
- in her early life - a happy and enthusiastic queen, popular with ordinary people.
- Charles Dickens



# The Victorian Age

- It was a time of **tremendous change** in the lives of all Britons.
- Britain became **the most powerful** country in the world with **the largest Empire** that had ever existed.
- Britain ruled **one fifth of the world's surface** and **one quarter of the people**.
- Britain's greatest period of **world power** and **industrial development**.

# Industrial revolution

- began in 1750
- Britain developed from agriculture society into an industrial nation
- Industry had a great effect on British social and economic life
- People moved from the countryside to work in the rapidly growing cities

## **TASK 1:**

**Answer the following questions about Queen Victoria:**

- How long did the queen Victoria rule?
- How many children did she have?
- Who was her husband?
- What was queen Victoria like?
- Which famous author lived in the Victorian Age?
- Was the British Empire big at that time?
- What do you know about the Victorian Age?
- When did the Industrial revolution start?
- How did Britain change during that time?

## **TASK 2:**

**Work in pairs and talk about Queen Victoria. The following words can help you.**

- queen
- husband
- children
- change
- industrial development
- world power
- rule
- title



# Zdroje

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