PLATINUM SOCIAL SCIENCES – GEOGRAPHY | GRADE 4 TERM 1: LOCAL HISTORY



Local history

- History is about people and places and things that have happened in the past.
- People, places and things change over time.

Unit 1 – How we find out about the present in a local area

- Local means close to an area where you live
- Local history is about things, people and places in your community or neighborhood

How do we find out about our local area?

- Information from pictures, writing, stories and interviews, and objects
- History can help us understand things that happen in the present
 - o [Case study on Sea Point class]
- Information from stories and interviews with people
 - o In an interview, a person asks other people questions to find information about something

Unit 2 – How we find out about the history of a local area

• The same way we find out about the present using pictures, writing, stories and interviews, and objects.