

Snapshot in Time

Find a historic photo of your area, and try to take a photo from the same spot. What looks the same? What looks different? Can you find 10 things to put in the table below, showing the similarities and differences between the photos?

	Same	Different
1.		
2.		
3.		
4.		
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10.		

Prompts

- Signs?
 - o Are there signs painted on walls, like graffiti? What about signs hanging in front of shops? How do they compare to advertisements today?
- Methods of transport?
 - o Are there cars? If not, what kind of transport is visible?
- Clothing?
 - o Does the clothing look different or the same as clothing now?
- New buildings?
 - o Are there buildings in your photo that aren't in your historic photo?
- Buildings or decoration disappeared?
 - o Are there buildings in your historic photo that aren't in your photo? Are the buildings still there, but with different decoration?
- Change of use?
 - o What are the buildings being used for? Are they still being used for that purpose?
- Shop fronts?

- How has the decoration at the front of shops changed or stayed the same? Do they have different windows and displays?
- Street lights?
 - Are there street lights? How have they changed?
- Chimneys?
 - Are there chimneys? Do they look the same or different?