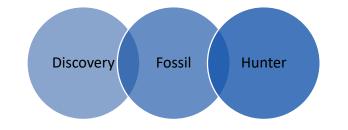
Prior Knowledge

 Places and people change over time.





Key Knowledge

- That Mary Anning was a famous fossil hunter who was born in Lyme Regis, Dorset in 1799.
- Her father taught her how to remove fossils using a hammer and a chisel.
- She made her first major fossil discovery of the skull of an Ichthyosaurus in 1811 at the age of 12.
- Mary's family were poor and she sold many of the fossils she found for a penny each.
- Mary Anning died in 1847 aged 47.

| Key Vocabulary | |
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| Fossil | The remains or impression of a prehistoric plant or animal embedded in rock and preserved in petrified form. |
| Chisel | A long-bladed hand tool with a beveled cutting edge and a handle which is struck with a hammer or mallet, used to cut or shape wood, stone, or metal. |
| Ichthyosaurus | A large extinct marine reptile. |
| Dorset | A county of South-Western England. |
| Pterosaur | An extinct flying reptile. |