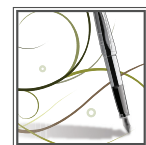
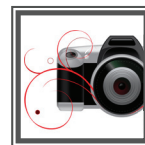
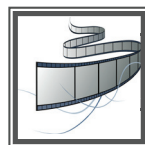
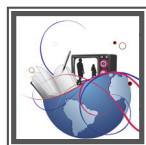


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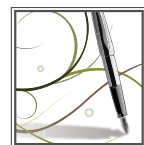
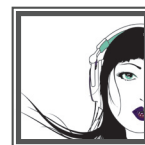
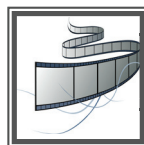
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Task 1: Gathering information

Answer the following questions. Remember to read the information boards, look at the exhibits and read the mi-Guide information carefully to find the answers to the questions. Your 'home' group is relying on you!

- 1 How did people communicate before the development of writing?
A Body language, grunting sounds and then speech.
- 2 When did humans start to speak?
A Between 150,000 and 100,000 BC.
- 3 Who developed the earliest known form of writing? When?
A Sumerian people living in Mesopotamia. 3100 BC.
- 4 What is the name given to the type of writing developed by the Egyptians?
A Hieroglyphics.
- 5 What does the Lancashire term 'gradely' mean?
A Very good.
- 6 What language did 'shampoo' come from?
A Hindi.
- 7 When was paper invented?
A 100 AD.
- 8 When did Manchester become a paper making centre? What helped this to happen?
A From around 1700. Ready supplies of old rags and torn sails from the textile industry and soft water.
- 9 Who developed the first printing press? When?
A Johann Gutenberg. 1454.
- 10 What was the first mass produced book he printed?
A The Gutenberg Bible.
- 11 Who printed the first book in England? When?
A William Caxton. 1474.
- 12 When did printing start in Manchester?
A 1719.

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- 13 What were the first Manchester newspapers?
 A News from Abroad, Manchester Weekly Newsletter and Manchester Weekly Journal.
- 14 Who developed the first paper making machine? When?
 A Nicholas-Louis Robert. 1799.
- 15 What are the four parts of the Fourdrinier paper-making machine?
 A Wet end, press section, drier section and calender section.
- 16 Who developed the first all-iron printing press? When? Why was this development so important?
 A The Earl of Stanhope. 1800. The need for news about trade and industry was growing rapidly and merchants and manufacturers relied on newspapers for vital information.
- 17 Which leading quality national newspaper started in Manchester? When?
 A The Guardian. 1821.
- 18 How many newspapers were produced by Kemsley House per week?
 A 11 million.
- 19 What were used to operate the first treadle presses?
 A Feet.

Task 2: Learning to sign

Practice using sign language to 'sign' your name.

Task 3: Who invented that?

Match the name of the person or people with their invention by drawing a line between the two.

