



## SMRP Knowledge Organiser for Year 2— How has St Paul's Carnival shaped Bristol's Community?



### History knowledge

The celebration of St. Paul's Festival began in 1968.

The event includes a masquerade, colourful costumes and floats from local schools, performers in the streets and a range of food stalls from different cultures.

**St. Paul's Carnival** is a yearly African Caribbean carnival held, usually on the first Saturday of July, in **St. Paul's, Bristol, England.**

The Carnival has helped shape the lives of many Bristolians and the cultural mix of the city today.

### History Vocabulary

Word	Definition
<b>Carnival</b>	An annual festival involving processions, music, dancing, and the use of masquerade.
<b>Caribbean</b>	Region around the Caribbean Sea and it's islands.
<b>Masquerade</b>	A mask - fancy dress.
<b>Migrant</b>	a person who moves from one place to another, especially in order to find work or better living conditions.
<b>Chronology</b>	Events or dates in the order they happened.
<b>Historical sources</b>	Something that tells us about history. It may be a photo, a book or an object.
<b>Century</b>	A period of 100 years

### Key Dates in Chronological Order : St Paul's Carnival

Date	1950s	1968	1991	2000	Now
Event	 <p>Early immigrants from the Caribbean settled in the St Pauls area of Bristol in the 1950s alongside other migrant communities.</p>	 <p>The first St Pauls Festival. The organisers were local residents who aimed to bring together different communities.</p>	 <p>In 1991 it was renamed St Pauls African Caribbean Carnival to put importance on the African-Caribbean community.</p>	 <p>Carnival kept growing,</p>	 <p>Over 50 years since that very first festival, Carnival still strives to celebrate St Pauls' rich cultural mix.</p>