

Primary Assembly



Be informed.



Be curious.



Be heard.

Your latest results: “Could more be done to keep shop workers safe?”



Yes

86.0%

No

14.0%

“People do not deserve to be spoken to in a rude way for doing their job. Security cameras do not always help – there needs to be something stopping people straight away.”
Wold Academy

“We all thought more could be done. Some suggestions included using trainee police officers in shops as part of their training.”
Elm Park Primary School

“There isn’t anything else we can put in place. We can put the money towards something like helping the homeless or education.”
Cedar Road Primary School

“99% of the time, the shop worker has nothing to do with your problem. Shops are doing lots, but it’s the customers who need to change.”
Mildmay Primary School

52,804 young people voted this week! Were you one of them?

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Click to hear from Jo Causon, CEO of the Institute of Customer Service, about her thoughts on your latest VoteTopic results.

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“The view of more than 50,000 students of all ages is very clear with an overwhelming majority in favour of new laws to protect shopworkers. [...] The Co-op have campaigned for longer and louder than anyone else for the creation of such a new law and MPs will vote on whether it should be created during March. [...] I know my 50,000 colleagues in the Co-op and the three million retail workers in the UK hope MPs agree with those who had their voices heard through VotesforSchools.”



 **VOTESFORSCHOOLS**

Paul Gerrard
Campaigns & Public Affairs Director,
Co-op

Your views on “Could more be done to keep shop workers safe?” were also heard by:



British Retail Consortium



Institute of Customer Service



Co-op



Aldi



John Lewis



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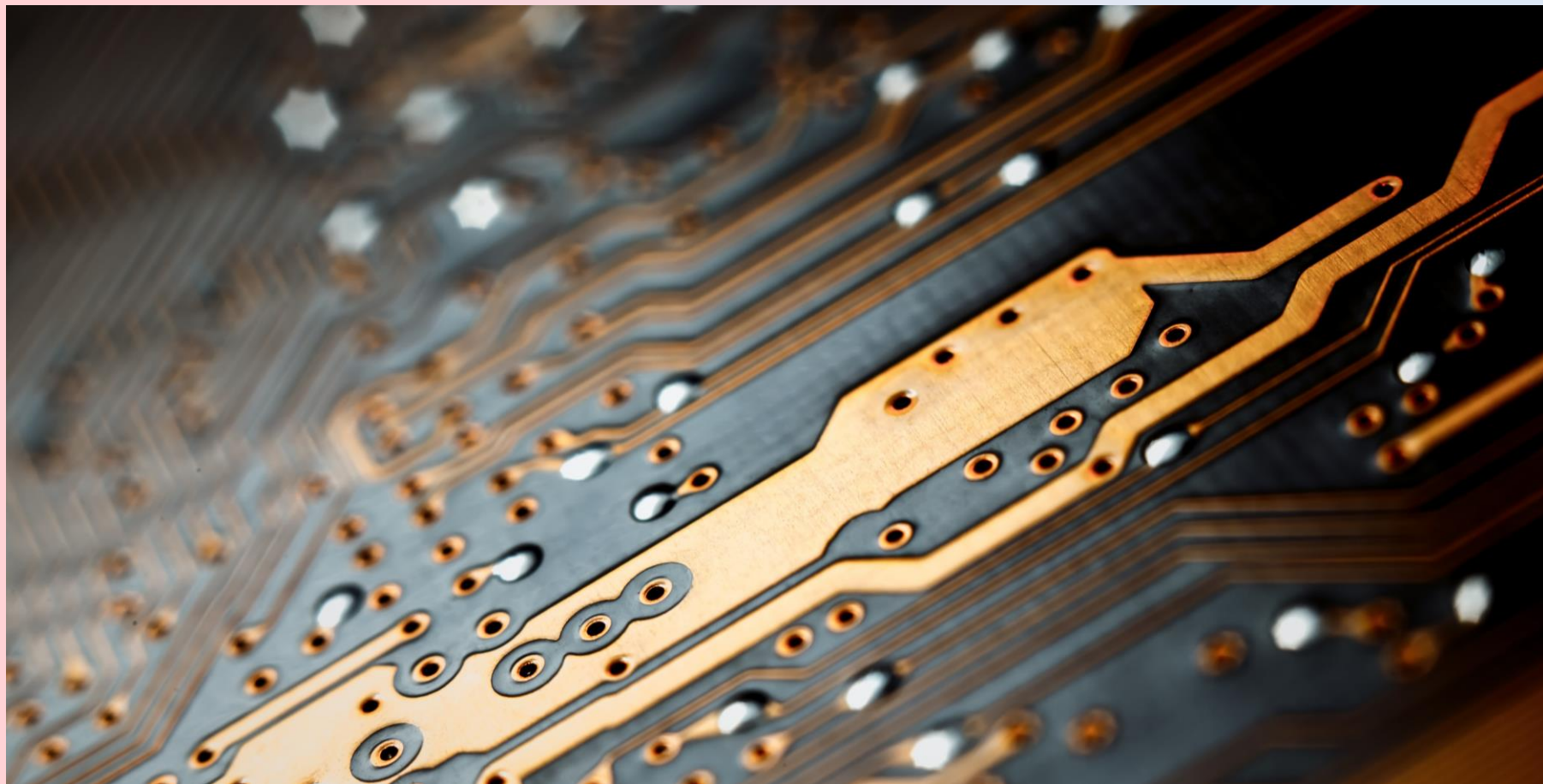
Thought of the week:

**Are new
technologies
always scary?**



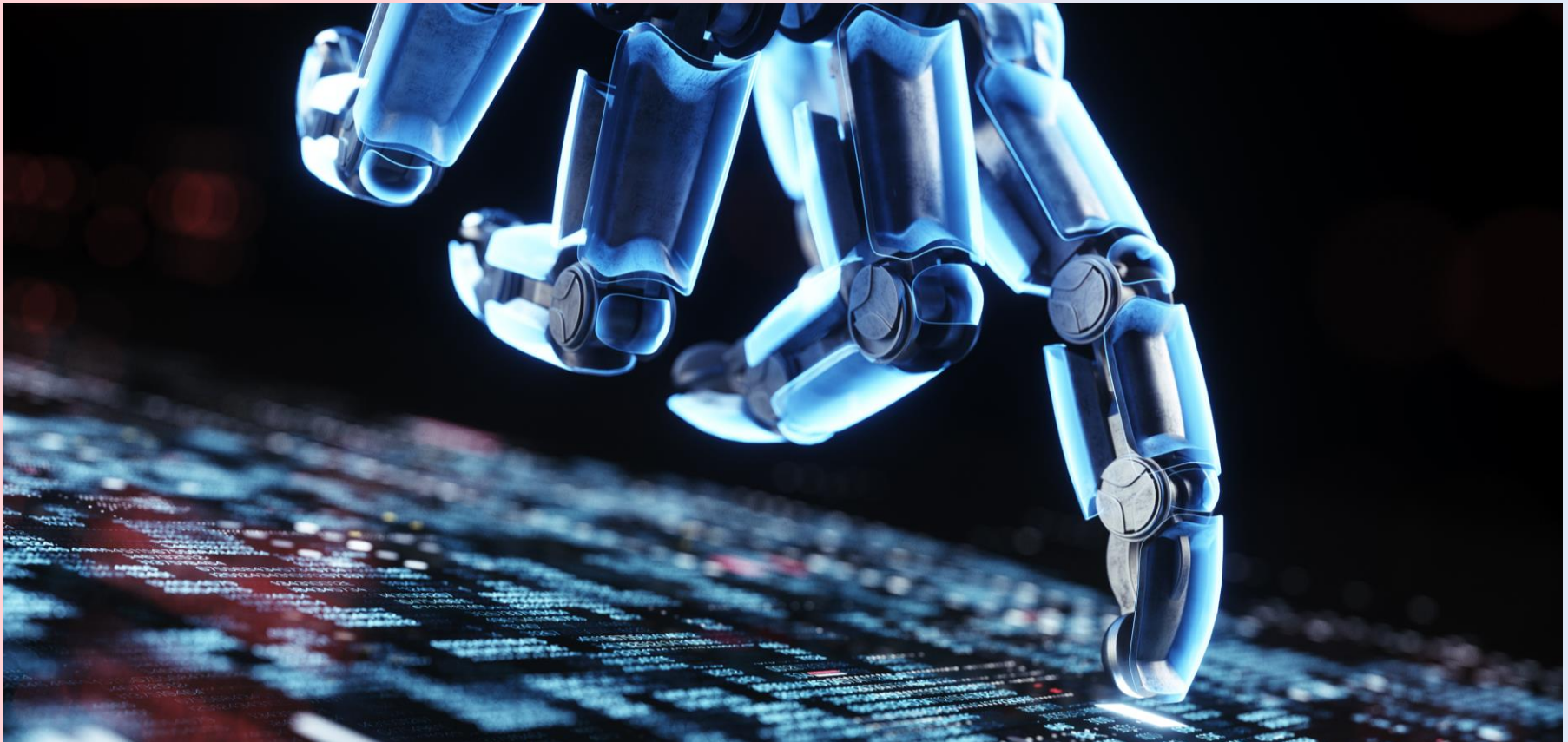
From **8th - 17th March** it is **British Science Week**. The **theme** for this year is **“Time”**.





In the last **10 years**, there have been **lots of scientific discoveries**, such as **breakthroughs in tackling illnesses** to improvements in **artificial intelligence (AI)**.

You might be **surprised** to learn about some of the **new technologies** that people were **scared of** before they became **part of our everyday lives**.
Let's take a **closer look...**



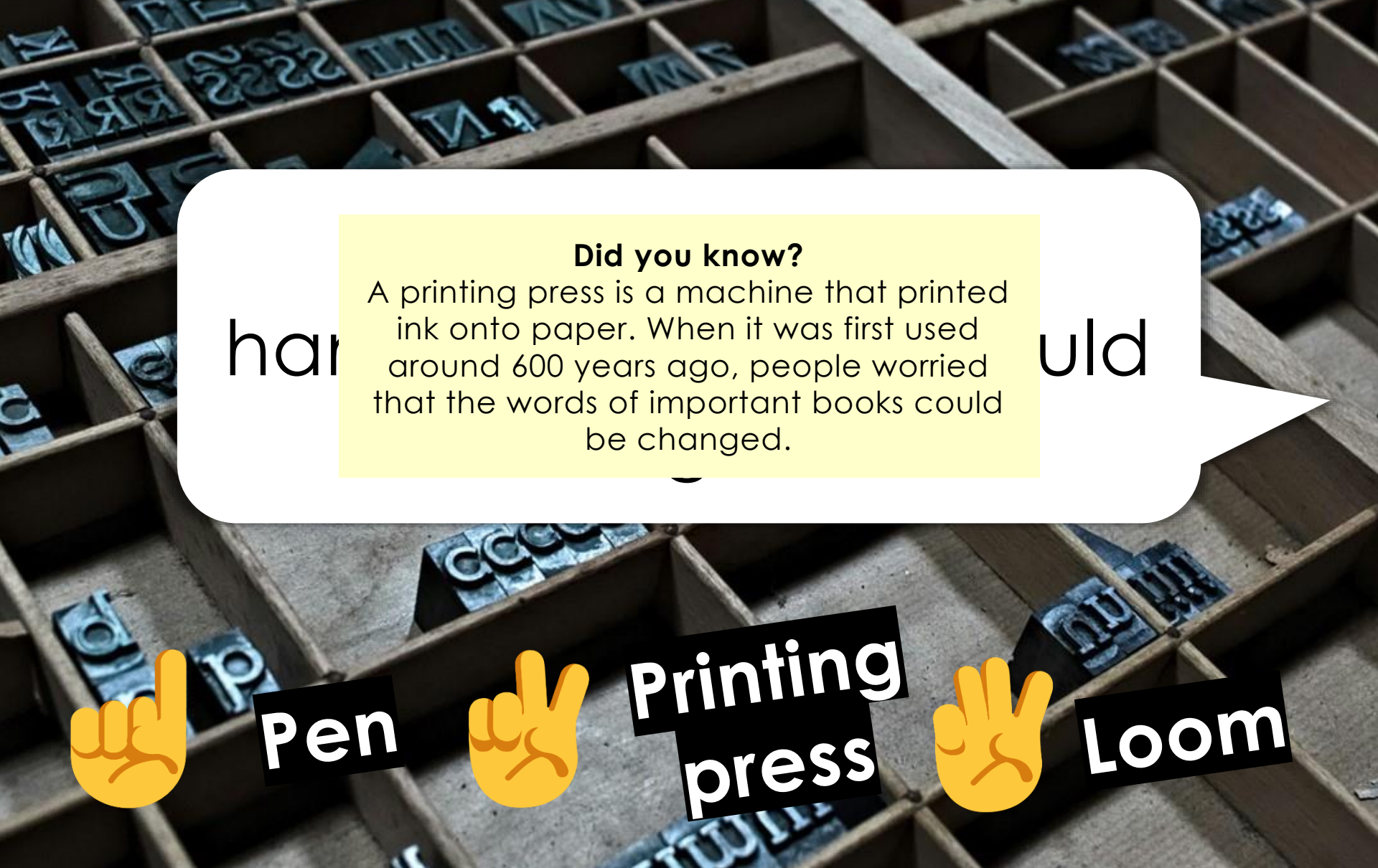


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Turning back the clock!

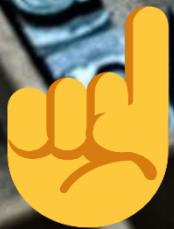
On the next few slides, you are going to hear people talking about an invention they are scared of. For each one, try to guess what they are talking about. Use your fingers to show your answer!



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Did you know?
A printing press is a machine that printed ink onto paper. When it was first used around 600 years ago, people worried that the words of important books could be changed.

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Pen



Printing press



Loom



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Did you know?
The Stockton-Darlington Railway opened in 1825. Lots of people were worried that travelling at speed could cause serious injury.



Train



Car



Plane



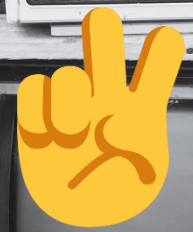
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Did you know?
In the 1960s, a company sent out televisions that gave off dangerous X-rays and people were warned not to sit too close. Even though they fixed the problem, people were still scared.



Radio



TV



Stereo



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It **Did you know?** at
There is no evidence that Wi-Fi
is dangerous.



Y2K



Wi-Fi



MP3



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These technologies have **become part of everyday life**. But today, AI is **still improving**, and people are **worried** about its **effects**.

Consider these words...

You are going to read some opinion about AI. For each one, decided if you agree or disagree by shouting “**Yay-I**” or “**Nay-I**”!





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I'm scared about
how quickly AI is
changing our world.





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We will all get used to using AI, just like we have with other technologies.



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AI will change everything. Just like the discovery of electricity did.





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I'm not sure I'll ever trust AI enough to get into a self-driving car.



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AI is a great success. It's only going to improve things as the technology gets better!



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It's normal to feel scared about new things at first.

This week you're discussing: "Are AI-generated images too believable?"

Yes

I think AI-generated images are too believable.

I didn't manage to find many of the AI-generated images shown today.

I find it hard to spot AI-generated images, even with the tips I've been given.

I don't think AI-generated images are too believable.

I picked out lots of the AI-generated images shown today.

I find it easy to spot AI-generated images, especially with the tips I've been given.

No

Join the national conversation by logging into your VotesforSchools account or sharing your thoughts with your teacher!