

Transport

Chapter 14: Transport · Topic 1

Key Concept

Transport can be classified into land (cars, buses, trains), water (ships, boats), and air (airplanes) transport, each suited for different needs.

Public transport, like buses and trains, helps many people travel together, reducing traffic and pollution compared to individual vehicles.

Transport has evolved over time, from walking and animal-drawn carts to modern high-speed trains and airplanes.

Understanding transport helps us make informed choices about travel, considering factors like speed, cost, and environmental impact.

Quick Revision Notes

- Transport: land, water, air.
- Land: cars, buses, trains.
- Water: ships, boats.
- Air: airplanes.
- Public transport reduces traffic, pollution.
- Transport evolved: walking to modern trains/planes.
- Choices consider speed, cost, environment.
- This helps informed travel decisions.

Practice Questions

- 1 List three modes of land transport.
- 2 Discuss why public transport reduces pollution.
- 3 Draw your favourite mode of transport.
- 4 Discuss how transport has changed over time.
- 5 Compare travelling by bus and by car.
- 6 Discuss a transport choice you would make for a long trip.