

Key Events Activity

Follow the instructions to complete the activity.

NAME DATE

Key events in the life of a well-known person are often commemorated. Choose one of the key events in the book and write a news story about it in the space below.

Your news story should focus on a key event in Thomas Edison's life and the year the event took place. The news story needs to answer four key questions.

1. Who did the key event happen to? You may include background information on Thomas Edison.
2. What was the key event? This may be when Thomas Edison created an electrical vote counter in 1868.
3. Where did the event take place? This should include the complete date and location.
4. Why was this event important? Explain how this event had an impact on Thomas Edison's life, as well as the lives of others.

