

GREATEST INVENTIONS HISTORY TIMELINE

3500 BCE

The Wheel Mesopotamia; revolutionized transportation and pottery.

1440

Printing Press Johannes Gutenberg; enabled the mass spread of knowledge.

1781

Steam Engine James Watt; powered the Industrial Revolution.

1879

Light Bulb Thomas Edison; transformed modern lifestyle and productivity.

1903

The Airplane Wright Brothers; initiated the age of global connectivity.

1928

Penicillin Alexander Fleming; started the era of life-saving antibiotics.

1989

World Wide Web Tim Berners-Lee; decentralized information sharing globally.