

## Instructions - 'Where is Granny going?'

- Show slide with the 1971 and 2001 comparative graphs.
- Discuss what pupils think is happening to the population in general.

### Introduction to population pyramids.

- Discuss what population pyramids are whilst displaying the population pyramid slide 1.
- Ask pupils to come up and 'drag & drop' the statements to where they think they belong.
- Pupils can complete the activity sheet questions 1 - 3.
- Discuss with pupils what problems are caused by having a high dependent population in an area.
- Discuss the different issues arising depending on whether the dependents are elderly or young. Show slides 2 - 5

For gifted and talented pupils you could introduce dependency ratios here.

- Pupils can then complete the rest of the worksheet.