

Communication

Back in the day people didn't have mobile phones nor social media

Entertainment

Entertainment has changed from physical means of storage like CD and VHS to online services like youtube

Transportation

Nowadays people must use seatbelts while driving a car.

Education

Education has moved from paper books to e-books.

Food

Earlier food wasn't as versatile as now

Government

Government officials have less power (kekijonien)

Health and medicine

It has improved a lot, for example new medicines have been invented.

Safety

Nowadays it's more safe but it doesn't feel like it because of the informations we get

Fashion

Old fashion trends are coming back, for example fanny packs

Social security

These days there is more bureaucracy.

Crime

Nowadays people do more crimes online

Housing

Urbanization has spread further, and apartments have decreased in size.

Communication

No internet, it was harder to get in touch with others.

Entertainment

No Netflix, HBO etc.

Transportation

It hasn't changed much

Education

No abusive teaching methods anymore, more technology used to teach

Food

More variety to choose from

Government

No comment

Health and medicine

More advanced technology

Safety

It was more safe

Fashion

Is always changing

Social security

Crime

Less organised crime.

Housing

Renting places wasn't as usual as nowadays. People live in smaller houses and apartments.

Communication

Communication didn't happen digitally.

Entertainment

Then radio and TV were popular entertainment. There were no streaming services like Netflix.

Transportation

Education

The wealth of the families increased so more and more parents wanted their children to receive a better education.

Food

Access to junk food was way harder than it is now. There weren't many exotic fruit/vegetables in the grocery stores back in the day.

Government

Urho Kekkonen was the president of Finland.

Health and medicine

Safety

Traffic safety has improved significantly since the early 1970s when more than 1000 people died in road traffic every year.

Fashion

Clothes were more colorful.

Social security

Crime

Housing

Communication

everybody has telephones, communication is done via internet

Entertainment

We can watch movies and TV shows with our devices, we have streaming services now.

Transportation

Flying's become more common. Cars have improved greatly. Much less costly.

Education

Info from the internet more available.

Education happens more and more electronically. Lots of workspaces online.

Easy to share essays or homework over the internet.

Food

GMO food makes it possible to eat more at the same cost. Vegan food's become more common even though people have slightly more money to spend.

Government

You can advertise different policies easily in the internet.

Controversial people have more visibility.

Health and medicine

Medicine and vaccines are more common and more effective.
Public healthcare systems.

Safety

Technology has aided protective services but it has also brought us cyber terrorists and to some degree spying.

Fashion

Fashion changes all the time, but nowadays media has a lot of influence over trends.

Social security

You are more visible nowadays via internet.

Crime

Crime has found its way online, and for example, you can buy drugs online. Hate crimes and cyber bullying.

Housing

I'd say it's more ecological and there are more devices which help you daily.

Communication

It was easier to talk to stranger face to face. Nowadays it's easier to send messages.

Entertainment

Before seeing your friends was close to entertainment. There were no unnecessary tv-shows.

Transportation

Transportation was much more limited for example airplanes were used rarely.

Education

Nowadays everything is electronic. There was silence but it wasn't "dead" silence.

Food

There was less alternatives of food in the market. There was less food. The food was appreciated differently.

Government

The president had more influence

Health and medicine

There was no medication for some diseases. Medication has ^{mostly} been replaced by diets. Hygiene has improved.

Safety

In traffic the safety has improved a lot. Society has become more restless.

Fashion

Nowadays people have more clothes and they are more affordable.

Social security

Nowadays it's easier to get access to your information. There wasn't internet collecting our data.

Crime

There is less crime but more assaults.

Housing

People lived in countryside.

Communication

phones, internet

Entertainment

public media streaming, movies etc

Transportation

cars, electric cars

Education

basic/modern education system, virtual textbooks

Food

much more synthetic foods, less chemicals in food

Government

more globalization, politic trends have changed. communism and facisim arent mainstream anymore

Health and medicine

cancer can be found earlier and treated better, computers etc. help many bacterias are antibiot immune

Safety

electric security systems, cars have airbags & seat belts and abs brakes

Fashion

new trends, always changing

Social security

~~An~~ ~~K~~ Finland has built a great welfare-system (Kela)

Crime

less crime, but electronic attacks like hacking and tracking ^{has} become more popular

Housing

Big companys have suspicious motives to collect large amounts of personal information
people live in a flats, bigger houses, smaller yards, more rooms per living area

Communication

Through modern technology it has become far easier.

Entertainment

~~is much easier to access~~ is much easier to access and has become far simpler.

Transportation

Again more accessible and effective

Education

~~is~~ is more required to make a living.

Food

is more processed and ~~is~~ almost always ~~at~~ store bought.

Government

is far more present in our lives, ~~it has less power~~ and have become more sophisticated.

Health and medicine

is more advanced,

Safety

More indirect threats less direct threats.

Fashion

Far more present.

Social security**Crime**

~~is~~ Has become easier to do.

Housing

is more city based.

Communication

it's easier and better with smart divisions

Entertainment

Netflix, before they have only *käpölehmä*
(self-made toys)

Transportation

get better

Education

get better. electrifying, more alternatives to study

Food

Fast-food restaurants,

Government

Don't know

Health and medicine

Better doctors and treatments.

Safety

traffic lights, cars are safer, better traffic system

Fashion

We use same clothes what our parents use when they are our age

Social security

kela

Crime

online crimes has become problem

Housing

more people lives in towns

Communication Nowadays people use more cellphones to connect with others.

Entertainment Back the people watched more TV.
Nowadays movies and series are available on phones.

Transportation Travelling is easier

Education People have more opportunities and they study longer.

Food There were less food options in stores in winters

Government (there is no soviet union no more)

There is more liberal parties and they have more support.

Health and medicine You can check your medical records online.

Safety There is cybercrime nowadays.

Fashion Pants are high-waisted

Social security

Crime Terrorist attacks has increased

Housing

Communication

- Phones
- Social media

Entertainment

- Humor, less tabu subjects
- Netflix

Transportation

- More and faster

Education

- More options
- Higher education

Food

- diverse - insects
- vegan
- valmigrudka

Government

- more women
- more democratic

Health and medicine

- new medical discoveries
- amakanta
- chatting
- online counseling with medical professionals

Safety

- safer - security systems
- CCTV

Fashion

- different styles
- revealing clothes

Social security

- you can apply for benefits online

Crime

- cyber crimes - masks
- more public

Housing

- people live in the cities
- smaller ~~buildings~~ apartments

Communication Mainly talking

Entertainment Make your entertainment

Transportation Horses

Education Elementary school level more common

Food Very cheap, expensive food a luxury

Government Hands off approach

Health and medicine medicine more

Safety

Fashion Practical

Social security

Crime Deperation

Housing Whole family lives in a singular house
lots of kids

Future

What kind of neighborhood will you live in when you get older?

What will cities be like 50 years from now? Think about how these will change (make two or three predictions for each):

Transportation way more electric
car

Pollution pollution charts
will explode

Crime terrorist robots

Advertising via internet mainly

Buildings will be higher

Work there will be problems
due to increasing amount of
robots

Shopping clothes will probably
be a little more expensive

Nightlife better clubs

When will you graduate?

How will you use English in the future?

Will humans ever meet aliens? What will the meeting be like?

What kind of sci-fi movie will the future be like? (The Matrix, Terminator, i-Robot, Minority Report etc.)

Do you think houses will be more environmentally friendly in the future?

Where will we get our energy when we run out of oil?

How will India and China affect the environment in the future?

What will happen if we keep polluting the environment?

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Transportation <ul style="list-style-type: none">- faster- easier- underground- electricity- self driving cars
Pollution <ul style="list-style-type: none">- no information :)
Crime <ul style="list-style-type: none">- less crimes
Advertising <ul style="list-style-type: none">- everywhere- targeted

Buildings <ul style="list-style-type: none">- higher- bigger- modern- more electrical
Work <ul style="list-style-type: none">- more unemployment- more entrepreneurs- wage gap
Shopping <ul style="list-style-type: none">- online
Nightlife <ul style="list-style-type: none">- legal drugs- less alcohol

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Transportation

electric cars and public transportation

Pollution

probably not going to change, but we are going to start extracting the amount of CO₂ by ~~absorbing~~

Crime

physical crime will decrease and virtual will become problem

Advertising

Buildings

Work

Shopping

Nightlife

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