



Upper Beeding Primary School

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Years 5/6 Victorian School Day

Dear Parent/Carer

Sadly, due to the lockdown we were unable to kick off our 'Vile Victorians' topic with our normal Wow! Day at the beginning of this term. However, we would like to celebrate all of the fantastic learning the children have been doing at home and at school by running a 'Victorian School Day Experience' on **Monday 29th March 2021**.

The children will be time-warped back to the Victorian period and spend a morning in a Victorian classroom experiencing a Victorian timetable. To enhance this experience even further we ask that your child arrives at school on that morning dressed as a Victorian child. We have provided a few ideas below to help with selecting appropriate clothes:

Poor children

Rich children



Boys: cap, jacket, ¾ length trousers, white shirt, waistcoat
Girls: simple dress, mob hat, waistcoat, pinafore

We would like the children to have a Victorian-style packed lunch on this day. Some possible ideas for this are: cheese, bread, carrot, apple, a pasty or pie, boiled egg and fruit cake. Remember there would be no chocolate, crisps, oranges or bananas during the Victorian period! For authenticity, lunches could be placed in a brown paper bag or wrapped in greaseproof paper & tied up with string. If your child has a hot meal booked on this day, you will need to cancel this direct with Chartwells as soon as possible if you do not want it because you would prefer to provide a Victorian packed lunch instead.

During the afternoon, we will show the children the musical 'Oliver!' which is set in the Victorian era.

Yours sincerely,

Mr Jones
UKS2 Leader

