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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 2 Victorian Workshop: Wednesday 18 November 2026

We are really excited to have arranged a 'Victorian Drama Workshop' that will take place on **Wednesday 18 November 2026**. It will be an amazing way to consolidate our key topic this term; do all Victorians rock around the Christmas tree? The children will experience Victorian-style learning and activities - both those experienced by the rich and the poor.

In order to 'bring the session to life', we would like the children to dress up as a Victorian child.

- Children could wear skirts and blouses or a dress. Alternatively, they could wear trousers or shorts with a shirt. Waistcoats and jackets would be a lovely addition.
- Pinafores, hats, dirt and grime are optional!

Please note that we are really keen to provide the children with experiences that enhance their learning such as this kind of activity. However, we are reliant on voluntary contributions from parents to cover the costs as the school budget does not enable us to offer these. A voluntary contribution of **£7.00** will cover the costs of our workshop. Please be aware that if a significant number of places are not paid for, we will be unable to offer visits of this type in the future. We do feel that this is really good value for money as the children will be completely immersed in their history topic and experience Victorian life as if they were there!

Our preferred method of payment is online. You will shortly receive a text message providing you with information as to how to create an online account (if you have not previously done so) to enable you to make payments to the school. Cheques should be made payable to Hampshire County Council. If you wish to pay by cash, then please enclose the correct money where possible. If you do require change then please be advised that this may not be issued on the day payment is made.

Please complete and return the form below with the relevant money by **Friday 13 November 2026**.

Please note that this letter is for information only if you choose to pay for the whole year.

Yours sincerely

Mrs L A de Carteret
Headteacher

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Reply Slip: Year 2 Victorian Drama Workshop Experience

Name of child: …… Class: ……

☐ I enclose £7.00 as my full contribution towards the cost of the visit

☐ I enclose £. . . . . as my voluntary contribution towards the cost of the visit

☐ I wish to receive change ☐ I wish to donate any change to the school

☐ I have paid online