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Dear Parents/Carers

Victorian Day – Thursday 28 March

You may have seen on the whole school calendar sent out at the start of this term that we are planning a whole school Victorian Day towards the end of term. Please note that the date for this has changed from Monday 1 April to Thursday 28 March.

Victorian Day is part of a programme of subject-themed days we have put in place this year to enrich and enhance the curriculum. We thought it would be particularly relevant to our children to have a history day linked to the time period in which their school was built.

On the day, thanks to the generosity of the VSA, we will be welcoming visitors from the Dacorum Heritage Trust, who will be running workshops with all year groups and bringing the subject to life with artefacts and costumes.

We would like to invite all children to dress up on the day so they can really immerse themselves in the Victorian experience. However, we do not wish you to go to any unnecessary expense and hope you will find it relatively easy to put together a home-made costume. Key items for boys are shorts (or trousers tucked into socks) and a shirt, with the possible addition of a waistcoat and or braces, cap and neckerchief and for girls a skirt and blouse with the possible addition of a shawl or apron and a mob cap.

If you don't have any of the additional items suggested, the local charity shops are usually very helpful with this kind of thing.

Please do not hesitate to approach your child's class teacher if you have any questions about the above.

Yours sincerely

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Head of School