



Dear Parents

5<sup>th</sup> March 2026

## Victorian day – Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March

Years 3 and 4 are currently learning about Victorian Hinckley. As part of this topic, we are planning on having a Victorian Day on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March. We would like the children to come dressed as Victorians for the day to help them get into the spirit of what life would have been like for children in Hinckley during this era.

Below are some suggestions of what the children could wear on the day:

### Boys

- Dark jacket or waistcoat
- 'Grandad' shirt or a long sleeved white or grey school shirt
- Dark school trousers
- Dark socks into which the trousers can be tucked
- Neckerchief worn inside the shirt collar to keep it clean
- Fingerless gloves
- Cap
- Dark shoes
- Cotton handkerchief



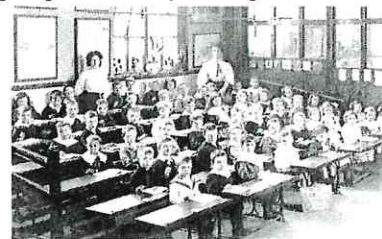
### Girls

- Pinafore or apron
- Long sleeved blouse and dark calf length skirt or
- Longish dress which is plain and dark or has a small flowered print
- Flat, dark shoes or boots
- Plain knee length shoes or thick tights
- Long hair could be tied back in a ponytail with a ribbon or plaited (or a section of the hair can be gathered up and tied with a plain ribbon high on the back of the head).
- Cotton bonnet or straw hat.
- Cotton handkerchief

We hope these suggestions are helpful and if you are struggling, do not panic; just do the best you can.

Yours sincerely

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