

Welcome to the Year 3 Page – Spring Term 2019

Our topic the first half of this term is history-based, all about the Victorians. We will be experiencing school life dressed as Victorians and will be considering the following questions:



What do we know about the Victorians?
How do we know about the Victorians?
How did the Victorians spend their leisure time?
What was it like to be a child in Victorian times?
What did the Victorians invent?

Explore the following websites for information about life in Victorian times:

<https://www.bbc.com/bitesize/topics/zcjhyc/resources/1>

<https://www.topmarks.co.uk/Search.aspx?q=victorian>

<http://primaryfacts.com/the-victorians-facts-information-and-resources/>

We have so much to look forward to later in the spring term in Year 3. As we embark on our first school residential trip we will be comparing the locations of Oundle and Hartington in a unit of work called Oundle and Hartington, how do they compare? We will be thinking about what the town of Oundle has to offer on our doorstep and then as we prepare to travel on our journey to Hartington we will see what this picturesque village has to offer in comparison.



The focus of our learning before the residential trip will be map work and then as part of the focus when we get there we will be sketching the hall where we stay and also compare land features both natural and manmade. We will continue with this unit of work on our return from Hartington, using and recording our new knowledge from the trip.

Try these websites for map work skills:

<https://www.ordnancesurvey.co.uk/mapzone/>

<http://www.google.com/earth/>

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/scotland/education/sym/landscapes/>