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To the parents/carers of children in Bumblebee and Caterpillar Class

Dear Parents / Carers



Victorian Seaside Day

Class/Year Group involved	Year 2
Date of visit	5th June 2018
Response required by	27th April 2018

As part of our history topic this term, Children in Bumblebee and Caterpillar classes will be enjoying an enrichment day in school, learning about what it was like to go to the seaside long ago. To add to the atmosphere of the day, children can choose to come to school wearing summer clothes (dress/shorts and t-shirt) or a Victorian costume.

We have invited History off the Page (HOP) to visit school to recreate the experience of a seaside holiday of the past. HOP will bring up to ten suitcases of artefacts from the late Victorian and Edwardian periods together with some more modern examples from the fifties. All the children will begin the session as curators. Later some children will become visitors to the museum, whilst others remain as curators for half the time and then the groups will change over. The children will prepare games and toys for the afternoon visit to the pier. Stalls will include: Roll a penny, Aunt Sally, postcard finting, coin rubbing, stamps etc.

Children may dress up if they wish – please see attached notes.

The cost of the activity will be £5. This has been subsidised to the extent of £5 per child by Friends of the Feoffment, to whom we are extremely grateful.

We are asking for contributions in order to make the experience of learning this subject much more enjoyable and interesting than if it were purely classroom based. There is no obligation for you to contribute and pupils will not be treated any differently according to whether or not their parents have made a contribution. However, the level of contribution will be calculated and this activity may not take place if parents are reluctant to support it, resulting in insufficient contributions being



received to cover the cost. Activities will be cancelled at the discretion of the Headteacher and/or Governing Body.

Please log in to Schoolmoney in order to consent and make payment for this event by 27th April 2018.

Yours sincerely

Susan Herriott

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Headteacher

Year 2 History Off the Page Seaside History Day

Victorian Costume Ideas:



Girls

- Plain skirt with a white blouse
- Plain dress.
- An apron and cap could also be worn.



Boys

- Plain shorts and a plain shirt.
- A cap and waistcoat could also be worn.

If you are able to help (morning, afternoon or all day) please let the office staff know.