

SANDWELL METROPOLITAN BOROUGH COUNCIL

The Federation of Abbey Infant and Junior School

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Dear Parents / Carers

Year 1 Victorian Day

Year 1 will be holding a 'Victorian Day' on **Wednesday 4th December 2024**. We are inviting Year 1 children to come to school wearing Victorian clothing. The teachers will be dressed up too and the theme of the day will be all things Victorian. We will have Victorian style lessons in the morning and other Victorian games and activities in the afternoon.

Victorian boys would have worn dark trousers, a waist coat, a shirt, boots and a flat cap. Victorian girls would have worn a pinafore dress/dress with a full apron attached, boots and a mop cap or a bonnet.

Other options may include a chimney sweep or a rich Victorian child. There are many pictures on the internet for inspiration and please do not feel that you need to purchase an outfit. Look to make use of what you already have at home, or charity shops are often a good place to pick something up at low cost.

We look forward to seeing our Victorian Year 1 children!

Yours sincerely

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