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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 2 History Days

As part of our 'Victorians' topic we are holding two History Days in school for Year 2 on Friday 12th October and Tuesday 13th November.

The first one, on Friday 12th October will be a Victorian school day in which the children will have the opportunity to learn what schools were like, how children were expected to behave and elements of a typical day. On the second day, Tuesday 13th November, the children will be learning about what life was like for Florence Nightingale, and the conditions of the hospitals at the time. These days will be based on a series of creative activities and role play, using a variety of resources. In order to cover the cost of the materials, we are asking for a small donation of £2.50 per child.

To help the children experience these days as fully as possible, we are asking that they wear Victorian style clothes for the day. There will be further opportunities for the children to dress up at our Sharing Assembly (dates are at the end of the letter). For some simple ideas, please see the attached sheet. We would like parents/carers to come and join us for the Florence Nightingale Day only, as the activities will need additional adult supervision, whilst the children have fun becoming historians. Please let us know if you are able to join us for the morning of afternoon or even all day! We can promise you an enjoyable experience.

2HS sharing assembly- Friday 16th November at 9.00 am

2KS sharing assembly- Friday 23rd November at 9.00am

Please return the reply slip and money by Friday 5th October 2018. If you have any queries, please come and see us.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Southwood and Miss Scotchford

Year 2 History Days: 12th October 2018 and 13th November 2018

Child's Name _____

Year _____

I enclose £2.50

Signed _____

I can help at the Florence Nightingale Day am pm all day

