

<u>Time Detectives: The Victorians</u>
The Victorians lived during the reign of Queen Victoria (1837 to 1901). Victorian Britain is the theme for the Year 2 family homework. This booklet has lots of activities that you can work on, as a family, at home over the holidays.



At the start of next term we will share your work at school, so make sure you bring things in to school as you complete them!

TRY THESE VICTORIAN ACTIVITIES WITH YOUR FAMILY



Cook a Victorian recipe, take a photo and bring it into school!

See the website links for recipe ideas!

There are several statues of Queen Victoria in London. Can you find one and take a picture with it?



Inventions



Can you find out about some Victorian inventions? Draw or make a model of your favourite and explain how it works.

Visit an *Idea Store* and take out some books to read about the Victorians.



Learn a Victorian game.
Can you write a set of instructions on how to play it to teach the class?





Black History Month





Get a head start... Scan to see the life of Mary Seacole, told in three short video episodes. Mary tells of her early life in Jamaica, and how her mother, a famous healer, taught her all her healing skills.

Queen Victoria



Can you find out 5 facts about Queen Victoria?

SCRATCH

In Computing we will be using the Scratch Jr app on iPads. If you can, download on your device and test out the coding platform!

GO ON A FAMILY TRIP TO DISCOVER THE VICTORIANS

Here are some ideas of places to visit:

Museum of London

Visit the 'People's City: 1850s-1940s' exhibition to find out how the rapid growth of London created a wealthy but divided city.

Young V&A

The Museum of Childhood has lots of free fun things to do for all ages, from exhibitions and displays to activities for children, groups and schools.



London Go on a sightseeing walk around London, looking out for some of the famous buildings built during Victorian times. Visit http://www.visitlondon.com/tag/victorian-history-london to find out more!



Remember to bring something in to tell your class about your trip. It could be a photo, drawing, poem, booklet, ticket —anything!

Instructions to join the CJ Year 2 Duolingo Spanish team.

If you are on a computer, go here:

http://duolingo.com/o/dxahqj

If you are on a smartphone or tablet:

- Download the **Duolingo** app and open it up.
- 2. Press Get Started. Then select Spanish.
- 3. Set your Daily Goal and continue (you can change this later).
- 4. Create a Profile:
 - On Android, press the menu icon at the top right corner and press Create a Profile.
 - on iOS, press Profile in the top left corner and press Create a Profile.
- 5. Type in your Name, Email and Password, then press Create.
- 6. Go to your Profile and press Progress Sharing.
- 7. Type in your Classroom Code: **DXAHQJ**
- 8. Press Join Class.



In KS2, children will start learning Spanish.

Start early and play at home, use the code to join our Y2 Spanish team!





The Victorians!



Use the box below to record any of the activities your family have enjoyed completing. Be ready to share some of your homework...

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