



VICTORIAN DAY



Today we came to school in our Victorian outfits. a quantity of us came as chimney sweeps, some of us came as maids, a couple of us came as rich Victorians and the rest of us came as typical Victorian children. From 9:15, (until 3:30) the school was a Victorian place. We were all involved in 4 different activities; Victorian classroom, Toys and games, music in the hall and Thaumatrofes.

Victorian class was a lot of fun. Mrs Kitson and Mrs Woolbridge pretended to be strict Victorian teachers. We had to chant the 5 times table, write "children should be seen and not heard" 3 times with our right hand and if anyone did anything wrong, we would have to either wear the dunces hat or get hit by the cane. It was a lot of fun.

Toys and games was also a lot of fun as we got play 7different Victorian games including; marbles, roll the hoop, skipping, hop scotch, and graces. The marbles were very interesting and everyone enjoyed playing with them. We also played with the hoops but not by spinning them round our waist, by rolling it across the floor. After we had done all of the really good games, we played a game called shove ha'penny.

We then had lunch. A lot of us brought in Victorian hampers or big parcels to carry our lunch in.

Music was very good as we sung a song called any old iron and made up some street cries. The song (any old iron) was very easy to sing along to and we all loved it. The street cries were really funny . We wrote one about meat and another about tomatoes. We all loved it.

Lastly we made some Thaumatrofes with Mrs Kitson. We drew 2 circles with pictures on and spun them around to make a very small movie. We all enjoyed seeing what it was like to be a Victorian for a day, but we are glad to go back to having electricity and no canes!

