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Dear Parents and Carers,

To continue to bring our history curriculum to life, we are delighted to announce a **History Celebration Day** on **Thursday May, 21st**. This will be a day filled with historic enquiry, artefact handling and storytelling.

Dressing Up

We invite all children to come to school dressed as a person from the past. This could relate to our current class topics:

- **Year 1 & 2:** [e.g., Victorians or Famous Explorers]
- **Year 3 & 4:** [e.g., Romans, Stone Age, Ancient Egyptians, Vikings or Anglo-Saxons]
- **Year 5 & 6:** [e.g., World War II or Ancient Greeks]
- **EYFS** to come in sports clothes

Top Tips for Costumes:

- **Keep it simple:** A simple prop (like a laurel wreath, a flat cap, or a cardboard shield) is often more effective than a full shop-bought outfit.
- **Sustainability:** We encourage using old clothes or DIY items from home.
- **Practicality:** Please ensure your child wears sensible shoes and a coat for break time.

Activities

Throughout the day, pupils will participate in a whole school 'Celebration of History' parade along with stepping back in time for a special Victorian School Day, designing an ancient Greek Minoan tablet and making Kings and Queens crowns.

We hope this experience will further spark their curiosity and deepen their understanding of the historical areas they are studying.

Thank you for your continued support.

Nicola Hails,

History Lead

