

## Phonics and Spellings

This week, the sounds you will need to look at are as follows;

'tious'

'cious'

You can remember this sound by thinking of 'scrumptious delicious'

(scrumptious, nutritious, ambitious)

(delicious, suspicious, vicious, precious)

Practice these sounds verbally every day. I would also like you to write the words down independently and if you can, put the words into a sentence.

Here is a useful website with lots of phonics games on.

<https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/resources>

Your spellings will be on Seesaw as usual for you to practice daily.

Any completed work can be uploaded to your Seesaw account or to Purple mash 😊

## Literacy

### Monday-

We have finally reached our Victorian week. What a shame we are not in school as we had lots of exciting things planned but lets try and have fun anyway!

I have attached a reading activity for you this morning. Please read it and answer the questions. Please use the one for your year group. You may need a little help from an adult with some of the words.

## Maths

### Monday-

Toady, we are going to be getting practical!

Please see below three maths challenges that you can carry out using items in your home. You can choose which challenge you would like to do, or you can do all three throughout the week! Upload some photos on Seesaw 😊

## Topic

### Monday-

This is our last week looking at our Time Travellers topic!

The Victorian era dates from 1837-1901.

I have attached a list of different inventions. Have a go at sorting them into three different categories.

- Before 1837
- During 1837- 1901
- After 1901

You can do this by observing the pictures and having a guess or researching.

I have attached the answers for you to see how you got on!

### Added extras-

This week, have a go at this 'calming your mind' yoga session.

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=on\\_9AhPQigE](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=on_9AhPQigE)

## Victorian Toys

7 Victorian toys were usually made from wood,  
15 metal and paper. The toys that Victorian children  
25 had were very different if their family was rich or  
26 poor.

34 Children from rich families played with toys  
41 such as clockwork train sets, toy soldiers, rocking  
49 horses, china dolls and dolls houses. In many  
59 homes, the only toy children could play with on a  
68 Sunday was Noah's Ark, because it was from the  
69 Bible.

75 Children from poor families played with  
83 homemade toys such as peg dolls. Rags were  
91 stuffed with sawdust to make balls and toy  
99 animals. If they were lucky, poor children were  
106 sometimes bought cheap penny toys from the  
107 market.



## Quick Questions

1. What materials were Victorian toys made from?

\_\_\_\_\_

2. Can you find an adjective used to describe the poor families' toys?

\_\_\_\_\_

3. Why do you think children were **lucky** if they were bought cheap penny toys?

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

4. Number these sentences 1-3 to show the order that we find out about these things in the text.

- What children from poor families played with.
- What Victorian toys were made from.
- What children from rich families played with.

## History Hackers: Victorian Venture

Charlie pocketed the small bag and quickly began to rummage through the stacks of paper and scrolls that littered the desk. Eventually, he pulled out a piece of thickly folded paper which he opened out across the worktop.

"All we have to do is find the doorway," he explained, searching the sketched streets of York, which stretched across the map like arteries and veins. "The Victorians were much more civilised than the Romans. What's the worst that could happen?"

According to Professor Howe's journal, this map plotted the location of a number of time doors – the Professor called them 'gates' – leading back to different periods in the city's history. The small bags that hung from each pin contained coins and trinkets from those periods and it was these items which could enable the holder to pass through the gate.

The two children had been sceptical at first, neither quite prepared to believe that time travel was possible. Yet, when they had finally dared to put the professor's theories to the test, the results had been astonishing.

"We'd never find the right clothes," Tilda said from her position peering over Charlie's shoulder. "We'd stand out like sore thumbs and that would attract trouble."



## History Hackers: Victorian Venture

"We can go to the fancy dress shop," Charlie said. "They've always got Oliver Twist costumes in stock – is that a Dickens one?"

As exciting possibilities began to bubble in Tilda's mind, her eyes skirted the map's inked streets and roads until she found one marked 'Shambles'. Perhaps York's most historic and famous street, the Shambles was still filled with timber-framed buildings which hung over the ancient cobbles like the hoods of watchful spectres.

Tilda's gaze settled upon the sketch of a key sitting a few backstreets away. A single word, so carefully written beneath the key, grabbed her attention: 'Victorians'.

Perhaps sensing his big sister's brewing enthusiasm, Charlie dragged the little fabric pouch out of his pocket and dropped it onto the map.

"We can both be in Victorian York by tomorrow lunchtime. We'd see for ourselves what life was really like and remember, Tils, time stands still here while we're away, so we've nothing to lose. It'll be a laugh!"



## Questions

1. What was Charlie looking for on the map? Tick the correct choice.

- a scroll
- a desk
- a doorway
- some clothes

2. What was contained in the small bags that were hanging up? Select **two**.

- pins
- coins
- clothes
- trinkets

3. Number these events in the order that they happen in the story. The first one has been done for you.

- 1 Charlie rummages through the stacks of paper on the desk.
- Charlie suggests that they go to the fancy dress shop.
- Charlie opens the map out across the worktop.
- Tilda says that they don't have the right clothes.

4. Draw lines to match the words or names with the correct descriptions.

the Shambles	a time traveller who left his journal
York	a street in York
Professor Howe	Charlie's big sister
Tilda	the city shown on the map

Fill in the missing word(s):

According to Charlie, 'the Victorians were much more civilised than \_\_\_\_\_'.

5. What kind of costume did Charlie suggest was always in the fancy dress shop?

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6. How soon did the children think they could be in Victorian York?

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Maths Week Practical Challenge

You have 30 minutes to create a platform out of pasta. Can it hold your weight without breaking?



Maths Week Practical Challenge

You have 30 minutes to build a paper plane out of tissues. Can you make it fly the farthest distance?



Maths Week Practical Challenge

You have 30 minutes to create a pyramid using Lego bricks. How tall can you make it?

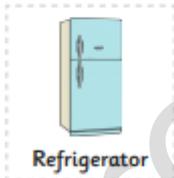




Before 1837



During 1837- 1901



After 1901



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## Victorian Inventions - Answers

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### Before:

1608 telescope  
1827 propeller  
1834 refrigerator  
1802 photo paper  
1829 stephensons rocket  
1835 revolver  
1816 stethoscope

### During:

1854 postbox  
1893 toaster  
1883 toilet paper  
1845 tyre  
1840 stamp  
1879 car  
1876 phone  
1878 light bulb

### After:

1916 tank