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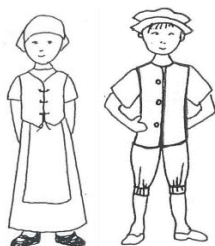
Dear Parents and Carers,

Year 2 Great Fire of London Experience Day

As part of our topic on the Great Fire of London this term, we have a company called History off the Page coming into provide a day of activities on Thursday 22nd September to enhance the learning experience for the children.

It will involve a day full of different workshops so that the children get a better understanding of what it was like to live during the Great Fire of London.

The school is paying for this great opportunity, so there is no cost to parents. It would be great if the children could dress up for the day, but this is optional. Listed below are some ideas of the sorts of things children in this time would wear.



Boy's Great Fire of London Costume:

Smock – a large plain shirt with a large collar and a belt or cord around the waist.

Doublet – you could add a plain waistcoat if you have one as a doublet.

Hose – tuck plain, dark, baggy trousers (such as track-suit bottoms) into long socks.

Girl's Great Fire of London Costume:

Smock – a plain shirt with a large collar.

Kirtle – a long, preferably plain skirt.

Bodice – a man's plain waistcoat if you have one. (Or you could wear a long plain dress, with a belt or cord tie).

Apron – preferably plain white. You could attach a rectangle of white material to a tie (no gathers or pockets), A belt or cord tie or plaited wool tie.

Shoes – any flat, sturdy shoes

Coif – (for your head). A triangle of white material tied around the head to hide the hair. The long ends are tied over the hanging point, which is then tucked over the knot.

Kind regards

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Interim Principal

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