

Gaddesby Primary School

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<u>Victorian Christmas at Beaumanor Hall – Year 5/6</u> <u>Monday 6th December 2021</u>

Wednesday 17th November 2021

Dear Parents

On **Monday 6th December** the children in **Year 5 and 6** will be going on an educational visit to Beaumanor Hall. This educational visit will introduce our Christmas mini topic 'Victorian Christmas' and will provide numerous learning opportunities. The children will experience traditional parlour games, explore what life was like for a servant at Christmas and investigate Victorian school life.

The children are to arrive at their usual time and will be back to school by the end of the school day. They need to arrive in their **school uniform** including a **warm coat**, as we are outside for some parts of the day. The children will also need to bring with them a **packed lunch and a drink**. In keeping with the theme of Victorian Christmas, we have been asked to bring a themed packed lunch where possible. The packed lunches should reflect the fact that plastic bags had not been invented, there were almost no fast foods and most food was plain, simple and local. Suggestions from Beaumanor are cheese sandwiches and/or bread and jam - cooked ham, boiled eggs and pickle - Gingerbread biscuits, sugar mice, apples and pears.

The cost for the trip, including the coach and workshop is **£17.50.** Please complete the consent form and payment via the Arbor App by **Monday 29th November**.

If your child needs medication for the trip (e.g. travel sickness tablets) please let the school office know by **Monday** 29th November.

Kind regards

Miss Toon, Miss Simms and Miss Smith

