

Last week, Year 5 enjoyed a great day at St John's House Museum finding out what it was like to be a child in Victorian times.



**The Victorian schoolroom** was strict and you had to sit up straight.



Exercises were called 'Drill' Some of us were better at this than others!

Then it was off to find out about **Mob Caps to Top Hats!**



Ladies, gentlemen and babies all wore many layers of clothing to keep warm in the winter.



So how did they keep all that clothing clean?

**Time to visit the Laundry...**



It was hard work!

Pump the water, grate the soap, work the dolly and then squeeze the water out through the mangle.



...and don't forget to mop the floor!

