



Education Programme

The Victorians

Braintree District Museum is housed in a former Victorian School, providing the perfect setting for your Victorian experience. The day is full of interactive and hands-on learning and can be run for KS1 or KS2 pupils.

Curriculum Links

KS1

- Events and life beyond living memory.

KS2

- Extend knowledge beyond 1066 and local history study.

Workshops



Classroom Roleplay

Set in our Victorian classroom, pupils will be given an authentic lesson from a role play teacher. Pupils will practise writing on slates, learn their timetables Victorian style and find out what discipline was like in Victorian schools.



Object Handling and Victorian Games

Pupils will be asked to explore a number of Victorian objects and see if they can work out what they were used for. For younger pupils (Infants and KS1) we also offer an alternative workshop focusing on toys and games.



Guided Gallery Visit

Staff will be on hand to assist you during a visit round our Museum galleries. Pupils will be asked to try out our interactive stations and discover more about the history of Manor Street School, our Victorian industries and life.

Lunch

We have indoor lunch facilities for schools to use.

Visit the Museum Shop

Don't forget to tell us if you are planning on visiting the Museum Shop. Goody bags also available.