



Enrichment Homework

Summer 2

Year Group: 6

Subject: History

Link to learning: As historians this term, year 6 are looking at medicine from the past. They will explore early outbreaks and theories of disease and discover how medicine advanced throughout the ages.

Task: Cholera is a disease that developed in the Victorian era. Your task is to write a newspaper article about an outbreak of Cholera. It may be the first discovery of Cholera in Britain. In order to do this, you will need to research Cholera gaining an understanding of the disease. This would be: when and how the disease developed, the symptoms of the disease and whether there were cures. You will also need to research life in the Victorian era.

Expectations:

- The newspaper article must be in black and white if created on the computer (coloured ink would not have been developed yet).
- You have created newspaper articles in your English lessons before. Include: a witness interview, a catchy headline (no more than five words, a 5W's introduction, a picture and caption and a final paragraph that looks to the future.
- The article must be written in third person, the past tense and be formal, it may be that the witness speaks informally.
- Try to give careful attention to spelling, grammar and punctuation.
- Historical facts are key!

Due date:
Monday 18th July
2022