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Monday 15th December 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,



We are thrilled to be starting our brand-new History topic next term: **Magnificent Monarchs!** To begin our learning with a royal celebration, we will be holding a **WOW Day on Monday 5th January**.

On this exciting day, children are invited to arrive at school **dressed as a king or queen**. They can choose *any* monarch from history and will enjoy a day filled with creative, hands-on activities linked to our new topic.

There is **no need to buy anything new** — simple and fun is perfect! Here are some easy, low-cost costume ideas to help your child feel wonderfully royal:

Fun & Affordable Costume Ideas

- **Cardboard Crowns**:
 - Turn a cereal box into a golden crown using paint, foil or colouring pens.
- • Make-Your-Own Cloak:
 - A scarf, blanket or tea towel becomes an instant royal cape with a peg or clip.
- **Party Outfit Royalty:**
 - A smart shirt or dress can become regal with a paper sash, ribbon belt or a homemade medal.
- Ö Royal Bling:
 - Costume jewellery, sparkly hair clips or foil-covered cardboard "gems" add a magical touch.
- **(** Royal Shield or Crest:
- Children can design their own family emblem on card to carry proudly.

Throughout the day, the children will take part in exciting activities introducing them to some of the most fascinating monarchs from British history.

We can't wait to see the classroom full of little kings and queens!

Kindest regards,

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