

Week 7 Topic task

L.I. To understand how the work of individuals changed aspects of society

I can state cause and consequences of the impact of historical events

I can describe events using technical vocabulary and detail drawn from sources of evidence



1845-1905

Dr Barnardo was a doctor, from Ireland who made his mission to help children starving on the streets of Victorian London. He opened his own 'Ragged School' for free education and a shelter in Stepney, East London, for 50 boys offering work training and a place to live. One night a boy, nicknamed Carrots, was turned away because the shelter was full. He froze to death. Barnardo vowed never to turn a child away again.

Watch the video below for the full story:

<https://www.bbc.com/teach/class-clips-video/history-ks1-ks2-thomas-barnardo/zky7pg8>

Think of 5
Questions you
would like to ask Dr
Barnardo

*Who, What, When,
Where How?*

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.
- 5.

Your task: To write a letter of appreciation to Dr Barnardo from 2020.

Read carefully BEFORE you write your letter

Your letter MUST include ALL the areas bellow:

- Recognise and thank him for what he did
- Why we remember him
- What impact he would have had on children during the Victorian times
- Ask him questions about things you would like to know more
- At the end you could discuss how today we are facing a difficult situation (a crisis) because of the Corona-virus and how there are people out there, like Dr Barnardo, who are dedicating their lives to help other people (doctors, nurses, key workers, charities).

Dear Dr Barnardo,

I am writing to you to express my deep appreciation for all the hard work and commitment you had shown during the tough and extraordinary years of the Victorian era.

Challenge words

Research the meaning of the words below and try to include them in your writing

Philanthropist
Charity
Shelter
Homeless
Altruism
London's slums
Dedication
Commitment
Legacy
Appreciation
Hunger
Poverty