

assemblies

Schools Outreach Assemblies
suitable for Primary schools

Invite our workshop leaders to your
school to enthusiastically present on
a variety of historical topics.



lest we forget



entertaining
master shakespeare



from feast days
to funfairs



deck the halls

Assembly length:
30 minutes.

Entertaining Master Shakespeare

Invite Mistress Anne Shakespeare to your school as she prepares for her husband William's return home to Stratford from London. Pupils will learn about William's life and some will have the opportunity to take part in 3 'flash' plays to be performed for entertainment on his return. Highly interactive and great fun!

(Link: Shakespeare's Birthday 23rd April. KS2 Literacy)



Lest we Forget

Invite Violet Gossett, a nurse from the Great War, to your school assembly to tell you about all the people she met and wrote about in her scrapbook. Pupils will be invited to play the parts of some of the characters and reflect on the importance of 'remembering'. A thought provoking and highly interactive assembly based on real events and people.

(Link: Armistice, Remembrance and/or any WW1 History Study)



Deck the Halls

A Christmas Assembly with a difference!

The year is 1891. Mrs Corah and her housekeeper, Mrs Salisbury, are preparing the house for Christmas with all the trimmings. Children will learn about 'Stir up Sunday', 'mumping', 'cosagues' and other traditions from Christmas's past in our interactive assembly incorporating real museum artefacts. How does a Victorian Christmas differ from our Christmas's today?

(Link: Christmas, Victorians, Homes Long Ago)



From Feast Days to Funfairs

Pupils will learn how local church Saint's Days in their area became the basis for the fairs and markets they visit today. Pupils will create a visual timeline as they learn about what people ate, how they celebrated and what they sold (you might be surprised!) They will also take part in the famous Mummers Play 'George and the Dragon'!

(Link: Saint's Days, Bank Holidays, Local fairs and/or any Local History Study)

