

The Grove Museum

The Grove was built by the Gibb family. This wealthy merchant family came from Liverpool and spent the summer holidays at the Grove in Ramsey. The Gibb family eventually moved into the Grove house permanently. Did you know that this historic home was an early Victorian mansion house that is still filled with curious objects of the time?

We call this time in history the 'Victorian era' as Queen Victoria sat on the English throne from 1837 to 1901.

Watch the Museum on the Move video to find out the answers this quiz!

- 1 The colour of the Grove front door is _____
- 2 Duncan Gibb and his family moved from _____
- 3 How many generations of the Gibb family lived in this grand home? _____
- 4 In the Victorian era the Grove didn't have an indoor _____ or running _____

In the Kitchen- A Servant's Life

- 5 The Gibb family had _____ servants.
The only source of hot water was the range.

Draw your range -
make sure you add the
irons and kettles!



- 6 What was the first name of the servant who left her mark at the Grove? _ _ _ _ _
- 7 This maid was _ _ years old when she started to work at the Grove.

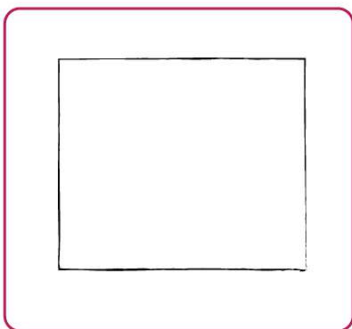
How did the Gibb family communicate with the servants and butler in the house?

Draw them here

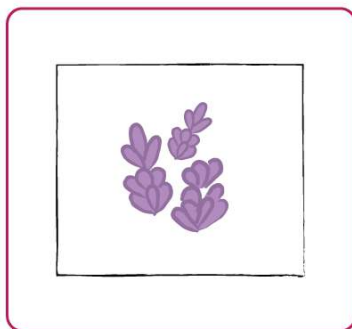


- 8 What was the scullery used for?
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- 9 Would you like to work in the scullery?
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Make your own lavender bag!



Cut a square of material 15cm by 15cm.



Place some dried herbs like lavender in the middle of your square. 3 teaspoons will be enough!



Gather the corners and tie your little bag with a colourful ribbon. Decorate with a little sprig of lavender or small flowers.



Pop in your sock draw or give to someone as a special gift!

Colour in the lavender

