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Workshop Vocabulary

**Task 1: INTRODUCTION**

Talk to your partner and discuss what you know about the Victorians. What do you know? You may want to consider:

* When?
* Famous people
* Events
* Monarchy
* Living Standards
* Entertainment
* Politics
* Inventions & Discoveries
* Education
* Health & Medicine

**Task 2: SPEAKING AND VOCABULARY**

Talk to your partner and answer the questions below:

1. What is the meaning of the words below?
2. How are they relevant to the Victorians or the culture at the same time in your country?

**Disease, Industry, Discovery, Morbid, Poverty**

**Task 3: MORE VOCABULARY**

The following words are used in the workshop. Can you guess / remember what they mean and what refer to?

Mourning

Filthy

Deformity

Convulsion

Corpse

Amputation

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Teachers’ Notes

These activities have been designed to be used before the workshops as introduction and a way of getting students interested and a way to pre-teach vocabulary.

You may also use the material as a follow up activity after the students have attended the event and see how much they remember!