PRE-VISIT ACTIVITY – Adopt an Object

**DIRECTIONS:** Sort the following “kid chores.” Which ones did kids do 200 years ago? Which do kids do today?

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<th>Kid Chore 1</th>
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<td>Take out the trash</td>
<td>Milk the cow</td>
<td>Make bed</td>
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<td>Carding wool</td>
<td>Help with dishes</td>
<td>Rake leaves</td>
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<td>Tend the fire</td>
<td>Set the table</td>
<td>Collect kindling</td>
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<td>Walk the dog</td>
<td>Churning butter</td>
<td>Trim the wicks</td>
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<td>Feed pets</td>
<td>Fill foot warmer</td>
<td>Fetch water</td>
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<td>Empty chamber pots</td>
<td>Watch younger children</td>
<td>Sweep floors</td>
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<td>Clean bedroom</td>
<td>Put away toys</td>
<td>Shovel snow</td>
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<td>Weeding the garden</td>
<td>Bring in firewood</td>
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**200 Years Ago**

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