

SEWERBY HALL AND GARDENS

Lay the table like and Edwardian Butler

In a country house like Sewerby Hall it was very important that things were done properly and there were lots of rules and regulations to make sure that everything was correct. It was the responsibility of the Housekeeper and the Butler to ensure that these rules and regulations were followed to the letter.

One of the important jobs the Butler would have to do is to lay the table for the family meals. He would take great care to do this and everything would have to be just right. Could you be an Edwardian Butler? Have a go at laying the table for Breakfast and see.

.You will need :

- A 12 inch/30cm ruler (preferable two)
 - A Fork
 - A Dessert Spoon
 - A Tea Spoon
 - A Cup and Saucer
 - A Napkin
 - A Glass Tumbler
- Then for each setting:
- A Dinner Plate
 - A Side Plate
 - A Large Table Knife
 - A Small Table Knife

The diagram shows you how the place should be set out.

Table Setting For Breakfast

