

Home Learning - Grid 4- VE Day Celebrations.

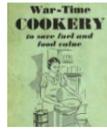
This week all of your learning tasks build up to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE Day - marking 75 years since the end of WW2. These activities are for you to enjoy as a family leading up to the celebrations being held on Friday 8th May, which is a Bank Holiday. Please send your photos to school secretary@constablelee.lancs.sch.uk so we can share and enjoy the celebrations

Wartime recipe.

Research and make a war time recipe.

If you can't get hold of the ingredients then you could write out the recipe and decorate it and make it at a later date.

Challenge: think of your favourite meal - write a recipe card and decorate it for somebody else to enjoy as much as you.



No party is a party without some decorations and this was the case when people held their celebrations at home.

Design and create your own party decorations. They may include: bunting, flags, posters etc. There are examples on the Home Learning for All page on the school website but you can just draw your own if you haven't access to a printer.



On VE day street parties took place all over the country to celebrate.

Design a picnic with all of your favourite foods to have at your very own VE Day party.



Many countries were a part of World War II.

Choose a country and create a fact file about this country.

Challenge: You may choose to include current information or information about this country during the war.

During the war parachutes were used by paratroopers, some were even accompanied by dogs.

Design and make your own parachute using materials from around the house. Time how long it takes for your parachute to fall to the floor. We did a similar experiment in class a while ago- see what you can remember to help you.

Challenge: research how parachutes work using the force 'air resistance'.

At 3pm on Friday 8th May 1945, Winston Churchill (the Prime Minister at the time) made an announcement to say the war in Europe had come to an end.

Practice reading and performing the speech Winston Churchill made on that day - you could even record yourself and send it into school.

Challenge: write your own version of a speech as if you were Winston Churchill at the time.



Morse Code was used during the war as a way of sending messages.

Use the information you have been given to crack the Morse Code.

A ··-	J ·-·-	S ···
B ····	K ·-·-	T -
C -·-·	L ····	U ···-
D ···-	M -	V ···-
E ·	N -·-	W -·-·
F ···-	O -·-	X -·-·
G -·-·	P -·-·	Y -·-·
H ····	Q -·-·	Z -·-·
I ··	R -·-·	

Challenge: can you create your own code and write a secret message for somebody in your family to crack! You could even send it to your teacher!

English this week is all about Chocolate!

We will be using units of work produced by Lancashire to support your child's reading and writing skills at home. All the resources are accessible by clicking on the links on the planning unit -Chocolate! I hope you enjoy the work and I look forward to hearing how you get on.

Medals were given by the British Government to those who participated in World War II.

Design your own medal for a British Soldier to acknowledge their role in the war.

Think about the shape of the medal and colour of the ribbon.

Challenge: annotate your medal explaining the decisions you have made and how this reflects the significance of the war.



If you cannot make any of the ideas, you could always draw them out and there may be a time you can create them at a later date.

Please continue to read daily, log on to Spelling Shed and Purple Mash and practice your maths through TT Rock Stars. White Rose Maths and BBC bitesize Maths lessons are easy to use and have helpful videos. I'm using White Rose Maths and Bitesize at home with my children. I've also added some maths worksheets on our class page if you want to do extra maths. I hope you enjoy the activities this week and look forward to seeing all of the wonderful things you get up to. There are lots more resources on the Home Learning for All page on the school website too. Enjoy the bank holiday and remember the people who went to war to protect us and our country. Stay safe, love from Mrs Nolan ☺