



Home Learning Tasks W.b. 04.05.2020

Hello Year 1,

Well done for a super week of learning last week! I am a very proud teacher!

This week we are stepping away from Traditional Tales for the week as, this year marks an extra special Victory in Europe (VE) Day on 8th May 2020 (This Friday).

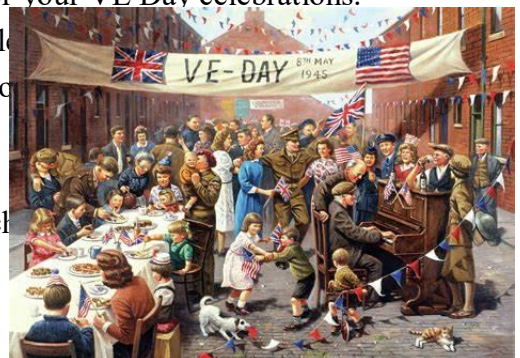
Since we cannot be together to celebrate the 75th Anniversary of VE Day in school. I have designed this week's tasks all around this to help you learn about it at home!

Writing Ideas

- Research VE Day and write about what it is, when it was, how many years it is this year, why we celebrate, what it means for the country etc.
- Look at the picture below, what do you think is happening? Who is there? What do you think they are celebrating? Why are things red, white and blue? Do you think it would have been fun?
- Pretend you were alive on VE Day – write a letter to a friend telling them all about the Victory and the celebrations.
- Victory in Europe was famously announced by Radio broadcast – plan, write and record your own radio broadcast to tell the country of the Victory!
- Write a fact file about VE including all of the key dates and information.
- Write a diary entry of VE Day – how did you feel? What did you do?
- **Plan a tea party for you and your family at home to celebrate on Friday – you could write invitations, a menu, posters to advertise etc.**

Other VE Day activities:

- Design and make a VE Day medal to celebrate.
- Design and make bunting, banners and party hats for your VE Day celebrations.
- Make VE Day decorations for your house for example
- Cook some war time recipes (resources to be shared on)
- Create a celebratory song or dance for your VE Day party.
- Act out Whinstone Churchill's Iconic VE Day Speech
- Create a newspaper front page displaying Victory in Europe!
- Dress up!
- Make red, white and blue cookies or cupcakes!





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Maths

Please access White Rose home learning for Maths when you can during the week! These lessons follow on from what we were learning when we were last in school. I will prompt you to these throughout the week.

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-1/>

If you find things tricky remember it is always good to practice with practical resources first!

Remember if you're doing any baking/creating during the week this is great number recognition and measurement practice too!

Phonics

Please keep up with daily phonics practice – remember little and often is key!

You can access the 'Letters and Sounds for home and school' on YouTube Daily at 10.30am

Or games on phonics play <https://www.phonicsplay.co.uk/#>

And keep practicing reading and word wallets!

More E-books available at : <https://www.oxfordowl.co.uk/>

Keep Active:

- PE with Joe Wicks
- Super Movers
- Cosmic Kids Yoga
- Games in the Garden
- Dancing

Get Creative

I would love to see any other things you have been up to and any other ideas you have for work related to VE Day! You can also keep chipping away at your other learning projects for other subjects!

Thank you

Well done to everyone who has been working hard at home and to the grown-ups keeping in touch and sharing all of the lovely work! I look forward to seeing all of your VE Day work this week! As normal I will update Class Dojo throughout the week with prompts and challenges!



Take Care and Stay Safe! Miss Charlton