Year 6 Optional Homework for WW2



View of a soldier

Imagine you are a soldier fighting in the Second World War.

Write a diary entry or a letter home to your family.

World at War

Find 5 countries (not England or Germany) that fought in the war.

Draw their flags and write a sentence or two to go with each flag to explain their role in the war.

Propaganda

Have a look at some of the posters used during World War II to persuade the public to help out. Recreate (or redesign) a wartime poster.

Code breaking

Look into the Enigma Machine or Morse Code and find out why it was so useful.

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clipsvideo/history-ks2-codebreaking-in-world-wartwo/zdq2jhv

Can you create your own secret message for the frontline troops?

Ready Steady Wartime Cook

Find out about rationing and write a recipe using rationed ingredients.

You may want to have a go at making something at home.

Medals

Design and make your own wartime medal.

What it would celebrate/recognise? Who you think deserves it?

Nash – ish Art

Using whichever medium you choose, create a wartime landscape inspired by Paul Nash.

Incredible animals

Find out about an incredible animal used during WW2 and present your information in a fact file.

Blackout

Research the blackout and what this meant. Write a set of instructions or create a poster preparing people for the blackout.