



## A study of World War Two by Year 4 and 5



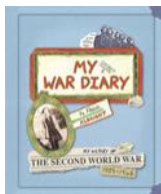
The texts we will be using:

**My War Diary**

**Rose Blanche**

Marcia Williams

Ian McEwan



We will be learning all about how WW2 was started and who was involved.

We'll also learn about how life in Britain changed during the war and specifically what this meant for children.



We'll be designing, making and evaluating our own gas mask bags. practicing our sewing skills.



Then, we'll learn all about what life was like in the countryside for children and the important role women play in winning the war.



In the second half term, we'll learn about the importance of growing vegetables during the war.



Then, we'll learn about the types of planes and bombs used during the war.

Also, we'll develop map reading skills as we explore an 8 point grid system on a map.



We'll have weekly science lessons focusing on electrical circuits, then learning all about sound.

In PE, we'll be learning a wartime dance and getting stuck into tag rugby and goalball.



**Stunning Start:** The day war was declared. The children will be transported to the 3rd September 1939 and experience a day of air raids, suitcase making and discovering exactly how World War Two began.

**Marvellous Middle:**

After half term, we will be heading to Bushey Hall to experience life for children in WW2. The cost will be £14.08 per child.



**Fabulous Finish:**

We will celebrate the end of the war with our very own VE day party!

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**Homework:**

Your child will have spellings, maths and literacy homework each week. Also, your child will have an exciting topic grid to complete a homework about World War Two each fortnight.

