










School Closure Daily Planning-Amethyst Class

DATE	Reading	Writing	Maths	Topic
<p>Thursday 7.5</p> <p>(there is no learning for tomorrow as it is Bank holiday but there should be plenty here to keep you going)</p> <p>VE DAY ACTIVITIES</p> <p><b>Tomorrow is VE Day and to celebrate we have a day of</b></p>	<p><u><a href="#">Crack The Codes</a></u></p> <p><b>Phonetic Alphabet</b></p> <p>The phonetic alphabet that was used in RAF transmissions during the war. Learn to spell your name using the phonetic alphabet e.g. <b>Ted = Tango Echo Delta</b></p> <p><b>Morse Code</b></p> <p>Morse code is a communication system that represents the alphabet and numbers with a series of dots, dashes or a combination of both as shown <a href="#">here</a>. Watch this video to find out more</p>	 <p><u><a href="#">Dan Snow's VE Day Challenge</a></u></p> <p>Watch <a href="#">this video from @thehistoryguy Dan Snow</a> and have a go at his challenge to tell the story of VE day in your own way you could:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write a short news report in the style of today or 75 years ago</li> <li>• Make a short video that tells the story of VE Day, either in the style of 75 years ago or how you would tell it today</li> <li>• Design a newspaper</li> </ul> 	 <p><u><a href="#">'Stay At Home' Street Party</a></u></p> <p>Read this article on <a href="#">Newsround</a> and look closely at the photographs. <b>How did people celebrate in 1945? Plan your own 'stay at home' street party.</b></p> <p>What games could be played? What decorations would be put up? What food would be eaten? Who would be there? Is there anyone in your family who went to a VE Day party you could speak to?</p> <p>Have a look at this <a href="#">pack from English Heritage</a> for more ideas.</p> 	 <p><u><a href="#">Wartime Recipes</a></u></p> <p>With one rationed egg and a packet of powdered milk in the larder, World War II's home cooks had to be creative. Find out what families were eating over 75 years ago.</p> <p><b>Create some delicious meals using the recipe ideas below. You could serve them at your 'Stay at Home Street Party!'</b></p> <p><a href="#">Wartime Ration Recipes</a>  <a href="#">WW2 Cake</a>  <a href="#">Wartime Scones</a>  <a href="#">Jam Tarts</a></p> 

<p><b>learning dedicated to it.</b></p>	 <p><b>about Morse</b></p> <table border="0"> <tr><td><b>D</b></td><td>Delta</td><td><b>N</b></td><td>November</td></tr> <tr><td><b>E</b></td><td>Echo</td><td><b>O</b></td><td>Oscar</td></tr> <tr><td><b>F</b></td><td>Foxtrot</td><td><b>P</b></td><td>Papa</td></tr> <tr><td><b>G</b></td><td>Golf</td><td><b>Q</b></td><td>Quebec</td></tr> <tr><td><b>H</b></td><td>Hotel</td><td><b>R</b></td><td>Romeo</td></tr> <tr><td><b>I</b></td><td>India</td><td><b>S</b></td><td>Sierra</td></tr> <tr><td><b>J</b></td><td>Juliett</td><td><b>T</b></td><td>Tango</td></tr> <tr><td><b>K</b></td><td>Kilo</td><td><b>U</b></td><td>Uniform</td></tr> <tr><td><b>L</b></td><td>Lima</td><td><b>V</b></td><td>Victor</td></tr> <tr><td><b>M</b></td><td>Mike</td><td><b>W</b></td><td>Whisky</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td><b>X</b></td><td>X-ray</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td><b>Y</b></td><td>Yankee</td></tr> <tr><td></td><td></td><td><b>Z</b></td><td>Zulu</td></tr> </table> <p><a href="#">Code.</a></p> <p><b>Can you write a secret coded message for your family to crack?</b></p>	<b>D</b>	Delta	<b>N</b>	November	<b>E</b>	Echo	<b>O</b>	Oscar	<b>F</b>	Foxtrot	<b>P</b>	Papa	<b>G</b>	Golf	<b>Q</b>	Quebec	<b>H</b>	Hotel	<b>R</b>	Romeo	<b>I</b>	India	<b>S</b>	Sierra	<b>J</b>	Juliett	<b>T</b>	Tango	<b>K</b>	Kilo	<b>U</b>	Uniform	<b>L</b>	Lima	<b>V</b>	Victor	<b>M</b>	Mike	<b>W</b>	Whisky			<b>X</b>	X-ray			<b>Y</b>	Yankee			<b>Z</b>	Zulu	<p>front page or article</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Write or perform a poem, song, drawing or other work of art</li> <li>• Share the story of someone in your family or area who was involved in the War</li> <li>• Write or perform a short play about VE Day and what it would have been like 75 years ago</li> </ul>	<p>For something more simple, you could design your own <b>VE Day party invitation</b> or make a <b>Union Jack flag out of Lego!</b></p>	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>OR</b></p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div data-bbox="1644 368 1839 517">  </div> <div data-bbox="1899 357 2018 432"> <p><b><u>Spitfire Science</u></b></p> </div> </div> <p>Design and make your own Spitfire. You could make it out of paper, wood, recycled materials, etc. Test out your design. How far does it glide?</p> <p><b>Does the material used for a paper plane affect the distance it travels?</b> Try using newspaper, card, tinfoil, etc and carry out a test. Remember, only change ONE thing to make it a fair test.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around;"> <div data-bbox="1644 1107 1794 1214">  </div> <div data-bbox="1832 1091 2018 1166"> <p><b><u>VE Day Song and Dance</u></b></p> </div> </div> <p>Try and learn the Horrible Histories <a href="#">VE Day song</a> and perform it to your family.</p>
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				<p>Create your own motivational song. Listen to some of the following clips for inspiration. Click <a href="#">here</a> to listen to some more traditional war time songs as well as the links below.</p> <p><a href="#">Wartime song lyrics</a>  <a href="#">Run, rabbit, run!</a>  <a href="#">Long way to Tipperary/ Pack up your troubles</a>  <a href="#">We'll meet again</a>  <a href="#">The White Cliffs of Dover</a></p> <p>Learn <a href="#">step-by-step</a> how to Swing dance (The Lindy Hop) which originated in the late 1920s and early 1930s in Harlem, New York City.</p>
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**Websites for additional work:**  
[Apple for the Teacher](#) There are lots of VE activities available to download from this site. You can sign up for free access to lots of resources to support learning about VE day.  
[Royal British Legion](#) Activity packs for KS2, KS3 and Home learning.



[English Heritage](#) A pack for have a Stay at Home Street Party

<https://ve-vjday75.gov.uk/> Ideas for how to commemorate VE day at home