



This week we would like you to work as a family to learn about VE day and prepare for our celebrations on 7th May 2020.

- Use the link below to find lyrics to the Vera Lynn Song - We'll meet again
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=OJKMji2688M>

Family ideas

- Design your own bunting to put up outside your home or inside.
The Great British Bunting – design your own bunting
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/4TrqYDyf4PMdLypxzyTwGDg/great-british-bunting>

- Help design and make your VE party food
- Design and make a paper place mat for the VE party
- Design and make a paper hat to wear
- Follow a recipe to make some food for your party



- Create your own pebble/rock to share the attribute of the veterans



- Decorate a cake – cupcake or something bigger



- Design a flag to wave during your VE day celebrations
- Design a new badge to commemorate the 75 year celebration.



- Make some play dough red, white and blue and create a model or salt dough to paint
- Make a model using red, white and blue Lego





Think of a way to share your VE Day learning

Here are some ideas:

- Create a poster to show learning about the VE day celebrations
- Create a word picture of a soldier, union jack etc.
- Write a song to show your learning about VE day
- Create a newspaper front page of the celebrations - the BBC has lots of archived news footage
- Write a thank you letter/card to a VE veteran
- Make a fact file

Useful Information – older children could use these independently

- https://www.britishlegion.org.uk/get-involved/remembrance/what-were-remembering-this-year?seg=WPDW3B&gclid=EAIaIQobChMIzaHR_8_56AIVyOJ3Ch3anglKEAAYASAAEgLSxPD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds
- <https://www.iwm.org.uk/history/what-you-need-to-know-about-ve-day>
- <https://www.twinkl.co.uk/event/ve-day-2020>
- <https://www.bbc.co.uk/newsround/48201749>

Video clips

- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NEavcsrMoMw>
- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6AC2vzAA5N8>

Photos

- <https://www.iwm.org.uk/history/10-photos-of-ve-day-celebrations>

Now Press Play

They have a war time experience. It looks at being evacuated so they know what life was like in the War.

