



Equality Excellence Enjoyment

Durdan's Park Primary School

World War II –Year 6

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1939 -1945

What I should already know?

- The industrialization of Britain in the Victorian era
- The British empire and commonwealth countries

Vocabulary

Axis	Countries which fought on the German side (including: Italy, Germany, Japan, Russia (1939- 1941))
Allies	Countries which fought on the British side (including: USA, Great Britain, France, Russia (1941-1945))
Nazi	Member of the German political party which came to power in 1933
Evacuation	Organized movement of children and the vulnerable from towns and cities to safe zones
Munich Agreement	The Munich Agreement was an agreement concluded on 30th September 1938, by Nazi Germany, Britain, France and Italy. It lawfully accepted the annexation of Sudetenland in order to appease Hitler's government..
Annexed	This is when a country adds to their own territory by appropriation.
Rationing	The controlled distribution of scarce resources (food/clothing)
Battle of Britain	The B o B happened between July 1940-Oct 1940. The Royal Air Force (RAF) defended the UK against a large-scale German Luftwaffe attack.
Immigration	Immigration is the international movement of people to a destination country where they are not the natives of.
Blitz	The blitz was a series of attacks and bombs on London and other large cities. Its aim was to demoralize the people and disrupt Britain 's industry.

Themes

- Equality of women
- Invasion and conquering
- Dictatorship and democracy



What will I know by the End of the Topic?

- The chronological order of events in which World War II started.
- Identify the countries that were part of the Allies and Axis on a map.
- The German empire expanded rapidly over a few years which allowed the Nazis to gain more power.
- Hitler broke the terms of the Munich Agreement which caused the outbreak of World War II.
- Evacuation was a nation wide effort, where children and vulnerable adults were temporarily moved out of the cities into the countryside.
- The roles of women changed due to World War II as they were conscripted to work if they were between the ages of 18-50.
- Rationing was necessary in order for the British economy to remain intact. The government introduced rationing to ensure food and other necessary items were not wastefully used.
- There was a surge of immigration post World War II as a direct impact of refugees and work labour shortages due to the deaths caused in World War II.
- Battle of Britain was the turning point for the British soldiers where they obstructed and defeated Germany's attempt on invasion.

