

VE Day

Lower Junior home learning week 8

On Friday we celebrated as a nation VE day.

VE Day – or ‘Victory in Europe Day’ – marks the day towards the end of World War Two (WW2) when fighting against Nazi Germany in Europe came to an end.

On 8 May 1945, Prime Minister Winston Churchill made an announcement on the radio at 3pm that the war in Europe had come to an end, following Germany’s surrender the day before.

Tuesday 8 May, 1945, was an emotional day that millions of people had been waiting for.

Many people were extremely happy that the fighting had stopped and there were big celebrations and street parties.

In order to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE day we would like you to complete tasks all based on this monumental historical occasion.

Below is set out in a timetable showing which tasks/activities we would like you to complete on each day.

Monday	• VE Day introduction video • Task 1 report writing • Task 2 Winston Churchill’s speech
Tuesday	• Task 3 VE Day reading comprehension (there are 3 levels so pick the level that suits your reading ability the best) • Task 4 Morse code alphabet
Wednesday	• Task 5 Morse code (2nd task) • VE day word search (either print off one to do or make your own for a family member to have a go at)
Thursday	• Task 6 Celebrations report

	• Spitfire glider activity
Friday	• Task 7 Emotions • VE day colouring (either print one out or use the ideas to create your own)

We hope you enjoy this week' s home learning, we would love to see your photos so why not show us by emailing them to athome@fieldcourt-jun.gloucs.sch.uk