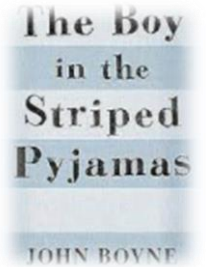
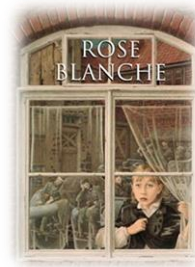




## Lilac Class Term 2 Newsletter World War Two 'The Home Front'



Dear Parents,

We hope you have had a lovely half term break. This term, we are continuing with our World War Two topic but focussing on The Home Front. We will explore a variety of texts including Rose Blanche, WW2 Poetry and The Boy in the Striped Pyjamas. We will also be continuing to read Letters from the Lighthouse.

<b>Reading</b>	Please read with your child at least three times a week at home and ensure that their reading record is signed and dated, with the minutes recorded. A member of staff will be checking reading diaries each week.
<b>Spellings</b>	Spelling tests are every Monday and your child will be tested on the spelling pattern they have learnt about that week. The term's spelling lists are stuck into their homework books and we will focus on a new pattern each week. Please ensure your child has their homework book in school every Monday.
<b>Maths</b>	Maths homework will be set on a Monday and will be expected to have been completed by the following Monday. Maths homework will be set on 'MyMaths' and the children have their logins stuck in the front of their Reading Records. If your child finds the task tricky, there is a revision lesson that they can use first. Parents are encouraged to sit with their child during homework to support.
<b>Times Tables</b>	Children will learn their tables and practise these in school at least twice a week. Each child has a Times Table Rockstars login and should be practising their tables (either on this website or in another way) three times a week at home.
<b>Grammar</b>	Grammar homework will be sent home on a Monday and your child will have two weeks to complete this, due in on the Monday. The homework will be based on the grammar they will be learning within their literacy lessons. To help with our in-class assessments, please indicate when you have helped your child.

### Helping to enrich our topics

It is always great to have items or visitors that support our topic, so if anyone has any experience or items that may help us with any of the work above that we could hear about or borrow, we would love to see and hear about them.

**Reminders** – Please can you make sure your child brings in a water bottle each day with fresh water; ensure all jumpers are labelled and bring a coat for any wet weather.

### **Useful Websites:**

[http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/world\\_war2/](http://www.bbc.co.uk/schools/primaryhistory/world_war2/)

<http://www.primaryhomeworkhelp.co.uk/war/>

<http://resources.woodlands.kent.sch.uk/Homework/Britain.html>

Purple Mash – Topics – History – choose from a selection of activities based on WW2

### **Questions you could ask your child about their learning this term?**

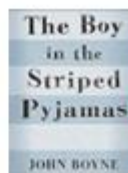
- What is the home front?
- What jobs did women do in WW2?
- What has happened so far in 'The Machine Gunners'?
- What does VE Day celebrate?
- What jobs could you have done at home to help the war effort?

Many thanks for your continued support,

Miss Surtees, Miss Hare and Mrs T



# 'World War Two' Learning Map Term 2 2021-2022



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