

Week 3 Week beginning 4th May 2020

Reading	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ensure you keep reading your own choice of book, whether that is fiction or non-fiction. Try to read 4 times a week at least and write in your reading record each time. • There is also a reading comprehension task to complete.
Spelling	See spelling sheets – week 3 Practise each day and test yourself at the end of the week.
Punctuation and Grammar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • SPAG Activity mat 3 • Prefixes and root words matching activity
Writing	<u>Thank you</u> There are 5 tasks linked to an image. Some are short tasks, some are longer. Please complete as many of them as you can. I would advise doing the short tasks first to help you think about the longer tasks at the end.
Maths	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Please go to the following website: https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-5/ Click on week 2 Each day there is a video for you to watch to explain the Maths concept, and then there is an activity to do. You can print the activity off or write the answers down on a piece of paper. Let me know what you think! • Continue to use Timestable rockstars, Maths games, ICT games and other online Maths activities
History	<p>This Friday is a bank holiday to celebrate the 75th anniversary of VE day. Hopefully you have read the text about it and have learnt some facts about VE day. What else can you find out?</p> <p>Produce a poster, leaflet or PowerPoint telling people about VE day.</p> <p>or</p> <p>Think of a way to celebrate VE day whilst we are in lockdown and share your plans and/or photos of what you have done with me.</p>



Match the Prefixes and Root Words

1. Can you join the root words to the prefixes that can complete them to make a valid word?

	take	
	act	
mis-	appear	re-
	play	de-
over-	place	
	order	dis-
	tract	





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	visit	
	motivated	
mis-	take	re-
	connect	
	judged	de-
over-	heard	
	start	dis-
	calculated	

VE Day

What is VE Day?

VE Day stands for Victory in Europe Day, and is celebrated on 8th May. Although it was not the end of the Second World War, it was the end of the fighting in Europe.

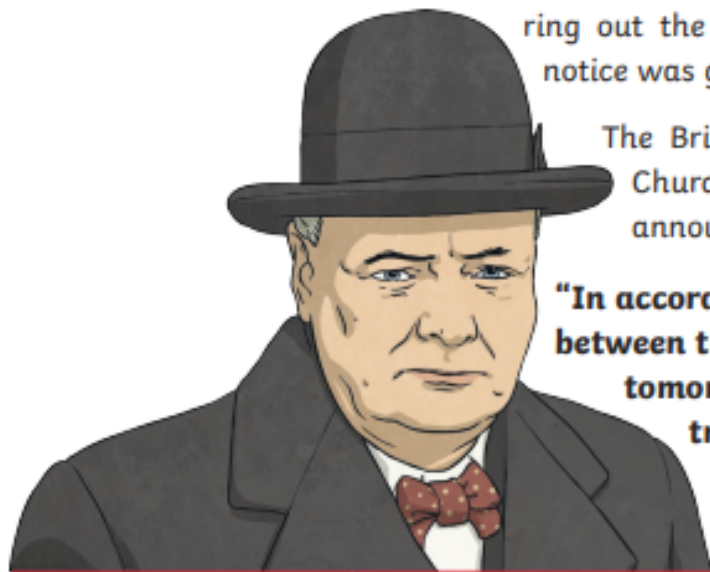


How did it happen?

In April 1945, Hitler died. This meant that the Germans had to surrender their part in the Second World War to the Western armies. The German President of the Third Reich (the German army), gave orders that General Jodl should go to the American army Head Quarters in France. Here, Jodl surrendered to the Western and Russian officers, and agreed to all their demands.

The Announcement

The British people began celebrating as soon as they heard the news! Bell ringers in churches around the country, were ready to ring out the good news when an official notice was given.



The British Prime Minister, Winston Churchill, made the following announcement at 19.40, 7th May.

"In accordance with arrangements between three great powers, tomorrow, Tuesday, will be treated as Victory in Europe Day and will be regarded as a holiday."



The Effects of War

In Britain, during the war in Europe, half a million homes were destroyed, thousands of ordinary people were killed and millions of lives had been torn apart.



The three great powers were:

- Great Britain
- Soviet Union (Russia)
- France

Bring on the Celebrations!

People began decorating the streets with banners, bunting and ribbons. They had street parties, neighbours shared food, and listened to the radio news programmes.

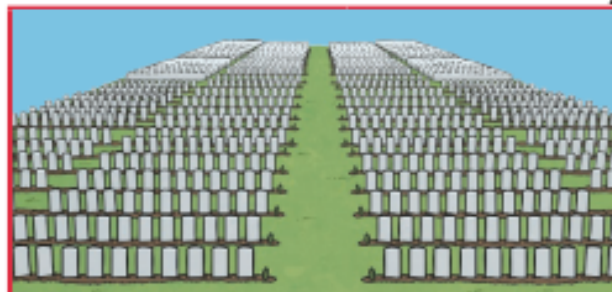
King George VI and the Queen appeared eight times on the balcony of Buckingham Palace, and their two daughters, Princess Margaret and Princess Elizabeth – who is now Her Majesty the Queen – walked in the huge crowds in London!

Churchill told the crowds, "This is your victory!"

The End of the VE Day

Buckingham Palace was lit up in floodlights for the first time in six years since the war began, and two searchlights formed a V, the sign of peace, above St Paul's Cathedral in London.

All the lights were turned off again the next day.



Although everyone was pleased the war in Europe had come to an end, many people would have also felt sad, for the family and friends who had been killed.

Questions

1. What did VE Day mean?

2. What had happened, for VE day to be announced?

3. How would people know that there was good news?

4. Name two effects that war in Europe had had on the British people

5. Who was Winston Churchill?

6. Why did he announce that the next day, Tuesday would be a holiday?

7. Name one of the great powers.

8. Why would some people have felt sad on VE Day?

9. What unusual thing did the princesses do on that day?

10. How was it shown in London that people were happy?

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Circle the possessive pronoun:

The girl, who was very interested in science, had been given a white lab coat - it was hers to keep.



a

A prefix word in this sentence is incorrect. Rewrite the prefix word correctly.

The dishonest man had made an irlegal transaction at the bank.

c

Mr Whoops has made **two** clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentence. Can you underline them and correct them? Use a dictionary if you need to.

I have a seryous problem with my new washing mashine.



e

Rewrite this sentence with the adverbial at the beginning. Don't forget a comma!

Mandeep watered her bean plant very carefully.

b

If this is the answer, what was the question?

Usually, at the weekends.

d

Circle the error in this sentence:

The driver was lost and weren't sure which direction to go.

f

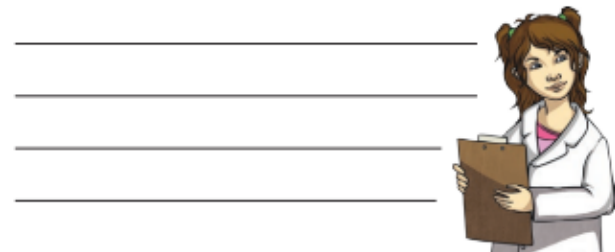
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Add a possessive pronoun:

The girl, who was very interested in science, had been given a white lab coat - it was _____ to keep.

Now write a similar sentence with a different possessive pronoun.



a

A prefix word in each of these sentences is incorrect. Rewrite the prefix words correctly.

The dishonest man had made an imlegal transaction at the bank.

The autobiography had been written in a very imformal tone.

Fiona misheard her mother and she didn't know that she had set off to the submarket to do the weekly shop.

c

Mr Whoops has made **four** clumsy spelling mistakes in his sentences. Can you underline them and correct them?

I have a seryous problem with my new washing mashine. Its wiring is exposed, which must be very dangerrous. I may need an electritian to fix it.



e

Write a sentence about this bean plant that contains a fronted adverbial.



b

If this is the answer, what was the question?

Usually, at the weekends.

Spaghetti bolognaise.

My favourite teacher.

d

Circle the error in this sentence:

The driver was lost and weren't sure which direction to go.

Rewrite the sentence correctly with no contracted apostrophe words.

f

Writing activities Week beginning 4th May 2020

THANK YOU



“Thank you”...Two simple words, but such a powerful message....

Task 1

Question time

Look at the image Thank You and write answers to these questions:

- Who has written the message?
- Why have they written the message?
- Can you remember the last 5 times you said thank you to someone?
- What did you say thank you for?
- What effect does being polite to people have?

Task 2

Sentence challenge

Can you describe the act of kindness that resulted in someone writing this thank you message?

Can you focus on using good descriptions of nouns you use, including the feelings involved with this kind gesture?

Task 3

Sick sentences

These sentences are 'sick'. How can you improve them to make them better?

- She gave him a present.
- It was wrapped up.
- He opened it.
- He was happy.
- He said, "Thank you."

Task 4

Story writing

Plan and write a story about the image, using the story starter to begin your story.

Thank you...two simple words, but such a powerful message...

Task 5

Perfect picture

Can you draw what the person in the picture has said thank you for.