



History Knowledge Organiser

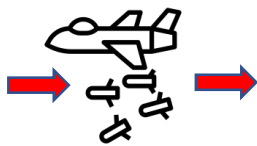
How as a nation can we address hunger across the world?

Year 5
Term: Summer 1



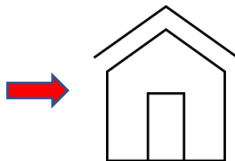
How did people overcome hunger during World War II?

World War Two



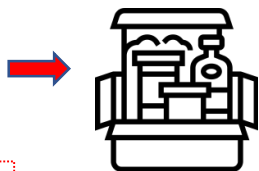
Allies: Countries that fought Germany. They included Britain, France, USA, Canada, The Soviet Union, Denmark, Greece, South Africa and, Poland.
Axies: Countries that joined Germany included Italy, Japan and Romania.

Home Front



The term 'home front' covers the activities of the civilians in a nation at war. World War II was a total war; the homeland war effort was essential for its victory.

Rationing



As supplies became limited, food, petrol and clothing had to be rationed using coupons so that everyone had their fair share. Citizens also grew their own food.

1 Sept 1939
Germany invades Poland.
Britain declares war.

Sept 1940 – May 1941
The Blitz

By 1941, women had to join the war effort.

June 6
D-Day landings

8th May
'VE Day'
Victory in Europe

1939

1940

1941

1942

1943

1944

1945

Sept 1939
Children were evacuated from cities, but many returned before 1941.

July - Oct 1940
The Battle of Britain

1939
'Dig for Victory' campaign began: 3.5 million allotments were created by 1942.

8 Jan 1940, **rationing** was introduced in Britain until 4 July 1954 (9 years after the war ended). Everyday items like **eggs, meat, milk, sugar, tea** and **fats** were rationed using a coupon system so supplies wouldn't run out.

Aug 1945
'VJ Day'
Victory over Japan. War ends.

Vocabulary Tier 2

supply
Demand
Civilians
Nation
Prime Minister
President/ Fuhrer
Primary evidence
Secondary evidence
Allotments

Vocabulary Tier 3

Rationing
Ration book
Coupons
Dig for Victory
Axies
Nazi
The Blitz
Battle of Britain
World War II
Dictator
War effort
Treaty of Versailles
Appeasement

Winston Churchill



Britain's Prime Minister during World War II. **1940 – 1955.** Neville Chamberlain was the former prime minister who declared war.

Adolf Hitler



Dictator of Germany, Hitler was the leader of the Nazi party and Germany. He was responsible for World War II.

