



**Joke of the day: Why did the dinosaur cross the road?  
Because chickens didn't exist yet!**



Welcome to Wednesday; halfway through the week already! I really enjoyed reading your diary entries yesterday; lots of you had clearly worked very hard on them. Well done!

**Warm-up activity:** Make the longest word you can using these letters. (You can only use them once.)



**Maths: Code Cracking Multiplication and Division**

Today, you need to use your multiplication and division skills to answer some questions to complete a code breaker message. If you need reminding how to do long multiplication, the picture here will help you. **Don't forget the zero place holder!** For the division questions, you will be able to use the short bus stop method; none of the numbers really need the longer chunking method. The answers are on the next sheet so don't look too far ahead before you have finished!

$$186 \div 6 = 31$$

**M**any **Z**oos... **M**any **A**nimals!

↑ Multiply    ↓ Zero    ↑ Multiply    ↑ Add

Step 1: **Multiply**  
Step 2: **Zero** (this allows us to move to the tens place)  
Step 3: **Multiply**  
Step 4: **Add**

**English - VE Day Guided Reading**

To help you get a much better understanding of VE Day, and how the war was won in Europe, you are going to answer some questions on an information text explaining all about this period of history. To help you a little, I have done a video of me reading the text. You don't have to listen to this if you don't want to though! The text, questions and video are all in Google Classroom. **Remember to give detailed, year 6 answers please.**



If you would like to find out a little bit more about VE Day, you could watch this video:  
<https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/class-clips-video/history-k2-ve-day/z7xtmfr>

**P.E. - Don't forget to do something active today.**

There are so many things you could do:  
Yoga, running, walking, skipping, hula-hooping, dancing, Jump Start Johnny, Joe Wicks, football, bouncing on a trampoline or GoNoodle.





### Art: WW2 Air raid picture

If you would like to do some art today, you could have a go at a picture like these.

- Start by doing a sunset using your watercolours, thinking about how to mix the colours to create an effective sky.
- Add the search light beams using white paper. If you look carefully, the beams are narrower when they leave the light on the ground and become wider.
- Finally, cut out silhouettes of buildings and planes. If you don't have black card, you could use paint or felt tips, or look through your recycling to see if you have anything dark in there.

Don't forget, I love to see pictures of your work. Thank you for the poster photos some of you sent in yesterday.

### History: Investigating a famous figure from WW2

There are so many important and interesting people from WW2 who are still talked about today. I would like you to investigate one of the most famous: Winston Churchill or Anne Frank. These are two very different individuals, one was a Prime Minister and the other was a young Jewish girl, yet both can tell us so much about what happened during the war.



You need to pick one of these historical figures, and investigate who they were, what they did and the impact this had on others.

Then, you need to create something to show all of the interesting things you have found out. This could be a Google Doc or Slides, a poster or any other method of sharing the information. You might choose to show your information using labelled drawings or through a comic strip or booklet; just choose whatever you would enjoy to do the most.

This might take quite a long time, so don't worry if you don't finish today.



**Class book.** What is going to happen to the three friends now they have been caught? Find out when the next few chapters are uploaded at lunchtime!

