

Year 5 VE Day Celebrations: 5A



Amelia



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WINSTON CHURCHILL

Key Facts

Winston Churchill's full name was Winston Leonard Spencer - Churchill. He was born on 30th November 1874 and died on 24th January 1965. His wife's name was Clementine Hooper. He had 5 children and their names were Diana, Randolph, Sarah, Margaret and Mary. His resting place was St Martin's Church, Bladon.



Main Facts

He was Prime Minister of the United Kingdom from 1940-1945 when he led Great Britain in the second world war, and again from 1951-1955. He was gaining fame as a war correspondent and writing books about his campaigns in the British army. He got noble prize for literature.

World War II

On May 10, 1940 George VI officially appointed Churchill as prime minister. Churchill was determined to continue war till victory despite the fact that several members of his cabinet including Foreign Minister Lord Halifax, advocated an attempt to reach agreement with Hitler Germany. He said in his first speech: I have nothing to offer but blood, toil, tears and sweat.



Elizabeth



WINSTON CHURCHILL

Prime Minister in 1940-1945 and 1951-1955. Born on the

Born: 30th November, 1874 Oxfordshire

Died: 24th January 1965 London (age 91)

Winston's father was Randolph Churchill.

Winston went to Harrow School, which he didn't really like. Winston worked really hard to get into military school.

Winston took part in WWI. Winston became Prime Minister on the 10th May 1940. Many people didn't think that it was a good choice. During

WWII Winston made speeches and visited family who needed help. His speeches were very inspiring. Soon, America and Russia joined, and they beat Germany.

Churchill's catchphrase:

V is for Victory!



Lily G



These are some of the medals that Winston Churchill won

- He was born on November 30th 1874 in Oxfordshire, England.
- He died on January 24th 1965 in London, England.
- His full name is Winston Leonard Spencer-Churchill.
- He had five children four daughters and one son.
- His wife was called Clementine Churchill.

Churchill became Prime Minister of the British national government on 10 May 1940 – the same day Hitler invaded France and the Low Countries. He was 65-years-old when he took office.

Winston Churchill's most famous quotes are :

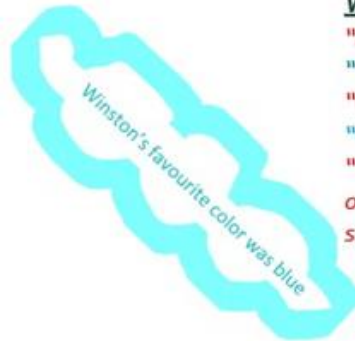
"I have nothing to offer but blood, toil tears and sweat."

"The empires of the future are the empires of the mind."

"Courage is what it takes to stand up and speak, it's also what it takes to sit down and listen."

"Continuous effort – not strength or intelligence – is the key to unlocking our potential."

"We shall defend our island, whatever the cost may be. We shall fight on the beaches. We shall fight on the landing grounds. We shall fight in the fields and in the streets. We shall fight in the hills. We shall never surrender".



Fact File About Winston Churchill (1874 – 1965)



This is a picture of Winston Churchill during the war.



This is Winston's victory sign.

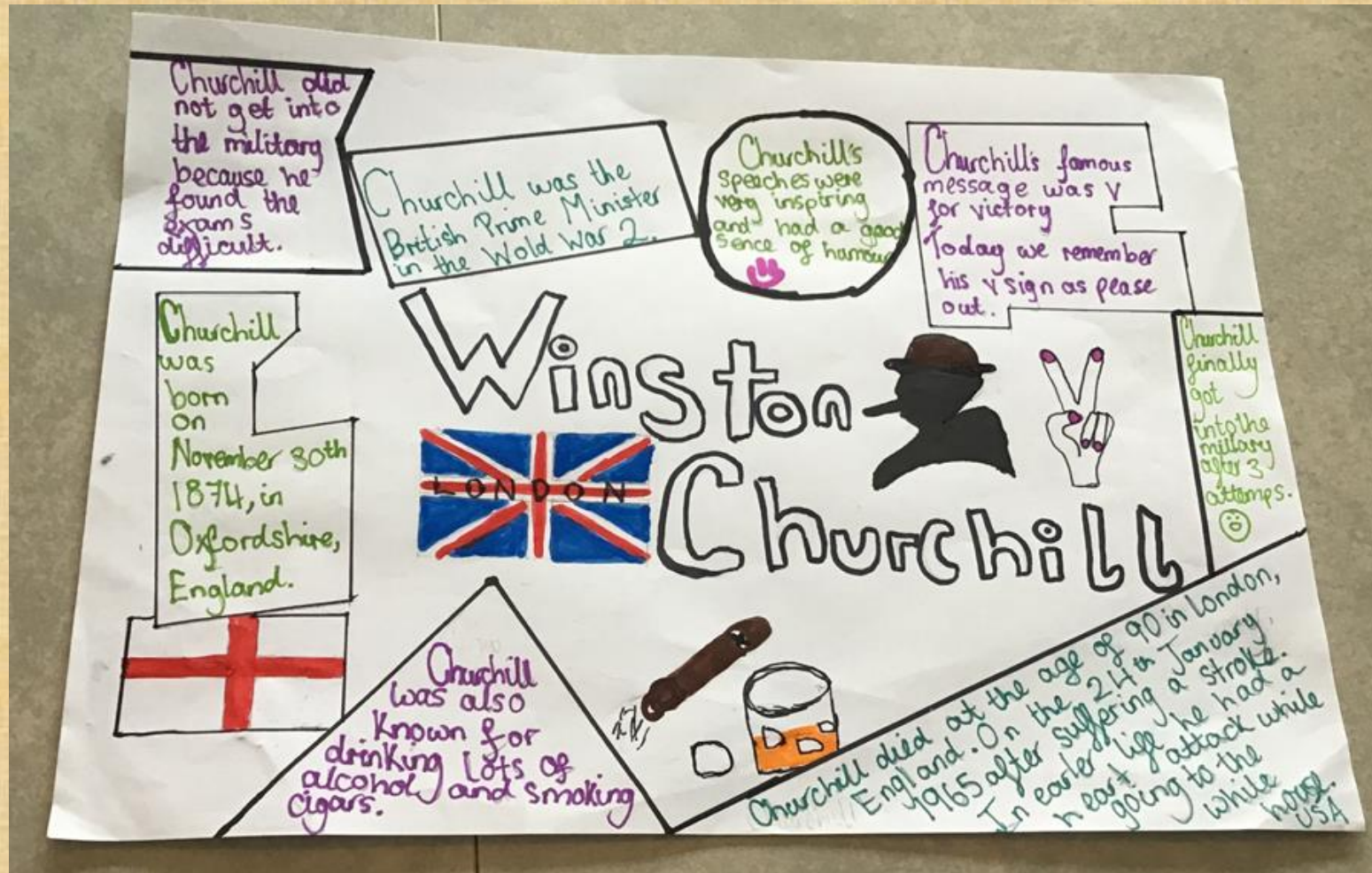
Fun Facts

- Winston Churchill wrote a number of historical books and won a Nobel Prize in Literature in 1953.
- Winston did not do well in school as a child. He also had trouble getting into the Royal Military College. Although, once in, he finished near the top of his class.
- He was not healthy during World War II. He had a heart attack in 1941 and pneumonia in 1943.



This is Winston Churchill smoking.

Poppy



Lily



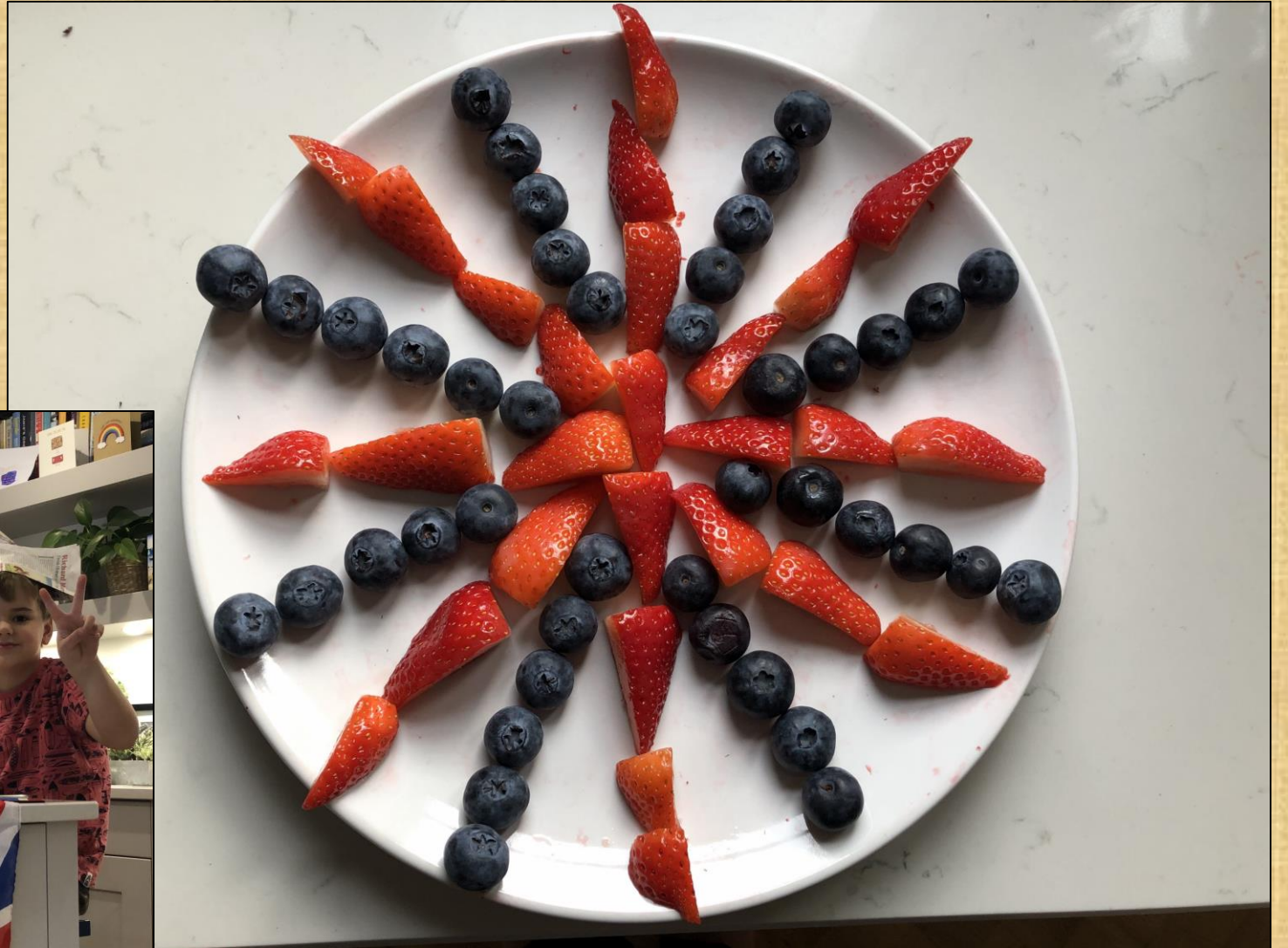
Barney



Winston



Charlie



Eleanor



Elliot



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We had a 2 minute silence and then danced to war time music. We also had a picnic in our garden and although we didn't plan it, a spitfire circled our garden and we all waved.

Kaspar

I celebrated VE day by going for a long walk in Rutland and took photos on the way. At supper, we talked about it and about Churchill's publications (Daddy has a first edition of W. Churchill's 6 volume 'The Second World War'). Mummy is German, so she explained about the Germans having to come to terms with the terrible war and the big German word for this: Vergangenheitsaufarbeitung!

VE Day celebrations during lockdown
A walk near Uppingham, Rutland - 8th May 2020



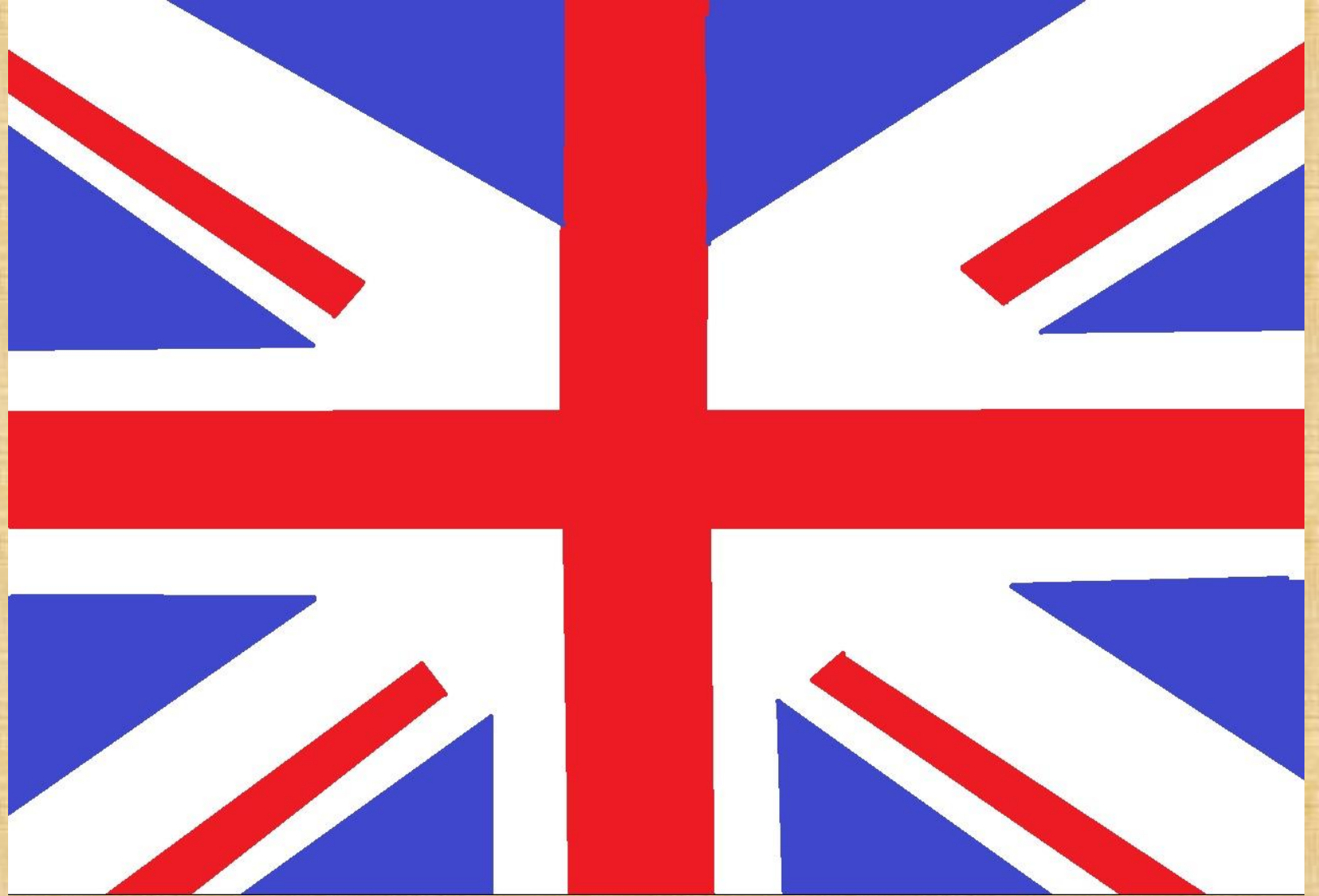
my dog Roly



Katie



Liam



Lily



Lizzie



Poppy

I made a plan for the day and we had a street party with social distancing and met a new Spanish family. We all sang along to Vera Lynn. We made a play list of war time music and sung and danced in the garden all day. We enjoyed making bunting to decorate the house and garden. We also made some scones for our afternoon tea. I asked my family to wear red, white and blue and we had Union Jack face paints. It was a fun day and I enjoyed learning about the past. My Great grandma was on Trafalgar square on VE Day.



Sophie



Zach



Year 5 VE Day Celebrations: 5K & 5E



Aaron



Theo



Alex

I have made bunting and I am making rainbow cookies with my mum. We are using Miss Gilford's recipe from Mr Gorick's podcast. I am wearing red, white and blue clothes and we will have a BBQ. I will also get to stay up past my bedtime to watch the Queen on TV.



Freddie



Alivia



Anna



Avani



Letizia



Marianne



Phoebe



Reuben



Ross



Ross' relatives on VE Day!



Sophia



Sophie



Thomas

We made bunting with Union Jack, blue, white and red flags and NHS flags and put it up at the front of the house. We also had a barbeque. Myself and Dad planned the food and made the fire.



Year 5 VE Day Celebrations: 5F



Alexander



Alice



Effie



Ellen



Gatha



George



Georgia



Hamish & Jack
made red
pancakes and red
and white
cookies!



Isla



Isobel



I made a chocolate cake with my sister, sausage rolls with my mum. We made bunting.
We had a social distancing street party. Watched the Queens speech at 9, Churchills speech at three and sang well meet again.

Navya



We made Winston Churchill's favourite cake:
Churchill Fruit Cake.



We are making flags.



We were waving flags when we saw the planes
fly over London on the television.



We made eggless pancakes.



I read devastating facts about World War II and I
think World War II and lockdown have many
similarities.



We watched The Darkest Hour. It was amazing!

We also listened to the Queen's speech.

Oliver
(practising
rationing)



Poppy



Saachi



VE Day by Saachi Kang

**VE day, the war with Germany is over,
There are blue birds over the white cliffs of dover.**

**Cheerful faces here today,
Forever together, hip hip hooray!**

**No amount of the destruction can be undone,
But good times have begun.**

**So many lives we have lost in this time,
But new things will be divine.**

**Time with our friends will come out better,
We are united as one forever and ever.**



Theo

