

The Key Skills challenge for today is one of our character building activities. We played this game as a class in school and (after several weeks) we made it to 10! I wonder how long it will take your family to count to 10? Can you name all the character muscles you need to use for this activity?

Phonics

Please get yourself a pencil and a piece of paper then click on the following link:

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCP_FbjYUP_UtIdV2K_niWw/videos

Please select 'Lesson 7 - Year 1'. Remember to use your pre-cursive letters ☺

Reading

This week, we are focussing on the book 'Anna and the Third Leaf' which is available on Purple Mash. Today we are on chapter 3. Do you think Anna will get the part of Jack? You will find Chapter 3, the quiz and some optional additional activities in your '2Dos' on Purple Mash.

Maths

Please click on the link below and select 'Summer Term - Week 2 W/C 27th April' (remember we are working a week behind the plan).

<https://whiterosemaths.com/homelearning/year-1/>

Please click on lesson 3 - 'Find a Quarter (2)' Watch the short video and complete the activities.

Writing

With adult support, read the text about VE Day on the page below and write the answers to the 5 questions in your neatest handwriting. If you are struggling to answer the questions, read the text again.

Art

Colour or paint a Union Jack Flag to display in your window to celebrate VE Day. You could use the template below or make your own.

Random Act of Kindness

Tell everyone who lives in your house one thing you love about them.

Key Skills

Count to 10 with your Family

The aim of the game is to count to 10. Only one person is allowed to say a number at a time and you cannot say two consecutive numbers. Do not make a plan or give any verbal instructions. I have uploaded a recording of my family playing the game on the website.

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Victory in Europe Day

Victory in Europe Day is usually called VE Day.



What Is VE Day?

- VE Day is a day to remember the end of the fighting in Europe in the Second World War.
- It is a day to remember the bravery of those who lived during the war.
- It is a day to remember the soldiers who were in the war.

Time to Celebrate

- VE Day is always on May 8th.
- On May 7th 1945, Germany **surrendered** the war.
- People **celebrated** with street parties.
- People wore red, white and blue – the colours of the British flag.
- People waved flags.



Glossary

celebrate – to do something special for a special occasion

surrender – to agree to stop fighting

Questions

1. What is Victory in Europe Day also known as?
2. What do we remember on Victory in Europe Day?
3. How did people celebrate on VE Day?
4. What does the word surrender mean?
5. Which country surrendered the war?

