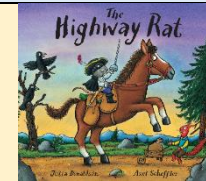


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| Subject | Lesson focus/objective | Activity and/or instructions |
|---------------------|---|---|
| Reading/ Phonics | I can retrieve information from a given text. | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Re-read the text 'VE day' on page 2.2. Answer the questions on page 3.3. Check the answers on page 8. |
| Mathem atics | I can calculate mathematical statements for multiplication and division | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Log in on https://trockstars.com/ and practise your times tables.2. See page 4 for today's activities. |
| Writing | I can make inferences on the basis of what is being said and done | Listen to the story again here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=bkVoYeCLIXU See page 5 and 6 for your writing activity. |
| PSHE | I can identify what and how items are unsafe. | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Look at the hazard symbols on page 7.2. Find out which items would have these different symbols on them.3. Can you spot any of these symbols on your house? |



Please read daily and complete your reading record. You can access Accelerated Reader clicking [here](https://ukhosted2.renlearn.co.uk/1894742/) and putting in your user name and password: <https://ukhosted2.renlearn.co.uk/1894742/> You may find that some of your books at home are also on Accelerated Reader, so re-read them and give the quiz a go.

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VE Day

Victory in Europe Day, generally known as VE Day, is a day celebrating the acceptance of Nazi Germany's surrender of its armed forces on the 8th May, 1945. It marks the end of the Second World War in Europe. On this day, the Prime Minister of the United Kingdom, Winston Churchill, made a national announcement on the radio at 3pm that the war in Europe had come to an end, following Germany's surrender the day before.

This was a hugely important day for the country and all the continent. The allied countries had achieved victory in Europe and the end of World War Two was in sight. Many people were extremely happy that the fighting had stopped and there were big celebrations and parties. Huge crowds- with people dressed in red, white and blue – gathered outside Buckingham Palace in London. They cheered as King George VI and his family, including Princess Elizabeth (our current Queen) came out on to the balcony to greet everybody. That evening, Princess Elizabeth secretly left the palace and celebrated with the people of London!

Even though people were happy and lots of celebrations took place, this was not the end of World War 2. Even after the 8th May, lots of soldiers, sailors and pilots were sent to fight against the Japanese forces, who had not yet surrendered. Eventually, World War 2 ended, with Japan being defeated on the 15th August 1945.

The most important thing to remember about VE day is that we are not celebrating war. We are remembering those people who fought, died and contributed to the war effort. Our lives today may be vastly different if the brave men of the allied forces had not made the ultimate sacrifice for our freedom.

VE Day- Questions

1. What does VE day stand for?
2. What happened on VE day?
3. What day do we celebrate VE day?
4. Who was Winston Churchill?
5. Why were people happy that the War in Europe had ended?
6. People celebrated by doing what?
7. What did King George VI do with his family?
8. What did Princess Elizabeth do that evening?
9. What happened after VE day?
10. What happened on the 15th August 1945?
11. Who do we remember on VE day?

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Write the multiplication and corresponding division statements for:

The first one has been done for you.

| | | | |
|-------------------|---------|----------|---------|
| 3 and 5 | 2 and 6 | 10 and 4 | 5 and 7 |
| $3 \times 5 = 15$ | | | |
| $5 \times 3 = 15$ | | | |
| $15 \div 3 = 5$ | | | |
| $15 \div 5 = 3$ | | | |

1. Use \times , \div and $=$ to make these correct:

$$6 \square 5 \square 30$$

$$8 \square 2 \square 4$$

$$100 \square 10 \square 10$$

3. Use 5, 8 and 40 to make these correct:

$$\square \times \square = \square$$

$$\square \div \square = \square$$

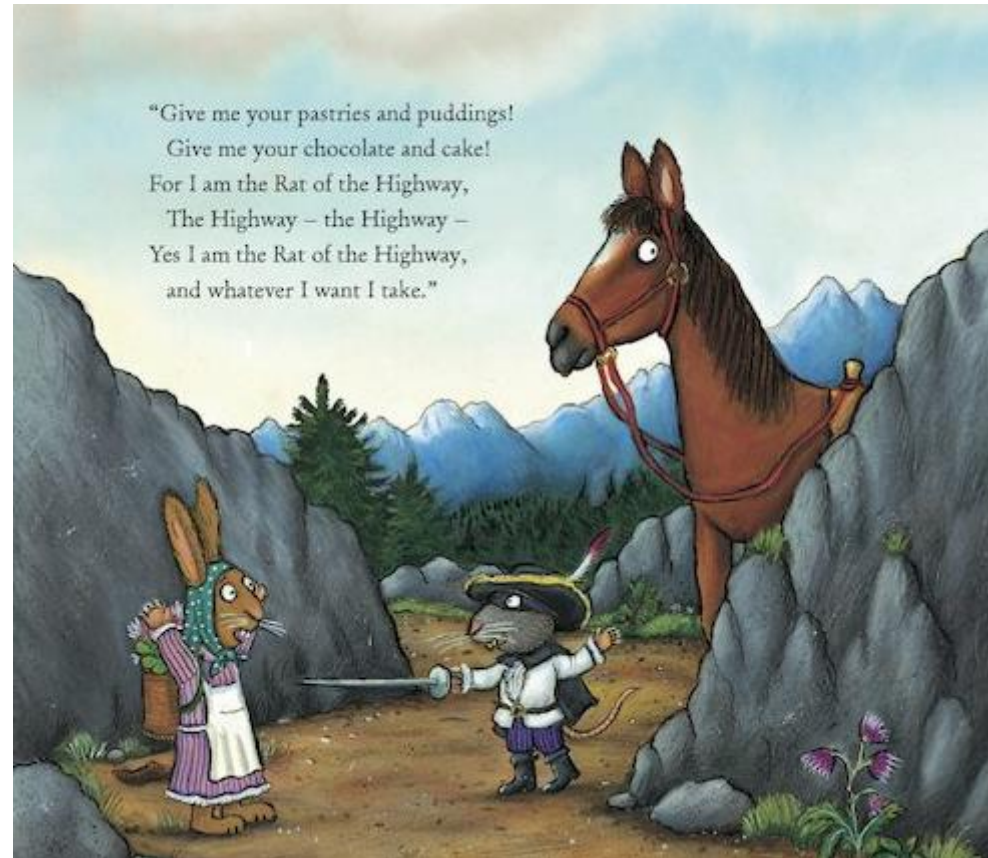
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Discuss with an adult!

Who are the three characters?

What are they doing?



How are they feeling?

What might they be thinking?

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Think about what each of these characters might be saying. Write the thought of each character in the thought bubble.



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Warning signs and labels.

1. Below are signs which tell us the danger or 'risk' that is involved when using certain products. Can you find out which items would have these warning labels?
2. Can you see any of these labels in your house?



Irritant
(may irritate skin)



Flammable
(may catch fire)



Corrosive
(may damage skin)



Toxic
(may damage health)



Explosive
(may explode)

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VE Day- Questions

1. What does VE day stand for? [Victoria in Europe](#)
2. What happened on VE day? [Nazi Germany's army surrendered.](#)
3. What day do we celebrate VE day? [8th May 1945.](#)
4. Who was Winston Churchill? [The Prime Minister of Britain.](#)
5. Why were people happy that the War in Europe had ended? [The fighting had stopped. People were safe.](#)
6. People celebrated by doing what? [There were big parties! People dressed in red, white and blue – gathered outside Buckingham Palace in London](#)
7. What did King George VI do with his family? [Went out on to the Balcony of Buckingham Palace and greeted the crowds.](#)
8. What did Princess Elizabeth do that evening? [She secretly went into London and celebrated with the people of London.](#)
9. What happened after VE day? [The war continued, with soldiers, sailors and pilots going to fight Japan.](#)
10. What happened on the 15th August 1945? [Japan Surrendered.](#)
11. Who do we remember on VE day? [Those who fought, died and contributed to the war effort.](#)