

# Year 6 History Knowledge Organiser— Local History and Second World War



**Great Moor Junior School**

"Learning Together"

Respect, Kindness, Tolerance, Responsibility, Co-operation

**Allies:**

**Britain**



**France**



**USA**



Joined in 1940

**USSR (Soviet Union)**

Joined in 1941



**Axis:**

**Germany**



**Italy**



Joined in 1940

**Japan**



Joined in 1941

**Key People**

Neville Chamberlain



Sir Winston Churchill



Adolf Hitler



**Reliability of sources**

Can we trust it to tell the truth out the past?



Propaganda was used by a lot of countries, including Britain to persuade people to do or think things. Germany used lots of anti-Jewish propaganda to build hate towards the Jews.

**Nature**  
**Origin**  
**Purpose**

What is the source?

Who wrote the source?

When was it written?

Why has this source been made?



Anderson shelters were built in gardens to protect people from bombs.

We will look at our school log books to help us learn about Great Moor Junior School during the war.

*some parents who have been on holiday have left their children from school.*

Apr 2 Reopened school. 33 children admitted. Roll used present 1109

11 Air raid warning this morning. Children assembled in shelters. Two warnings this afternoon. After the all clear for the second raid which was at 5:10pm the children were taken to their classrooms and dismissed for the day.

5 Only 113 present at 9am this morning owing to 9th extremely long air raid last night.

9 Underman letter visited school this p.m and enquired about the air raid precautions.

12 Air raid alarm at 8:25 this morning.

16 Air raid alarm at 8:50 this morning. The few

*d at school went school shelters. This morning. all clear ended to the Mayor of buy a Phillips Aeroplane. Corner. The photograph taken by Mrs this morning*

Oct 1st. Reopened school. Miss Brown absent through illness.

2nd. Miss Brown still absent.

3rd. Miss Brown returned to duty. A.P.P. Practice assembly in classrooms and passages in case bombs fall near school before service is sounded.

8th Air raid warning as we had assembled in the hall at 9:00am for the morning service. Children sent to shelters. All clear at 9:30am. Air raid warning again at 2pm. All clear at 2:30 p.m.

<b>1st Sep 1939</b> Germany invades Poland. First wave of evacuation	<b>3rd Sept 1939</b> Neville Chamberlain declared war on Germany	<b>3rd Sept 1939</b> Conscription introduced	<b>Jan 1940</b> Rationing introduced	<b>10th July 1940</b> The Battle of Britain begins	<b>7th Sept 1940</b> The Blitz begin.	<b>6th Jun 1944</b> D-Day Allies invade Normandy.	<b>8th May 1945</b> Victory in Europe Day
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