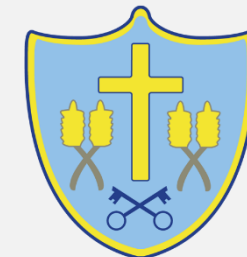




VE DAY
75TH ANNIVERSARY
A SHARED MOMENT OF CELEBRATION
8 - 10 MAY 2020



Early Years VE Day Commemoration learning tasks

Being imaginative

Have your own tea party with teddy bears or toys.

What are you going to wear?

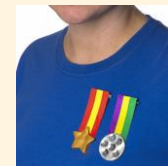
Can you draw or write about your party?

I wonder if the teddies like 'proper' cups of English tea.

30-50 months - Engages in imaginative role-play based on own first-hand experiences. Builds stories around toys. Uses available resources to create props to support role-play

40-60 months - Introduces a storyline or narrative into their play. Creates simple representations of events.

Early Learning Goal - They represent their own ideas, thoughts and feelings through design and technology, art, music, dance, role play and stories.



Materials

Make British party food or bunting for a party.

Here are all the instructions you need to get started using any paper, cereal boxes, string, ribbon, sweet wrappers, felt pens, poster paint you have or whatever you can find.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/articles/4TrqYDyf4PMdLypxzyTwGDg/great-british-bunting>

Or you could create a medal and decide what they are for.

30-50 months - Explores colour and how colours can be changed. Realises tools can be used for a purpose.

40-60 months - Constructs with a purpose in mind, using a variety of resources. Uses simple tools and techniques competently and appropriately.

Early Learning Goal - They safely use and explore a variety of materials, tools and techniques, experimenting with colour, design, texture, form and function.

Media

Listen and dance to some traditional British music.

Celebrate by playing your favourite instrument. What different sounds can you make?



Understanding the world

Learn about British war-veteran Captain Tom Moore and the fantastic work he is doing to raise money for the NHS.

Do you have any family members that went to war?

I wonder if you could look at old photographs and talk about what happened on VE day in 1945.

30-50 months - Recognises and describes special times or events for family or friends

40-60 months - Enjoy joining in with family customs and routines.

Early Learning Goal - Children talk about past and present events in their own lives and in the lives of family members.