



All Saints CE Primary School and Nursery

Medium Term Planning



Class teacher: Lisa Edwards Year group: 6 Term: Autumn 1 Subject: History How did World War Two affect people in my locality?

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Lesson	SKILLS Based LG	Brief outline of lesson content (or where this can be found/unit found in, if for example it is a published scheme such as Science)	Key Vocabulary covered
1	L.G. understand what Nuneaton was like before the Second World war	What was life like in Nuneaton before the Second World War? • Compare maps of Nuneaton in the 1880s, 1930s and current using maps • Identify key industries that were in Nuneaton in the pre-war period • Discuss why Nuneaton was important to the war effort Record notes as bullet points	Pre-war period, primary sources, secondary sources, industries, daily life
2	L.G. explore the impact of bombing raids on the town	What happened to Nuneaton during the Blitz? Study photographs and newspaper reports of the air raids in 1941 Mark bombed locations on a map of the town Write a diary entry as a child during the air raid, including local references The day Nuneaton was bombed by the Germans - killing 130 people - CoventryLive (coventrytelegraph.net) Survivors remember Nuneaton Blitz on 70th anniversary - BBC News BBC - WW2 People's War - Memories of Nuneaton Childhood	Blitz, air raid shelter
3	L.G. describe what happened to All Saints Church during the Blitz	What happened to All Saints Church during the Blitz?- two lessons to complete • Visit to church • Make notes on what happened to the church during the bombing and afterwards	All Saints Church, bomb damage, rebuild, prisoners-of-war, Blitz

		• Create a fact file on the history of the church during the war and afterwards	
4	L.G. describe what happened to Coventry during the Blitz?	What happened to Coventry during the Blitz? The Coventry Blitz: ‘Hysteria, terror and neurosis’ – BBC News • Show images of the Blitz attacks • Order statements about the significance of industries that were affected during the Blitz • Pupils work with primary and secondary sources to create a timeline of events	Coventry, Blitz, primary source, secondary source, industries
5	I can understand how Coventry Cathedral became a symbol of peace and forgiveness	From Ruins to Reconciliation- what is the legacy of Coventry Cathedral? • Discuss the image of the Cross of Nails • Explore images of the ruins and the new cathedral • Create a Peace reflection- it could be a prayer, poem, or symbol	Coventry Cathedral, Blitz, peace, reconciliation, symbol