

# Hayle Academy



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Dear Parent/Carer

As you will be aware, this Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May marks the commemoration of the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of VE day and should we have been in school, students would have had assemblies and lessons with a focus on stories and events from World War 2 leading up to this important international occasion.

With this in mind given the present circumstances, staff are making a video containing stories about their own families' personal experiences from World War 2. This will be shared on the school's social media and the school website for our students to watch and to consider.

As it is a bank holiday, students will not be set or be expected to complete the home learning work in accordance with the published timetable.

Instead, students will be set a flexible task on Show My Homework, containing a set of optional challenges that encourage exploring and researching VE Day – please do get involved too! This will be set as a Global Values Flexible Task.

Thank you for your support in helping us to mark this special occasion as a school even though we can't be at school.

Kind regards,

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