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23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024

Dear Parents and Carers of Y6 children,

We have started our new topic on WW2, as part of the topic we will be looking at rationing and how that affected people in Britain. As part of this, we will be baking a cake using a ration recipe, studying how people had to adapt to the resources available. The session will take place on **Wednesday 31st January** as well as the Blitz VR experience we have already booked in.

The ingredients we will be using will be:

- Plain flour.
- Sugar.
- Baking Soda.
- Unsweetened Cocoa Powder.
- Vegetable Oil.
- Distilled White Vinegar.
- Water.

Please note, we **will not** be using any dairy, eggs or margarine to replicate available rations in England.

During the session we will eat and evaluate what they have made, however **we are aware that some children have allergies or have other dietary needs and we are happy to discuss these with you.**

If you require a detailed breakdown of the ingredients, please inform us and we will make it available in the week leading up to the activity.

To make this day even more special we invite the children to dress up as a child or key British figure of WW2. This is optional.

If you have any questions regarding the food tasting or would like to make us aware of any issues regarding the planned session please talk to your child's class teacher.

Many thanks

Y6 team  
Ecclesall Primary School